

# St Faith's Lee

The Parish Church of Lee-on-the-Solent

## Weekly Notes

17<sup>th</sup> June 2018 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to St Faith's! If you are a visitor, we hope you enjoy your time with us. If you would like to know more about St Faith's, please fill in a Welcome Card, found on the desk near the entrance to the church.

### This week in the St Faith's community

#### Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June

8.00am	Book of Common Prayer Holy Communion
9.30am	Parish Eucharist
11.00am	Sundays@11
1pm	Christening of Matthew Lucker
6.00pm	Evening Prayer



There is a Traidcraft stall after the Parish Eucharist and before Sundays@11 today!

#### Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> June

9.30am	Rainbow Toddlers
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#### Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> June

11.30am	Eucharist
2.00pm	Cuppa and Company

#### Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June

10.45am	Funeral of Brian Hayles
3.00-4.30pm	Mothers' Union Strawberry Tea

#### Weekdays

**Morning and Evening Prayer** are said in the church each day at 8.30am and 5.00pm - everyone is welcome!

**House groups** meet during the week for prayer, discussion, friendship and Bible study. For more information, please speak to one of the clergy.

**St Faith's Vision: Our vision is to be a welcoming progressive Christian community of all ages and all stages of faith, nurturing spiritual growth, and representing God's living presence in our town.**



## **Thank You from Andrew Munro**

I would like to thank members of the St Faith's family for their many cards, good wishes, prayers and kindnesses that Penny and I have been shown since my illness started. It has been a great comfort to us, and our family, to know that people were supporting us during a very dark period of our lives. We have been so impressed with the care, and professionalism, the medical services have shown to me from the moment the ambulance arrived to the present day. It is the NHS at its very best. I have still some way to go in my full recovery, and I have two more operations to go, but I go forward with confidence knowing that I will have your prayers and support.

This week, I plan to return to work on a part-time basis and I'm looking forward to getting my feet back under the desk. I couldn't begin to thank all the people who have helped me but I would like to thank Penny whose love, care and devotion have been a major ingredient in my continuing recovery. God bless and thank you.

### **Wanted - tall cupboard with shelves**

Do you have a tall cupboard with shelves, ideally lockable, or a wardrobe that can be adapted? (Something a bit like the picture to the right). The Junior Church team are looking for one to store resources in the Bulson Hall store. If you have something that might work, please speak to Becca Chamberlain, or call her on 023 9200 6184. Thank you!



### **Reading at the Parish Eucharist**

There are still a few slots available for reading at the Parish Eucharist in coming weeks... Please do have a look at the sign-up sheet on the welcome table, and put your name down.

### **Mothers' Union Strawberry Tea**

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 3-4.30pm**  
**in the Bulson Hall**

All are welcome to come to the MU Strawberry Tea this coming Friday!  
Strawberries and cream, home made scones and cakes - and good company!

Tickets are available at church today (£4 per person) or from Liz Emery on 07818 403 036.



## **Offertory procession at the Parish Eucharist**

The sign-up sheet to help with the offertory procession in July and August is now available on the welcome table - please do sign up to help.

## **ICANGO Bus to Mary's Priesting on 30<sup>th</sup> June**

Mary is being ordained as a priest on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> June at 4pm in Portsmouth Cathedral. We are all invited to attend, and we are taking a couple of the ICANGO minibuses over to the service - if you would like to go on a minibus, please do sign up on the welcome table.



## **Bring and Share Lunch, with BBQ and Jazz to celebrate Mary's priesting 12.30pm Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July**

Mary will be ordained as a priest on 30th June (see above), and will be celebrating Communion for the first time on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July. To celebrate this special event, we will be having a bring and share lunch, with a BBQ and Jazz music, at 12.30pm on 1<sup>st</sup> July, in the Bulson Hall. Do join us to celebrate this special occasion!

## **Quiz Night at Bishopsgrove - 7pm Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June**



Bishop Christopher and his wife Sally are hosting a Bishopsgrove Marquee Quiz Night, with all proceeds going to the Bishop's Lent Appeal 2018 Appeal for refugees.

Teams will be in tables of 6-8, and you can come along as a team or join in with one on the night.

There is no specific charge but the cost of the evening, including a buffet

supper with wine and an excellent range of questions on a variety of topics is £15. Contributions on the night of at least that amount will enable any surplus to be added to the Lent Appeal total.

Bishopsgrove is the Bishop's house, and is on Osborn Road in Fareham. To book places and ensure a seat at a table, contact Rachel at [rachel.houlberg@portsmouth.anglican.org](mailto:rachel.houlberg@portsmouth.anglican.org).

# Summer Sounds Music Festival

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July, 7.30pm

Royal Naval Volunteer Band

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> July, 6.30pm

Reception and art exhibition opening followed by Gala organ recital, with Richard Dewland, Andrew Cleary, Myles Tyrrell, and David Hall



Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> July 7.30pm

Music from stage and screen, with Lee Choral Society, the Lowry Girls and friends, including music from West side story, Les Miserables, opera choruses and more

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> July 2.30pm

Music for a summer afternoon, featuring, among other things, Bach Brandenburg Concerto No. 4, followed by afternoon tea



**All concerts are £10, and the cream tea is £5. However, if you attend all four concerts and the cream tea, you can get an 'all in' ticket for the bargain price of £35!**

## **Help needed!!**

### **Auditions for 'Stage and Screen' concert**

If you'd like to offer a solo item for this event on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> July, auditions will be held this Wednesday, 20th June, at 6pm in the Bulson Hall. Please bring along one solo item to sing to the panel!

### **Art Exhibition - 21<sup>st</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> July**

As part of the Summer Sounds festival, there will be an art exhibition in the church Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> July to Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July. We'd love someone to coordinate the art exhibition for us.

We will also need people to be present in the church during the exhibition, to keep an eye on the art!

If you would be willing to help in either of these ways, please can you speak to Richard Dewland, or contact him at [musicdirector@stfaithslee.org.uk](mailto:musicdirector@stfaithslee.org.uk) or on 07561 318 355.

## For your prayers this week

### **Collect for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts whereby we call you Father:  
give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that we and all creation may be brought to the glorious liberty of the children of God; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

**Those who are unwell:** Martin Over, McCorley Duncan, Matthew Beer, Garth Lewis, Norah Drew

**Those who are to be baptised:** Matthew Luker

**Those who have died:** Brian Hayles

**Anniversaries of death:** Rosa Russell and Jack Carter (17<sup>th</sup>), Mia Whitby (19<sup>th</sup>); Angela Stacey-Thomas, Lorraine Booker, Betty Symonds (21<sup>st</sup>); Reginald Rickard and Charles Smith (22<sup>nd</sup>); Harold Fuller and Geoffrey Jones (23<sup>rd</sup>)

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**1. For the fruits of all creation,**  
thanks be to God;  
for the gifts to every nation,  
thanks be to God;  
for the ploughing, sowing, reaping,  
silent growth while we are sleeping,  
future needs in earth's safe-keeping,  
thanks be to God.

2. In the just reward of labour,  
God's will is done;  
in the help we give our neighbour,  
God's will is done;

in our world-wide task of caring  
for the hungry and despairing,  
in the harvests we are sharing,  
God's will is done.

3. For the harvests of the Spirit,  
thanks be to God;  
for the good we all inherit,  
thanks be to God;  
for the wonders that astound us,  
for the truths that still confound us,  
most of all, that love has found us,  
thanks be to God.

# Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June

## Third Sunday after Trinity

### 8.00am **Book of Common Prayer Holy Communion**

*A traditional communion service using the 1662 order of service*

President: Paul Chamberlain

Assistant: David Fordham

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### 9.30am **Parish Eucharist**

*A formal choral service of Holy Communion*

President: Paul Chamberlain

Deacon: Mary Kells

Preacher: Paul Chamberlain

Epistle reading: 2 Corinthians 5:6-17 Ann Dent

Gospel reading: Mark 4:26-34 Alison King

Intercessions: Frank Cochrane

Chalice Assistants: Sue Castle, Sue Townsend, Frank & Pat Cochrane

### Hymns

Processional: The kingdom of God is justice and joy (back page of WN)

Offertory: For the fruits of all creation (page 5 of Weekly Notes)

Anthem: Teach me, O Lord T. Attwood

Communion: One bread, one body (back page of Weekly Notes)

Closing Hymn: Christ is the King! O friends rejoice (page 17 of booklet)

### 11.00am **Sundays@11**

*A service for all ages, with a music group, various media, and activities for adults and children.*

### 6.00pm **Evening Prayer**

*A traditional reflective service with music and a sermon*

Officiant: Mary Kells

Opening Hymn: 408 Love Divine, all loves excelling

Psalm: 39

First reading: Jeremiah 7:1-16 Ray Radford

Second reading: Romans 9:14-26 Ray Radford

Homily: Mary Kells

Hymn: 457 The King of love my Shepherd is

Intercessions: Gillian Sinclair

Hymn: 395 Let bells peal forth the universal fame

## In the Church and Parish Centre this week

	<b>Church</b>	<b>Bulson Hall</b>	<b>Lowry Room</b>
<b>Sun 17<sup>th</sup> June</b>	8.00 Holy Communion 9.30am Parish Eucharist 11.00am Sundays@11 1.00pm Christening of Matthew Lucker	Refreshments & Traidcraft Stall 11.15am Sundays@11	9.00am Choir 11.15am Sundays@11 12.00-4.00pm Private hire
<b>Mon 18<sup>th</sup> June</b>	8.00 Silent Prayer 8.30 Morning Prayer 5.00 Evening Prayer	9.30-12.30pm Lunch Club 6.15-7.15pm Yoga	10.00-11.00am Pilates 6.15-7.15pm Zumba 8-9pm Keep Fit
<b>Tue 19<sup>th</sup> June</b>	8.00 Silent Prayer 8.30 Morning Prayer 5.00 Evening Prayer	9.30-11.15 Rainbow Toddlers  1.30-2.30pm Pilates 2.45-3.45pm Pilates 6.15-7.15pm Yoga	9.30-10.30am Zumba 3.30pm-4.30pm Starz Ballet 5.30-7pm Brownies 7.30-9.30 Solent Writers' Circle
<b>Wed 20<sup>th</sup> June</b>	8.00 Silent Prayer 8.30 Morning Prayer 5.00 Evening Prayer	1.00-4.00pm Home Instead Tea Dance 6.00-7.00 Auditions 7.30-9.15pm Lee Choral Society	9.30-12pm Friendly Bridge 1.00-3.00pm Weight Watchers 7.30-8.30 Zumba
<b>Thu 21<sup>st</sup> June</b>	8.00 Silent Prayer 8.30 Morning Prayer 11.30am Eucharist 5.00 Evening Prayer	9.30-10.30am Yoga 2.00-3.15pm Cuppa & Company 5.30-6.30pm Yoga 6.45-7.45pm Pilates	10.00-1.00pm Lowry Art Group 6.45-8.15pm Private Yoga
<b>Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> June</b>	8.00 Silent Prayer 8.30 Morning Prayer 10.45 Funeral of Brian Hayles 5.00 Evening Prayer	1.00-2.00pm Zumba Gold 3.00-4.30 Mothers Union Strawberry Tea 7.30-9.30 Shall we Dance?	10.00-11.00am Jiggy Wrigglers 6.15-9.00pm Choir Practices
<b>Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> June</b>	9.00am-12.00 noon Lay Pastoral Assistants Course	9.30- 10.30am Zumba	10.30am-1.30pm Private party
<b>Sun 24<sup>th</sup> June</b>	8.00 Holy Communion 9.30 Parish Eucharist 11.00 Sundays@11 6.00pm Evening Prayer	Refreshments 11.15am Sundays@11	9.00am Choir 11.15am Sundays@11

**The kingdom of God is justice and joy,**  
for Jesus restores what sin would destroy;  
God's power and glory in Jesus we know,  
and here and hereafter the kingdom shall grow.

The kingdom of God is mercy and grace,  
the captives are freed, the sinners find place,  
the outcast are welcomed God's banquet to share,  
and hope is awakened instead of despair.

The kingdom of God is challenge and choice,  
believe the good news, repent and rejoice!  
His love for us sinners brought Christ to his cross,  
our crisis of judgement for gain or for loss.

God's kingdom is come, the gift and the goal,  
in Jesus begun, in heaven made whole;  
the heirs of the kingdom shall answer his call,  
and all things cry 'Glory!' to God all in all.

Bryn Rees (1911–1983)

**One bread, one body,**  
one Lord of all,  
one cup of blessing  
which we bless.

And we, though many,  
throughout the earth,  
we are one body  
in this one Lord.

1. Gentile or Jew,  
servant or free,  
woman or man,  
no more.

2. Many the gifts,  
many the works,  
one in the Lord of all.

3. Grain for the fields,  
scattered and grown,  
gathered to one, for all.

John Foley, SJ (b. 1939)

## **Church & Parish Centre Contact Details**

### **Parish Office**

Telephone 023 9255 6445

The Parish Office is open for enquiries 10.30am-12.30pm each weekday.

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