Priest in Charge: Revd. Sandi Wickens - 07395 106514



AUGUST		
Sunday 11 th	11.am	Morning Praise
Sunday 18 th	11.am	Holy Communion
Sunday 25 th	11.am	Morning Praise
SEPTEMBER		
Sunday 1 st	11am	PET SERVICE
Sunday 8 th	11am	Morning Praise
Sunday 15 th	11am	Holy Communion

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Gill Barham Memorial Service Monday 12th August 2024 – 1:30 pm

St. Mary's Church, Battle, Sussex TN33 OAN

For all who are coming to Jill Barham's memorial service – thank you for coming!

Just a couple of logistical details: If you are coming from the north, you need to know that the A2100 is closed. Continue on the A21, and either turn right on Whatlington Road or continue on to Marley Lane (we suggest you consult a map!).

Parking for the church service will not be at the church (too small). Coming from Battle High Street, you can pull up to the church to drop people off, and then drive on past the petrol station and round the mini roundabout. Come back past the church and take your first left in front of the Abbey. Pull in through the Abbey gates and you will find plenty of parking in front of Battle Abbey School directly in front of you. The walk back to St. Mary's Church, is best done via the pedestrian crossing as it is a very busy road. Your walk will be just 0.25 miles.

After the service, please come back to the marquee set up in the field at Rosewood, where there is also plenty of parking (1st gate on the right). We will be serving tea, coffee and cakes. The reception at Rosewood after the service is not affected by the road closure. It is just 1.25 miles from Battle Abbey to Rosewood. Rosewood, Canadia Road, Battle TN330LR. Thank you! *Sue, Jane and Michael on behalf of Ken*



DEMENTIA FRIENDLY SERVICE

at St Andrew's Fairlight

At the PCC meeting last Monday, the possibility of holding a monthly Dementia Service was discussed. This would take place on either a Tuesday or Thursday afternoon. We need to set up a small team. If you would like to be part of the team, which would include providing refreshments and leading the service let Jayne know. paforfgw@gmail.com

SAVE THE DATES



Every Thursday at St Andrew's 10am-12 Noon throughout August. Please circulate to all those you think might wish to come along

PET SERVICE St Andrew's Sunday 1st September 11am



UPDATE Chichester Cathedral will unveil special plans to mark two important anniversaries coming up next year. In 2025, Sussex will celebrate the Christian faith, marking the 950th anniversary of the Diocese of Chichester and Chichester Cathedral, as well as the 1700th anniversary of when the Nicene Creed first emerged.

2025 also marks the 1700th anniversary of the Council of Nicaea which resulted in the Nicene Creed emerging - a document still recited by Christians summarising the



essence of what they believe. A wide range of events celebrating both anniversaries are in the process of being organised. There is also a request from the cathedral asking our church communities to get involved in creating a journey through time - to capture the essence of the cathedral's 950 years of Christian Faith. These special events will be on the newsletter in the coming weeks and months. As a taster until more information is announced the celebrations under the banner of Chichester950 will include:

- Religion, Revolution & Reformation, 14th February 15th November 2025: An interactive exhibition sharing the story of the Christian faith in Sussex, revealed through people, events and objects, from 1075 to the present day;
- *Together in Unity*, **17th May 2025:** A concert on the 60th anniversary of Leonard Bernstein's *Chichester Psalms*, including the unveiling of a new musical composition;
- TrinityFest on the Green, 15th June 2025: Marking the Feast of the Holy Trinity, to which the Cathedral is dedicated, with a vibrant celebration uniting Chichester communities over food, music, and culture, on the Cathedral Green;
- **Light Show_24th 31st October 2025**: An immersive fine art, light and sound installation taking place over October Half Term, responding to the 950-year history of the Cathedral.



Family Fun Day's in August

We need empty boxes for crafting/modelling. Please leave them in the collection box at St Andrew's. NO Toilet Roll tubes, but kitchen roll tubes are fine. We also need volunteers to help with setting up tables/chairs, crafts and refreshments. Let Jayne know if you'd like to get involved. paforfgw@gmail.com

2024
CAFÉ' REFRESH AT ST PETER'S
FAIRLIGHT
10.30am-12Noon
15th AUGUST

19th SEPTEMBER

17th OCTOBER 21st NOVEMBER

19th DECEMBER

19 DECEMBER



EVERYONE WELCOME

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SO MUCH IS HAPPENING DURING THE SUMMER MONTHS.

IF YOU HAVE ANYTHING YOU FEEL MIGHT BE OF INTEREST FOR THE NEWSLETTER

- PLEASE CONTACT ME - AT

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DEADLINE THURSDAY LUNCH TIME
THANK YOU ~ JAYNE



This is our faith Questionnaire 2025 marks the 950th anniversary of the move of Christian mission in this diocese from Selsey to Chichester. This gives us an opportunity to say something about who we are as the inheritors in the 21st century of this great momentum of Christian witness and faith. You are encouraged to respond to <u>four questions</u> about what your faith means to you, in whatever way you wish. We would prefer succinct authenticity to a lengthy sermon! The deadline for responses is 31st September 2024. Too respond click on the four questions link above. There is an invitation to send us photographs that illustrate the diversity of our diocesan life and context. Details about that are attached. (Emailed separately with this newsletter – please ensure you have permission if any image is of an identifiable person/s). This will be a record of what

our Church is like today: we hope and pray that it will also encourage us to look to the future with hope and confidence in the abiding purposes of God's plan for salvation and glory for his children. + Martin Warner

Parish Administrator Jayne Stevens – my working days 2.30pm-6pm on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday and all-day Thursday 9am-5pm. If you need to contact me, 07539 652 000 - my email address is: paforfgw@gmail.com If at any time you would like to be removed from the mailing list in line with 'GDPR' let me know. If you have a contribution for the newsletter, please contact me by midday on Thursday. Thank you, Jayne. If you know anyone who might like to receive the newsletter, please ask them to email me. or contact me via the website: www.fairlightchurches.org.uk

