

ENCOUNTER GOD THROUGH WARM HOSPITALITY AND INSPIRED WORSHIP

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, COOKHAM
IN THE BENEFICE OF THE COOKHAMS
SERVING AT THE HEART OF THE COMMUNITY

23rd June 2024
Birth of St John the Baptist



Compline

NEXT SUNDAY: Sunday 30th June at 6.30pm
Sung by the Choristers' Mums' Choir
Why not join us for 25 minutes of summer calm?



Available now on YouTube:
[Show me the Way](#)

A celebration of the 90th birthday of a Cookham and national treasure, Wendy Craig. This lovely song, written by Wendy, is sung by our Girls' and Boys' Choir. Take a few moments to relax and enjoy this beautiful piece...



Thank you!

A huge thank you to everyone who braved the rain to come along to the Scout Fair last Saturday. Josh, of Mustard's Miracle Services, sold out of his amazing dog biscuits and... drum roll please... Edna came second in the dog show!

Don't forget to put the **Pet Service** in your diary –
Sunday 6th October at 4.00pm

THANK YOU

We have received a lovely letter from Maria Burgess which she asked us to share with you...

*To the Ministry Team and Congregation,
The truly wonderful and magical people in life do not realise how many hearts and minds they touch. Sometimes they need a gentle reminder to show they are more special than they know.*

You are ALL, without doubt, these wonderful and special people that I have had the great privilege of meeting. Please allow me to express my deepest and most heartfelt gratitude to you all for making me feel so welcomed and accepted at Holy Trinity Church since day one 40 years ago!! It meant the world to me! Your kindness and hand in friendship enabled me to feel so much love, comfort, and happiness that Holy Trinity Church readily became my spiritual home.

As I embark on the next chapter of my life in Devon, I take with me beautiful and very fond memories of you all. You will be sorely missed, but never forgotten. Hopefully this is not a 'goodbye', but 'au revoir'...

May God bless you all with great happiness, good health and everything your hearts desire!

With love and gratitude, Maria Burgess xxx



Cookham Cards

Shirley's beautiful hand embroidered cards will be for sale during coffee after the 11.00am service for the next three weeks. They cost £5.00 each and any donations above this can be Gift Aided. All proceeds will go to the Holy Trinity Church Heating Fund.



Please pray for those who are ill...

Mick Vogel, Chris Harris, Hugh Gallagher, Valerie Hamer, Philip Stacey, Lucy Hull, Sylvia James

Please pray for Josie Godfrey as she is ordained priest on Saturday 29th June at 11.00am by the Bishop of Bardsey. Josie will continue to serve as Assistant Curate and Minor Canon at St Deniol's Cathedral.

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Adopt a Flower Bed

Would you like to adopt one of our flowerbeds in and around the churchyard? You would really help by just doing a little bit of weeding and tiding whenever you have a few moments to spare. If you (and a friend?) would be interested, please speak to Bernadette. **Thank you!**



Enjoy a Musical Evening with Harp and Piano Saturday 13th July at 7.00pm in HTC

Programme includes Beethoven, Bach, Debussy & others. **Tickets £10 for adults. Children free.** There will also be a paying Bar. Tickets are available from the Parish Office or from Cordelia Ashwanden. office@cofe-thecookhams.org.uk / 01628 529661



Typing?

Do you have some time to spare? Would you be able to help with a little bit of typing/data entry? If so, please contact Andra in the Parish Office. **Thank you!**



Volunteers Needed!

We are looking for volunteer barpersons for two concerts in church on **Friday 5 July** and **Saturday 13 July**. In both cases the bar profits will go to the Church Restoration Fund. Please contact Mike Clark if you can help. mike@tapestryoflife.co.uk 07740 027357 / 01628 530047

Cider with Rosie



Cider with Rosie Friday 5th July at 7.30pm Holy Trinity Church

Join us for an evening of mesmerising storytelling... Laurie Lee's much-loved memoir of childhood and awakening in an age of dramatic social change. Brought vividly to life by ARKangel through Spoken Word, Violin, Guitar and Song. **Tickets £12 Children under 16 free** from the Parish Office 01628 529661 or Eventbrite.co.uk There will also be a paying bar.



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