

NOTICES CONTINUED

In church this week –

Monday 11th March	9.00 am 2.00 pm	Little Dragons Clock Service
Wednesday 13th March	9.30 am 10.15 am 11.30 am	Said Eucharist Lent Course U3A Church Visit
Friday 15th March	6.30 pm	JYC and AYC
Saturday 16th March	11.00 am	Stations of the Cross

Lent, Holy Week and Easter 2024

Saturday 16th March – Stations of the Cross – 11 am service lasting about 45 mins – will be outside weather permitting

Sunday 24th March – Palm Sunday 11 am service

Monday 25th March – Compline 7 pm – service lasting approx. 15 - 20 mins

Tuesday 26th March – Compline – 7 pm – service lasting approx. 15 - 20 mins

Wednesday 27th March – Compline – 7 pm – service lasting approx. 15 - 20 mins

28th March – Maundy Thursday service and Watch – starting at 7 pm

29th March - Good Friday service – 2 pm – lasting until 3 pm

31st March – Easter Day – 9.20 am Easter Vigil with new fire followed by 10 am Parish Communion with the blessing of the Easter garden ending with refreshments

Registered Charity Account no. 113231

WELCOME TO ST MARGARET'S CHURCH, IFIELD



[Please join us](#)

Here at St. Margaret's we are delighted to open our church again daily from 8:30 am till 11 am to enable people to use this building individually for private prayer.

Please do look at our website
www.ifieldparish.org
or our group

[St Margaret's Church, Ifield](#)

for more details of our online services, how to join them, and discover how the church is active and at work proclaiming in this community, that in Jesus you are "Loved as you are".

10th March 2024

Mothering Sunday

Services next Sunday:
Lent 5

Parish Communion (9.30 am)
All Age Eucharist (11.00 am)

For our prayers

The Parish: Framfield Close, Friston Walk, Fulmar Close and Galahad Road, Fir Tree Close, Fitchet Close and Fox Close

The Sick: Patients of Langley Green Hospital and Daphne Goodwin, Richard Whitehouse, Pete Barton and Pat Hollis

The Departed:

Year's mind: Ellen Carter, Doreen Gamble, Alice Moon, John Jones, Albert Humphrey, Victor Neal, Mervyn Daniel and Ralph Harris

NOTICES

CAP Easter Egg Appeal. CAP needs your help with donating Easter Eggs, financial donations or baking and helping at their client event on the 23rd of March. Please see the flyer for more details.

If you would like a name added to the prayer list please contact Christine, Jill or Mave. The name will remain on the list for four weeks after which it will be taken off. Please let us know if you would like the name to remain on the prayer list. Thank you.

Lent Courses. The following courses are being offered, and all are welcome to attend:

Biblical Reflections for Lent - a series of reflections and meditations based on readings from the Psalms, Epistles and Gospels, in the Youth Room at the back of the church on Wednesdays from 10.15 to 11.45 am, on 21st & 28th February, and 13th & 20th March.

For more information, please contact Jill Bell on 01293 521699 or by email at reader@ifieldparish.org

Open Door – 1st Wednesday of the month – 10.15 am to 12 pm.

Open Door is an opportunity to meet with others, drink coffee and chat - everyone is welcome whether you come to church or not. Bring your knitting, your dominos, your puzzles but most importantly bring you - a warm welcome awaits!

Easter Team Foodbank Thanks everyone who donated to the last delivery, very much appreciated and I pass on thanks from the warehouse volunteers.

FOR NEXT TIME THURSDAY 19th MARCH

we have been asked for

COFFEE

LONG LIFE MILK

BABY WIPES

and Easter Eggs 🐣

Many thanks

sue@ifieldparish.org

Parish Electoral Roll – Have you been worshipping regularly at St Margaret's Church for six months or more? Are you baptised and aged over 15? If so, you are invited to complete a Parish Electoral Roll form. Being on the Roll does not entail you taking on any additional commitments, however it does help the church show its strength. Representation on the governing bodies of the church depends on the

number on our electoral roll, and is mandatory if you wish to stand for election to the PCC. Joining the roll gives you the right to attend and vote at the APCM (Annual Parochial Church meeting) which will take place in church on Wednesday 17th April 2024 at 7 pm. Electoral roll forms are available via our church website <https://www.ifieldparish.org/electoralroll> or in church, and the deadline for returned forms prior to the APCM is **13th March 2024**, although you can apply at any time throughout the year. Please scan and return them by email to Clare Wilson (PCC Secretary and Parish Electoral Roll Officer) pccsecretary@ifieldparish.org, put them in the box in church, or by post / hand to Ifield Parish Office. NOTE: If you have already joined the Roll at St Margaret's in the last five years, then you don't need to reapply. If you are not sure if you are on the electoral roll, Clare is happy to advise.

Flowers - we are considering a new scheme where people can donate towards the flowers for a particular Sunday in the year (not including the weeks of Lent or Advent) in dedication to a departed family member and/or friend. If you would like to be a part of this scheme please speak to Patricia Upham-Hill. The name of the person can be put on the news sheet on the week of the donation if you would like. If you would like any further information please speak to me or Patricia. Christine

For more information on Save West of Ifield please refer to this website:

www.savewestofield.co.uk

Crawley CAP CAFE Christians against poverty

Opening Tuesday 13th Feb 2024

Crawley CAP Centre
Welcome you to our Cafe
Every Tuesday
10am-12pm

Crawley CAP Centre, Elim Church, Ifield Drive, Crawley RH11 0AQ

 Cuppa Come and join us for coffee, tea and cake will also be available	 Chat A Warm welcome with opportunity to chat	 Alpha We will be offering a short Alpha course. An opportunity to ask questions about what life is all about.	 Paperwork Support We can support to contact creditors to get required paperwork or debt balances needed for Debt appointments
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For more information please contact Centre Manager Rachel Dawson
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