

## THIS SUNDAY 28 JUNE

### The Fourth Sunday of Trinity

Romans 6:12-23; Matthew 10:40-42

Hymn Numbers: 4, 258, 592, 578

### 8AM HOLY COMMUNION

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S

### 10AM HOLY COMMUNION

ST CHRISTOPHER'S

Readings: Zoe Clarke

Intercessions:

### 6PM EVENSONG

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S

1 Samuel 28:3-19; Luke 17:20-37

Readings: John & Jennifer Sugden

## NEXT SUNDAY 5 JULY

### The Fifth Sunday of Trinity

Song of Solomon 2:8-13; Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

Hymn Numbers: 664, 669, 451, 667

### 8AM HOLY COMMUNION

ST CHRISTOPHER'S

### 10AM HOLY COMMUNION

## SUNDAY MORNING FAMILIES & FIRST COMMUNIONS

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S & LIVESTREAM

Readings: Catriona Tremlett

Intercessions: Richard Reincke

Voluntary: Scherzo—Gigout

## WEEK COMMENCING 28TH JUNE

9am Morning Prayer:

Monday | St Bartholomew's

Wednesday | All Saints

There is no mid week Communion



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## PARISH INFORMATION

St Bartholomew's Church is open from 9am to 5pm, Monday - Saturday

St Christopher's Church is open from 10am to 4pm, Tuesday - Friday

Livestreamed services: Link to view and orders of service on the website. [Church at Home](#)

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(open: 9am-3pm Mon/Tues/Thurs, 1-3pm Fri\*)

\*Office hours are subject to change, visit [www.haslemereparish.org/getintouch](http://www.haslemereparish.org/getintouch) for up to date hours

**Pastoral Visitors for June:** Claire Gratton and Lynn Lemar

To request a visit or for any Pastoral matter please contact Rev Chris, Rev Justin or the Parish Office

### Further information:

Please continue to check the website for updated information; [www.haslemereparish.org](http://www.haslemereparish.org)

To receive this news sheet by email contact [office@haslemereparish.org](mailto:office@haslemereparish.org)

### Accessibility:

Both churches have hearing loops. Please switch hearing aids to T-coil.

Both churches have step free access and a wheelchair is available on request.

Large print service orders and hymn books are available—ask a sides person.



## Collect

Gracious Father,  
by the obedience of Jesus  
you brought salvation  
to our wayward world:  
draw us into harmony with your will,  
that we may find all things restored in him,  
our Saviour Jesus Christ.  
Amen.

## Romans 6:12-23;

<sup>12</sup> Therefore, do not let sin exercise dominion in your mortal bodies, to make you obey their passions. <sup>13</sup> No longer present your members to sin as instruments of wickedness, but present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and present your members to God as instruments of righteousness. <sup>14</sup> For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law but under grace.

<sup>15</sup> What then? Should we sin because we are not under law but under grace? By no means! <sup>16</sup> Do you not know that if you present yourselves to anyone as obedient slaves, you are slaves of the one whom you obey, either of sin, which leads to death, or of obedience, which leads to righteousness? <sup>17</sup> But thanks be to God that you, having once been slaves of sin, have become obedient from the heart to the form of teaching to which you were entrusted, <sup>18</sup> and that you, having been set free from sin, have become slaves of righteousness. <sup>19</sup> I am speaking in human terms because of your natural limitations. For just as you once presented your members as slaves to impurity and to greater and greater iniquity, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness for sanctification.

<sup>20</sup> When you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. <sup>21</sup> So what advantage did you then get from the things of which you now are ashamed? The end of those things is death. <sup>22</sup> But now that you have been freed from sin and enslaved to God, the advantage you get is sanctification. The end is eternal life. <sup>23</sup> For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

## Matthew 10:40-42

<sup>40</sup> 'Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. <sup>41</sup> Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet's reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; <sup>42</sup> and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple—truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward.'

## Post Communion Prayer

Eternal God,  
comfort of the afflicted  
and healer of the broken,  
you have fed us  
at the table of life and hope:  
teach us the ways of gentleness and peace,  
that all the world may acknowledge  
the kingdom of your Son Jesus Christ our  
Lord.  
Amen.

## PARISH PRAYERS FOR W/C SUNDAY 28TH JUNE

### A Thought for Sunday: Romans 6:12-23

*Therefore, do not let sin exercise dominion in your mortal bodies, to make you obey their passions. No longer present your members to sin as instruments of wickedness, but present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and present your members to God as instruments of righteousness. For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law but under grace.*

*Even before sin merges the creation story tells us that we are all born in God's image. Theologians have understood this in various ways as being capable of knowing God and possessing the dignity and potential to relate to God. We can display his glorious and benevolent image in our personal and shared behaviours. Others have referred to God's image as our basis of thought, our conscience, being rational, knowing ourselves, yet being self-aware in respect of how we may on the one hand can know ourselves as close to God in holiness, yet on the other hand – feel guilty when we know we are far from him by our behaviours. What we do know for sure is that being made in God's image is no guarantee of eternal perfection.*

### For our Local Ministry Work and Schools

- Almighty God, lead us to make the clear and only choice - to set you as the whole context of our lives. We must be slaves to the most benevolent and good master of all.
- We pray for our government, which is in a disarray of false hopes. Help us Lord to hold our leaders as people like us – striving, yet often failing, with understanding.
- We pray with thanks for those who seek to draw the natural world into our churchyards. We thank you for the Green Team and their recent lovely planting.
- We pray for the friendship and fellowship of St Bartholomew's School, where there was a good presence of the church at the School Fair on Saturday.
- For all those facing challenges and uncertainty in their lives, may the love of Christ be close and present on the most difficult days.

Those unwell or in need of prayer: Carol Skeates and Henry Ward

Rest In Peace: Liz Cook

### Upcoming Life Events:

Tuesday 30th June	St Christopher's	12.30pm	Celebration and Thanksgiving for Liz Cook
Saturday 18th July	St Bartholomew's	12.30pm	Wedding of Freddie Stott & Kate Short
Saturday 18th July	St Bartholomew's	3.30pm	Baptism of Summer Worlidge
Sunday 19th July	St Bartholomew's	12.30pm	Baptism of Martin, Sophie & Rhys Stendela
Sunday 26th July	St Christopher's	12.30pm	Baptism of Katie, Jack, Rose & Oliver Buckley

## PARISH NOTICES

**Solo's Lunch Club– Sunday 5th July 12.30pm, The Coppa Club.** If anyone wishes to come along, please contact Vera Ruane. (07940) 812767. vera@ruane.plus.com

**Link Dedication Service with Bishop Paul-** Thank you to all who attended and gave so generously– including gift aid, we raised £837.50!

### **St Christopher's Altar Frontal**

The newly refurbished altar frontal made especially for St Christopher's is currently out and hanging on the altar and will be for the foreseeable future. If you would like to see it outside of Sunday services, the church is open Tuesday to Friday 10am to 4pm.

### **Many thanks to all who turned out last Saturday to help tidy Derby Road churchyard.**

The tasks carried out were various and numerous. Graves which had been hidden for years were uncovered with some surprising results. A forest of thistles was eliminated, a hydrangea freed from captivity, brambles were tamed in places, the far boundary and the areas on either side of the arbour were strimmed successfully. The memorial garden in the main churchyard was also renovated. So another successful and enjoyable morning was had by all.

### **Talk by Haslemere Fire Brigade– Thursday 9th July, 10.30am at The Link**

During our coffee morning on 9th July, Haslemere Fire brigade will be coming to speak to people about making sure your home is safe. This is a free talk and you will be able to speak to them afterwards about doing a home visit should you wish them to.

### **Summer Jazz– Saturday 11th July, 2.15– 4.30pm at St Catherines Village Hall, Guildford**

Guildford and South Surrey branch of Parkinson's UK welcome back Trad's Army Dixieland Jazz Band. Tickets are £15 if bought before July 1st, £20 after that. Visit [www.eventbrite.com](http://www.eventbrite.com) for tickets

### **Bishop Pauls Gathering– Thursday 16th July. 7.30pm at St Peter and St Pauls Church**

The Rt Revd Paul Davies, Bishop of Dorking and Acting Bishop of Guildford, invites all congregations and clergy in the diocese to join him for an evening to celebrate what God is doing in your local area, to pray, worship and explore our next steps.

### **Link Community Hub Open Day– Sunday 19th July, 12– 4pm at The Link.**

Please join us for a fun afternoon where we invite the wider community to come and have a look around the link. There will be stalls from local groups, activities for the children, live music performances as well as food & refreshments. If you are able to help on the day, please email [Kari-office@haslemereparish.org](mailto:Kari-office@haslemereparish.org)

### **Diocese Vacancy in See Consultation Survey**

As we begin the process of discerning who God may be calling to be our next Bishop of Guildford, we warmly invite you to share your views as part of an important diocesan consultation. You can share your views here: [Vacancy in See - Diocesan Consultation](#). Please note that this survey will close at 8am on 20 July. At the heart of this consultation is a simple but vital aim: to hear from as many people as possible about the life, hopes and future of the Diocese of Guildford. We are consulting widely across the Diocese and every perspective matters. We are keen to ensure that the breadth and richness of our diocesan life is clearly reflected for potential candidates to see. Please do be encouraged to take part in this consultation if you can.

### **Pop-In Coffee Morning and Hearing Champions– next clinic 9th July in The Link**

Our regular Pop-In Coffee Morning reaches out to those who would like a bit of company and a chat. Also if you have a hearing aid, you can have it cleaned and serviced by our Hearing Champions service