



# SUNDAY 30<sup>th</sup> March

## Fourth Sunday of Lent: Mothering Sunday

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### TODAY'S SERVICES

**8AM:** Said Eucharist (Fr Charles) at Church

**10AM:** Sung Eucharist (Rev Sandra) at Church followed by refreshments in the Church hall

**HYMNS:** 222 (i) BBC, 39 BBC, 188 BBC, 238 (i) BBC

**Motet:** The Lord Bless you and keep you – *John Rutter*

**Birthdays:** Kat Shepherd, Wendy Campion, Daphne de Mellow.

### THIS WEEK'S DIARY

#### Monday 31<sup>st</sup> March

**7PM:** Lent Group at Fr Charles' home

#### Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> April

**10AM:** Said Eucharist (Fr Charles) at Church followed by refreshments in the Church hall

**12PM:** Lent Lunch in the Church hall followed by Lent group

#### Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April

**7:30PM:** Present Laughter by Noel Coward in the Church hall

#### Next Sunday (Fifth Sunday of Lent)

**8AM:** Said Eucharist (Fr Charles) at Church

**10AM:** Sung Eucharist (Fr Charles) at Church followed by refreshments in the Church hall

### Gospel Acclamation

Glory and Praise to you, O Christ.

Unless the Lord builds the house

all efforts are in vain.

Glory and Praise to you, O Christ.

**Voluntary:** Nun Danket alle Gott – *Sigrid Karg-Elert*

**Retiring Collection:** The Bishop's Lent Appeal

#### Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April

**10AM:** Parent/Carer & Toddlers Group in the Church hall

**10AM:** Social & Fundraising Committee at 10 Upper Bere Wood, PO7 7HX

**2PM:** Knit & Natter Group in the Church hall

#### Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April

**9:30AM:** St George's Market in the Church hall

**7:30PM:** Present Laughter by Noel Coward in the Church hall

#### Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> April

**12PM:** Memorial Service for Gillian Spurgeon at Church

**7:30PM:** Present Laughter by Noel Coward in the Church hall

#### Readings Next Week

Isaiah 43.16-21

Psalms 126

Philippians 3.4b-14

John 12.1-8

The Works' in Waterloooville have very kindly donated some book markers and stickers for our Sunday school children. These were distributed last Sunday. A Big Thank you to the staff there (and to Candy for telling them about us!)

**Wednesday refreshments** - could we appeal again for some more helpers to join the rota please? If committing once every month is difficult, an offer once every two or three months, would certainly help.. Please speak to June Diaper.

**Flower Show/Display May 16th/17th/18<sup>th</sup>** Anyone interested in joining the group for this event please speak to Sarah Canham or Patricia Byrne, the more the merrier. Anyone who would like to give a donation towards the flowers please speak to Sarah or Patricia.

**Request from Knit & Natter:** Is there a strong male who could put away the tables & chairs at 4pm after the Knit & Natter session on Tuesday 8th April? A payment of £10 can be arranged. If someone can help please see Patricia Byrne.

**St George's Church & Waterloooville Music Festival Polo Shirts and Fleece** If anyone is interested in ordering St George's Church and/or Waterloooville Music Festival polo shirts and fleeces there is a sign up list on the table at the back of church showing colours and sizes. Please let Jane Cook have the money by **Sunday 11th May**.

**Horndean Amateur Theatre** are performing Noël Coward's comedy "Present Laughter" on Thu, Fri and Sat, at 7.30pm in St George's church hall. Tickets are £8 on the door. Please come and support Iain Renfrew and the group in one of Coward's most famous plays.

**Thank you for your giving to St Georges.** It is your donations that allow our church to achieve so much. The church has been awarded a substantial grant towards the cost of repairing the hall kitchen roof and repairs will start in a few weeks. The Parish (us) will still need to raise about £4800 towards those repairs. Please, if you're able to make another contribution specifically towards that bill it would be very much appreciated.

**You are invited to join Richard and Julia Spurgeon and family to celebrate Aunty Gill's life.** A memorial service will be at 12:00 noon on Saturday 5th April followed by refreshments in the hall.

**Janet Brewer** - Malcolm, Sarah and family would like to thank you all at St George's for their help and understanding following the death of Janet. Also thank you to all who participated in and attended the funeral service which was so special to us and made us realise even more how much Janet was loved. All donations made are fully appreciated. However, donations can still be made if anyone wishes to do so on <https://janetbrewer.muchloved.com/>

**APCM Report** - this will be available on the Church website from this Sunday to read or download. Please print your copy if at all possible to keep costs down. There is a sign up sheet at the back of church if you are unable to print and would like a hard copy. Jane Cook

### Remembering Those Who Need Our Prayers This Week

Rosemary Turner, Katie Gibb, Kat Emery, Kevin Emmons, Margaret Deal, Fr Ray, Rachael Hasker, Alice Pitney, Sue Hodgins, Catherine, Liz Brewer, Inara Nijkar, Fr Colin and Mei Feng.

We Remember **Gillian Spurgeon** and **Bill Wycherley** who died recently and **Violet Brown, Daisy Mitchell and Betty Herbert** whose anniversary falls at this time.

