

PRAYERS

We thank you Lord for the safe return of Rev Liz and Doug from their holidays. We pray that Debbie and her family will have a good break in Devon.

We pray for all those living in poverty here in the UK and beyond. We also pray for those suffering racial and other abuse and that those perpetrating the abuse see that all humans should be treated with respect and help them find the support they need. Every life is worth our care.

We pray for Scott Broadwood School who finished for the summer last Friday. We particularly ask for your prayers for all the teachers and year 2 who have been asked to self-isolate as their teaching assistant has sadly tested positive for Covid.

We pray for all those throughout the world who are suffering from Coronavirus, both short and long. Dear Lord, please be with them in their time of need; let them feel your love and help all those that work so tirelessly to care for them. May all countries have access to the much needed vaccine. We thank the scientists for their contribution to our welfare.

In this country we ask that people learn to respect and protect all those around them by continuing to wear masks and observe social distancing whenever in a crowded or enclosed place even if it will no longer be obligatory.

Heavenly Father, we lift up all those who are facing illness today. Give them the hope and courage they need today and every day. Comfort their pain, calm their fears, and surround them with Your peace. We particularly pray for **Nick Ward, Jennifer Morhead, Eileen, Sally Calvert, Nicky, Sandy, Beryl, Win, Clare, Elizabeth, Finley Relf, Julz, John Dendy, Paul Tucker, Peter Fairbrother, Spencer Thorpe, Claire Boothby, Bob Cranham, Margaret Dale, Tony Smith, Alison, Victor Steeden and Alan Tottman.**

We pray for the families of those who have recently passed away, particularly **David Collinson, David Markham, Jennifer Nicholls, Tony Judge, Berniss (Bernie) Osborne and Douglas James.**

Dear Lord, draw near to those who are facing times of sadness or loss, embrace them with your love, and bring them solace in their hour of need.

We welcome Caroline and Wayne Statford who brought their son Theo to be baptised on Saturday along with his godparents, family and friends

Online Services: Will continue to be produced each Sunday. These can be accessed via our website: www.capelandockleychurch.org.uk

Capel Saturday Market: The next Capel market will be 31 July outside the Crown 8.30-11.30
Capel Blues Festival 27-29 August at The Crown. Tickets available from Capel Box Office (www.capelboxoffice.co.uk).

Sponsored walk 12 September pm starting from the Four Wents Pond car park. Come and walk the 3mile loop around Holmwood Common and raise some money for our churches.

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Parish of Capel and Ockley

Sunday 18 July 2021
Seventh Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to your church



Sunday 18 July Trinity 7

9.30am Family Communion Ockley

10.30am Family Communion Capel

Patchworking Garden in Pixham Lane is holding an open day 10-4 today to showcase the work they do to help those with mental health issues. Much to see and do including the chance for tea and cake!

Sunday 25 July Trinity 8

9.30am Matins BCP Ockley

10.30am Morning Worship Capel

Tuesday 27 July

2.30pm Service of thanksgiving for Douglas James

Sunday 1 August Trinity 9

9.30am Matins BCP Ockley

10.30am Family Communion Capel

'Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms.'

1 Peter 4:10

Please observe the following guidelines whilst in church:

1. Only 2 people to sit in each pew that is open (or one household and if room a single person). Every other pew will be cordoned off.
2. Hand sanitiser which will be by the door to be used when you enter and leave. Masks must be worn unless you have an exemption.
3. At Capel the toilet will be open and disinfectant available for you to wipe all surfaces after it has been used.
4. Unfortunately, we cannot sing hymns but there will be music from our organists, choir, musicians, and some recorded music as appropriate
5. The services will be on a sheet given to you when you enter the church along with the weekly sheet, please take these home with you.
6. No collection will be taken but donations can be left on the plate. OR for those who have a smart phone, an alternative way to give is to download the Givt app and use that to donate instead of cash.
7. Holy communion is given in one kind (wafer) and all necessary hygiene precautions are taken.

For all Services & Events

<https://www.capelandockleychurch.org.uk/events-calendar/>