



*Welcome to*  
**The Parish Church of  
St Peter & St Paul,  
Rustington**  
**9th January 2022**  
**Baptism of Christ**

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**8.30am Holy Communion** (Traditional language)  
*President Rev Natalie Loveless, Preacher Rev James Spanner*

**10.00am Sung Eucharist**  
*President & Preacher Rev James Spanner*  
*Readings: Isaiah 43.1-7, Luke 3.15-17,21-22*

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*Collect*

Eternal Father,  
who at the baptism of Jesus  
revealed him to be your Son,  
anointing him with the Holy Spirit:  
grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit,  
that we may be faithful to our calling as your adopted  
children;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

*Post*  
*Communion*

Lord of all time and eternity,  
you opened the heavens and revealed yourself as Father  
in the baptism of Jesus your beloved Son:  
by the power of your Spirit  
complete the heavenly work of our rebirth  
through the waters of the new creation;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**\*\*WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK\*\***

- Sunday 9th Jan. 4.00pm First Communion**
- Mon. 10th Jan. 9.30am Parish Prayer Time in the Church**
- Tues. 11th Jan 12.30pm Noah's Ark**
- Tues. 11th Jan 4.30pm Bolders (formerly Chatterbooks)**
- Weds. 12th Jan. 8.30am-10.00am Pantry - (Church Hall)**
- Weds. 12th Jan. 10am-12.15pm Coffee break (Church Hall)**
- Weds 12th Jan. 11.00am Holy Communion**  
*President Rev. Natalie Loveless, Preacher Rev. Laura Darrall*  
*Readings: 1 Samuel 3.1-10, 19-20, Psalm 40.1-4, 7-10,*  
*Mark 1.29-39*
- Weds 12th Jan. 7.30pm WAFFLE – Church Hall**
- Fri 14th Jan. 2.30pm Abbots Home Group - James 5:12-20**  
"Making others whole"
- Fri 14th Jan. 7.00pm Choir Practice**
- Sunday 16th Jan. 8.30am Holy Communion**  
*President Rev. Natalie Loveless, Preacher Rev. Laura Darrall*
- Sunday 16th Jan. 10.00am Sung Eucharist**  
*President Rev. Natalie Loveless & Rev Laura Darrall, Preacher*  
*Rev. Laura Darrall*  
*Readings: Isaiah 62.1-5, John 2.1-11*
- Sunday 16th Jan 3.00pm Families Afternoon (In Church)**
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**R.I.P:** Shirley Jackson, Ken Davies (21/12/2021), Raymond Peters (19/12/2021)

**Funeral Service for Shirley Jackson** at 2pm on 12th January at St Peter & St Paul Rustington

**Funeral Service for Raymond Peters** at 1.30pm on 12th January at Worthing Crematorium Muntham Chapel.

**Private Prayer:** The church will open for private prayer on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday between 10.30am – 12 noon.

**Morning Prayer:** 9.00am Morning Prayer – Monday, Wednesday, Friday changes to Monday, Wednesday, Thursday from January. Wednesday also on Zoom.

**Parish Prayer Time (PPT)** will meet in the Church on Monday mornings at 9.30am, (following Morning Prayer). Parish Prayer Time lasts about 40 mins and usually starts with a shared scripture passage or words of encouragement to lead us into prayer for the Parish, the world and individuals who have requested our prayers.

**Please remember in your prayers:** Jake Watkins, Janet Hutchings, Colin Thornton, Jenny Silver, Natalie Reynolds, Juliet, Diana Holbourn, Luke Smith, Claire Hart.

**Year's Mind:** Clive Green (11/01/12), Jane Stickells (12/01/21)  
Joseph Abbot (13/01/03), Doris Fry (14/01/00), Peggy Awati (14/01/17)

**Footsteps:** All are all welcome to join for the January walk, meeting at the bottom of Sea Lane, Rustington at **10.20 for a 10.30 start on Saturday 8th January** for a walk along the coast to the bluebird Cafe in Ferring.

**WAFFLE** (Women about Friendship Fun Laughter and Entertainment) will meet in the church hall at 7.30 pm on Wednesday 12th January, when Jan Bryant from Waterstone will talk to us about “Being a Bookworm (and the books we grew up loving)”. All women welcome. £3 to include refreshments.

**Family Afternoon.** All are welcome for our next Family Afternoon on **Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> January, 2.45 for a 3-4pm** in the church, sessions of crafts, songs and worship, with an interactive teaching communion to boot!

**First Communion:** Our first of six sessions will be held in church this **Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> at 4pm**, so do get in touch if any children you know would like to join. Information on leaflets at the rear of the Church

**The Pantry:** Our Pantry was busy over Christmas and well stocked thanks for your kind donations. If you are thinking of helping our families, we are running short of cereals, tea, sugar, rice, and biscuits. Thank you so much for your continued support. *Charlie Sims*

**Home Groups:** Home Groups: All are welcome to join a home group, please contact Laura for more information.

**The Marriage Course:** Starts on Monday 7 Feb 2022, for seven sessions, two Monday evening and five Wednesday evenings. Each session is 2.5 hrs long and runs from 7pm to 9.30pm. The sessions are both online and in-person at St Margaret's Church Hall in Angmering. The course is aimed at those couples who are in a relationship, been married for decades, about to get married, or just started a relationship. The course is about getting tips and advice on what is the best nourishment you can give your relationship. The videos and the course are from Niky & Cilia Lee, from a church, HTB, in London. Really, it's about celebrating you and your partner and if not then learning how to do that. You can book on to the course by contacting St Margaret's Church office on **01903 784459**

This week the notice sheet is sponsored by David Stickells

*In Loving Memory of, Jane Elizabeth Stickells  
Devoted Wife, Mother and Grandmother  
Who sadly passed away 12 January 2021 after a long battle with cancer.  
Her memory lives on and will never fade*

If you would like to sponsor the news sheet to remember a loved one or celebrate a special event, please contact the church office.

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