Welcome to Shirley Parish

Christ the King, St James the Great and St John the Divine

This week: 15th – 21st April



In the building:

Sat 17th 10am – 4pm St James building open for Private Prayer Wed 21st 10am – 4pm St James building open for Private Prayer

At home:

Thurs 15th Midweek Reflection on YouTube Sat 17th 9:00am Parish Prayers on Zoom

Sun 18th 10:00am (suggested time): Morning Worship

10:45-11:30am: Virtual Coffee on Zoom

Tues 20th 7:00pm Healing service on Zoom

You can find the videos for the services on the Shirley Parish YouTube channel. Alternatively, you can listen by using the telephone number 0121 270 9089. On the phone will be: Midweek Reflection from Thursday; Sunday service from Sunday.

To join Zoom events, just use this link https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4904334906. If you are not on the internet, you can still join us on the phone by calling 0203 695 0088. When asked, type the meeting id 4904 334 906, then # then #.

Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh

The Church of England has issued this prayer which you might like to use:

God of our lives, we give thanks for the life of Prince Philip, for his love of our country, and for his devotion to duty.

We entrust him now to your love and mercy, through our Redeemer Jesus Christ. Amen

The St James building will be open on Sat 17th from 10 – 4 if you wish to pray on the day of the Prince's funeral. The Church of England have advised us not to have a condolence book in church, but there is an online book of condolence which you can access by <u>clicking here</u>. If you do not have access to the internet then the Parish Office will be pleased to submit an entry for you – just give them a ring on 745 8896.

Coming Up......

Bingo – Tuesday 20th April at 2pm. Contact Sarah for a card (681 1525).

Nordic Walking - Wed 21st April at 10am. Contact Sarah (681 1525) for details

St James Churchyard - A small group assembles on Thursdays between 10 am and noon to help keep the churchyard tidy. Please help if you can. We could do with more help with mowing. We have two acres of land and very few able to cut the grass. Contact Kate 07562 664163 or 0121 258 2956

Messy Church at Home – As a mark of respect, this has been moved to Sat 24th April

Worship in the building – we plan to restart services in St James on Sunday 2nd May and midweek on Thursday 6th May. Both will start at 10:30am. More information about the procedure for booking and details of the new service pattern next week.

Parish Notices

Food Bank: tinned fruit, long life orange juice & dried milk, but no pasta or cereals!

ADAVU: Sarah Penfold is happy to receive all basic toiletries.

NARTHEX: no donations are being accepted for the time being, thanks.

For Prayer

The Royal Family, The departed and those who mourn them

Years Mind: Irene Humphries, Henry Edward Harrison, Beatrice Ayles, Canon Bill Dunbar, Jean Miller, Gladys Steele, Evelyn Matthews, Marjorie Wood, Tom Gailey, Gladys Tetley

Keeping in touch....

Next week's Pewslip

CONCISE items (max 3 sentences) to Parish Office by 9am on Monday please. Longer articles to shirleyparishmagazine@gmail.com by 12th of the month.

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