



Sunday 2nd August 2026
Trinity nine

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Collect	Almighty God, to whose glory we celebrate the dedication of this house of prayer: we praise you for the many blessings you have given to those who worship you here: and we pray that all who seek you in this place may find you, and, being filled with the Holy Spirit, may become a living temple acceptable to you; 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	Father in heaven, whose Church on earth is a sign of your heavenly peace, an image of the new and eternal Jerusalem: grant to us in the days of our pilgrimage

	that, fed with the living bread of heaven, and united in the body of your Son, we may be the temple of your presence, the place of your glory on earth, and a sign of your peace in the world; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
*** What's on ***	
Tuesday 4th August	<i>1.15-2.15 pm Miss you group (church)</i> <i>7.00 pm PCC (church)</i>
Wednesday 5th August	<i>10.00 am Coffee Break (church hall)</i> <i>11.00 am Holy Communion</i> <i>President and preacher: Rev Natalie Bawcutt</i> <i>Jeremiah 31:1-7, Psalm 121, Matthew 15:21-28</i> <i>3.00 pm Café church (church)</i> <i>4.00-6.00 pm Pantry (church hall)</i>
Thursday 6th August	<i>10.30 – 12.00 noon Holiday gathering (church)</i>
Friday 7th August	<i>7.00 pm choir practice</i>
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Morning Prayer: 9.00 am Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday. (Not on Bank Holidays)

There will be no morning prayer the week beginning 10th August, or on the 31st August as this is a Bank Holiday.

Private Prayer: The church will open for private prayer on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week between 10.30 am – 12.00 noon.

Parish Prayer Time (PPT) will meet in the Church on Monday mornings at 9.30 am, (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: Tracy Howman, Rosemary Colwell, Isla, Anne Springham, Keith Worrall, Penny Godwin, Anna Waterman, Peter Watson.

If you wish a name to be included, please let Natalie in the office know. The list will be refreshed again soon.

RIP: Ann Mathias, John Harding

John Harding died peacefully in his sleep on Friday 17th July. His funeral will be in church on Friday 7th August at 11.00 am. His family would love you to come if you can; there will be refreshments served after.

Years Mind: Harry Wheatley (2011), Peter Reynolds (2011), Norman Giles (2022), Gwyneth Watters (2025).

A notice about notices! A reminder, please, that any notices you wish to have put in the weekly notice sheet, should be sent to sarahlouisegc@gmail.com and no later than Wednesday evening of that week. Thank you!

Thank you to all of you who came to the BBQ last Sunday. Food and fellowship was enjoyed by all! We raised £470.00.

Social & Fundraising Group

Confirmation: I will be presenting candidates who missed the confirmation here recently to Bishop Ruth at St Andrew's, West Tarring on Wednesday 23rd September at 7.00 pm. If you are interested in baptism and/or confirmation, have a chat to me and if you want to go ahead we will get you prepared!

Rev Natalie

Time to switch! Please fill in the online form as we move all our contacts to ChurchSuite. If you have any problems please do ask and we can help you. www.rustingtonparish.church/switch

And have a look at our new website:

www.rustingtonparish.church

A huge thank you to the team who have worked on this.



Pantry: A rather warm pantry session this week which was a little quieter than usual. People were able to enjoy a coffee and croissant in the hall where we also welcomed Breakeven. It was lovely to see some mums and children from Georgian Gardens this morning visiting us during the holidays. As always we are short of some items, which, if you were able to do so we would be grateful for donations of milk, rice pudding, tinned fruit, custard and teabags. As ever, thank you for your support and prayers.

The Pantry Team

WAFFLE – our August WAFFLE meeting on 12th August will be a coffee morning at the Establo lounge, Ash Lane, 10.00-11.30 am, upstairs. We have booked a large table; all women are welcome. Please come and join us for some fellowship and a chat. Our normal meeting in the church hall recommences on Wednesday September 9th at 7.00 pm, with our speaker talking about his trek across the Sahara desert,

“Hope Blooms Here.” An advance date for your diary. This is a Children's Society initiative in conjunction with Fothergills Seeds. We will be having a plant and bake sale to raise funds for TCS at Church coffee on Sunday 20th September. More details nearer the time.

Julie and Dot

Eco - So, you're putting unwanted cardboard boxes from your online deliveries in your **recycling bin** and the empty shampoo bottle and aerosol deodorant but did you know that you can now recycle empty toothpaste tubes? Try to squeeze out as much of the paste as you can, put the lid back on and pop into your recycling bin.

Metal and plastic biscuit and sweet tins, the kind we tend to buy at Christmas, can also go in there along with black plastic pots, tubs and trays which were previously not recyclable.

Empty foil-based blister packs are welcome but not the plastic-based ones. You can also put empty bottles with a trigger spray or pump activator into your home recycling bin, you no longer have to put the trigger or pump into the general waste.

The technology and machinery is being improved all the time allowing us to recycle an increasing number of items that we couldn't in the past. If you'd like a searchable A-Z list of items and how to recycle them go to [WestSussex.gov.uk/recycling](https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/recycling) website for more information.

Karen Ingnoli (Eco-group)

Generosity A huge thank you to everyone who supports the church by using the Parish Giving Scheme (PGS); it relieves the finance team of a lot of work claiming back the gift aid and ensures the church has a regular income for all its vital work and daily expenses. If you would like to give to the church regularly, details of the **Parish Giving Scheme** which enables the church to budget for the future are below: Ring PGS confidentially on 0333 002 1271 or go to <https://www.parishgiving.org.uk/home/> to activate regular giving. There are also forms at the back of the church or ask in the office for further information. Our parish code is 101010024.



“Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share. In this way they will lay up treasure for themselves as a firm foundation for the coming age, so that they may take hold of the life that is truly life.” 1 Timothy 6:18-19

Mission Matters

Update- Ebola, health and challenges

Please pray for Nicci Maxwell in South Sudan - (more details in her weekly blog niccimaxwell.wordpress.com)

- * for Nicci's health
- * for the medics dealing with Ebola which is 300km from Juba
- * for the many challenges in the hospital and for patients and families due to price inflation to afford basic necessities and medical treatments.

Please continue to encourage Nicci and pray for the tense political situation in South Sudan. If you would like to donate personally to some of the basic needs in the hospital, you can send money to Nicci via Links, a registered Christian charity based in Littlehampton, that enables gifts to be sent directly to Nicci to be used according to needs at her discretion.

Search for www.links.charity

Using Links (Act 4 You) (Project), gifts can be made to the account 'Supporting Child Health in South Sudan', account number 3209

If you have any problems you can contact Links for assistance by phone 01903 778515 or hello@links.charity

The notice sheet this week is sponsored by June Barfield.

***"In memory of my loving husband Stanley.
We would have been married 74 years
today (2nd August)."***

If you would like to sponsor the Church Notice sheet, to remember or recognise a special event or anniversary please contact the church office.

If you would like to sponsor the seven-day candle that is in the chancel next to the Reserved Sacrament, in memory of someone, or for a special event or anniversary, please contact the Church office.

Material for **Sunday 9th August 2026** should reach the church office by **10.00 am Wednesday 5th August 2026** and be sent to sarahlouisegc@gmail.com

St. Peter & St. Paul Church

SUMMER Gatherings

ALL WELCOME

Enjoy quality time together with friends and family
every Thursday during the Summer holidays.



MEET FRIENDS

Over tea, coffee,
cake and biscuits



BRING YOUR KNITTING



DO A JIGSAW



PLAY BOARD GAMES



DO A CRAFT



EVERY THURSDAY

from

30TH JULY

to

27TH AUGUST



10:30AM - 12 NOON

IN CHURCH

It's Free!

Come along and enjoy!



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& St Paul
RUSTINGTON

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