

Today's Services (Sunday 14th January)

Lectionary Readings: Rev 5:1-10 John 1:43-51

St Peter & St Paul, Headcorn 10:00am – Holy Communion - Fiona

St Mary's, Sutton Valence 10:00am – Holy Communion – David

St Peter & St Paul, East Sutton 8:00am – Holy Communion - Fiona

St Michael's, Chart Sutton No Service

Wednesday 17th January

St Peter & St Paul, Headcorn 9.30am – Holy Communion – Fiona

#HelpInHeadcorn

If you are aware of anyone within the village who is struggling, please tell them about this resource and reassure them that all applications are dealt with in the strictest confidence.

Next Week's Services (Sunday 21st January)

St Peter & St Paul, Headcorn 8:00am – Holy Communion - Fiona 10:00 am – Holy Communion – Leslie Hardy

St Mary's, Sutton Valence 10:00am – Holy Communion – Fiona

St Peter & St Paul, East Sutton 11:30am – Third Sunday Special - Fiona

St Michael's, Chart Sutton 6:00pm – Evensong – Fiona



Those who are unwell:

Don Burniston, Stephanie Pereira, Hazel Pope, Bob & Anne Chance, Roger Ferguson, Kath Moore, Peter Styles, Peter Malby, Wendy Malby, Suzanne Norman, Hilda Brown

Recently Departed

Jean Cooper, Eileen Knowler, Victor Wellard, Lesley Jones, Shirley Edmonds

Praying for the community: All those living in:

Bank Fields - Headcorn School Lane - Sutton Valence Court Broomes - East Sutton Rectory Lane - Chart Sutton

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Foodbank

The Salvation Army Foodbank Centre in Maidstone have asked us to pass on their very sincere thanks for all the food, toiletries and other essentials that folk from this benefice have donated over the past year. They are extremely grateful and have said that without our generosity they would struggle to be able to help all those who come to them in need.

However, they continue to need our help and would be very grateful for donations of the following items:

Tinned meat, pasta, tinned fruit/ veg/ beans, rice, pasta sauce, long-life milk, apple/ orange juice cartons, crisps, cereal/ cereal bars, toilet rolls, jams and spreads, tin openers, toiletries – toothpaste, soap, male/female deodorants, shampoo, conditioners (no razors)

Donations may be bought to any of the Benefice churches on a Sunday or left in the box at Headcorn Church throughout the week.

Thank you

St Mary's Sutton Valance - Hymnbooks-

The PCC has decided that it finds the present hymnbook, *Hymns of Glory, Songs of Praise*, unsatisfactory for a number of reasons and has decided to replace it with the latest edition of Hymns Ancient & Modern. Would you be prepared to cover the cost of a hymnbook (or two), perhaps in memory of a loved one? The cost is £13 words only, £24 large print, or £35 full music. Please speak to Gover or Fiona if you are interested.

Reverends Revenge Quiz Night!! Saturday 24th February 2024 Headcorn Village Hall

Tickets will be on sale from the first week of January and are available from Sweet William Florist or Headcorn Hardware. Tickets are £5 per person. 6 people per team - 7:15pm - 7:30pm start

Church Cleaners - Help Required

St Peter & St Paul- Headcorn Since Covid it has fallen to a couple of people to take on the work of cleaning the Church, but we are now looking for volunteers to build a rota, to share the task. If you feel you could help, please contact Steve Morrison 01622 892138



The Benefice of

Headcorn & the Suttons

"Following Christ Together"

A warm welcome to everyone

Notices and events for Week Commencing 14th January



The Second Sunday of Epiphany

Collect

Eternal Lord, our beginning and our end: bring us with the whole creation to your glory, hidden through past ages and made known in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion Prayer

God of glory, you nourish us with your Word who is the bread of life: fill us with your Holy Spirit that through us the light of your glory may shine in all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord

Introduction to the Peace

God will speak peace to his people, To those who turn to him in their hearts. The peace of the Lord be always with you.