



### **Today's Services (Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> September)**

#### ***Readings***

Philippians 2:1-13

Matthew 21: 23-32

#### **St Peter & St Paul, Headcorn**

10:00am – Holy Communion – Rev. John Sykes

#### **St Mary's, Sutton Valence**

10:00am – Holy Communion – Canon David Trustram

#### **St Peter & St Paul, East Sutton**

6:00pm – Harvest Service – Mrs Julia Ireland & Mrs Nonnie Worsfold

#### **St Michael's, Chart Sutton**

No Service

### **Wednesday 7th October**

St Peter & St Paul – Headcorn

9:30am – Holy Communion

#### **Licensing Service for Russell Anderson**

**Canterbury Cathedral TODAY at 5.30 pm**

**It would be good to support Russell at this service. There will be a group going by train, catching the 2.38 pm from Headcorn. This will allow plenty of time to get up to the Cathedral and perhaps some refreshment beforehand. Everyone is welcome to come along and help celebrate this important event for Russell.**

#### **Harvest Festival food collection.**

Next Sunday, 4<sup>th</sup> October during the service at Headcorn we will be collecting donations of food. Donated food will be shared between the Heart of Headcorn food hub and Maidstone Homeless care, helping to support people and families in our community.

Thank you!

### **Next Week's Services** **(Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October)**

#### **St Peter & St Paul, Headcorn**

10:00am – Harvest Festival - Team

#### **St Mary's, Sutton Valence**

10:00am – Holy Communion – Rev Diana Bourne

#### **St Peter & St Paul, East Sutton**

No Service

#### **St Michael's, Chart Sutton**

6:00pm – Evensong for Harvest – Mr John Mulrenan



#### **Please Pray for:**

#### ***Those who are unwell:***

Stephanie Pereira, Hazel Pope, Anne Chance, Kath Moore, Hilda Brown, Patricia Wilkinson, Paul Cobb, Molly Jackson, Jennifer Anderson, Layla Saunders

#### ***Recently Departed***

Janet Bunker, Irene Morris

#### ***Praying for the community:***

All those living in:

Spitfire Close - Headcorn

Haven Close - Sutton Valence

Pleasure House Lane - East Sutton

Marsham Crescent - Chart Sutton

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or [www.handschurches.org](http://www.handschurches.org)**

**Apple day – Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> October  
10:30am – 1:00pm St Peter & St Paul  
Church Headcorn – can you help?**

We're looking for Home grown produce,  
Cakes and bakes, Apple themed goods,  
preserves & pies. Also volunteers on the day  
to help with stalls, activities and setting up.  
Please speak to Jackie at Headcorn or email  
[secretary@handschurches.org](mailto:secretary@handschurches.org)

**Quora – Acappella Quartet  
Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> October  
St Peter & St Paul Headcorn**

6:30 for a 7:00pm start.

Join us for an evening of music and  
entertainment with Quora, the much-loved  
musical foursome. Their repertoire ranges  
from madrigals through to popular songs  
from the twentieth century Bar available all  
evening. Tickets are now available from

Sweet William or via email at  
[secretary@handschurches.org](mailto:secretary@handschurches.org).

**Quiz Night – in aid of St Mary's  
Sutton Valence**

**Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October - Sutton Valence  
Village Hall – 6:45pm for a 7:00pm start**

Tables of 6 – 8 people. £7.50 per person.

Bring your own drinks & snacks

To reserve a table, please contact Eve on  
07530 839338 or email  
[eve.poulter20@gmail.com](mailto:eve.poulter20@gmail.com)

**St Peter & St Paul Headcorn – Christmas  
Trees in the Churchyard**

Sponsor a tree in the Churchyard and help  
create a festive display for the whole  
community to enjoy. Trees are £50 to  
sponsor, and this includes lights and  
batteries.

Trees can be sponsored by families, local  
businesses, clubs, groups or organisations.

Email [secretary@handschurches.org](mailto:secretary@handschurches.org) to  
register your interest. Trees are allocated on  
a first come first serve basis.



**The Benefice of  
Headcorn & the Suttons**

***"Following Christ Together"***

**A warm welcome to everyone**

**Notices and events for  
Week Commencing  
27th September 2026**



**Trinity 17**

***Collect***

Gracious God,  
you call us to fullness of life:  
deliver us from unbelief  
and banish our anxieties  
with the liberating love 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.

***Post Communion Prayer***

Lord, we pray that your grace  
may always precede and follow us,  
and make us continually to be given to all good  
works;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord