

Sunday 19th July 2020 – 6th Sunday after Trinity – Proper 11

WELCOME TO THE UNITED BENEFICE OF ST NICHOLAS GODSTONE,
ST STEPHEN SOUTH GODSTONE AND ST JOHN BLINDLEY HEATH



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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

NOTICES

PRAYER LIST

St Nicholas – Daphne Hughes, David Collins, Archie Butler, Arthur Bass' Louisa West, David Butler.

St Stephens – Claire McFetridge, Daniel McFetridge, Gemma, Jo Peacock, Daphne Hodge, Carolyn Jones **St John's** - Hugh Hunter, Janie Reed, Basil McFarland, Nicky Tredennick, Daphne Faulkner. The Benefice link with Rutendo in Zimbabwe

PLEASE HOLD IN YOUR PRAYER, THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:-

We feel it is time to re start our **FOODBANK COLLECTIONS**. The Redhill Foodbank has seen a massive increase in need. Pre-covid it was helping about **35** individuals or families a week. It is currently helping closer to **100 with 52** clients on their busiest day! Low income families and older people have been hit particularly hard.

Rather than bringing your donations to St Nicholas Church could you leave them at the **Rectory, (17 Ivy Mill Lane)**. If no-one's at home, please leave them on the doorstep. Peter will then take them to St Matthew's, Redhill.

An up to date list of foodstuffs currently in short supply can be found here:
<https://www.redhillfoodbank.org.uk/shopping-list>
YOU HAVE BEEN VERY GENEROUS IN THE PAST. THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR GENEROSITY IN THESE VERY DIFFICULT TIMES.

As you will know we have recently received detailed guidance that allow us to hold a public service! We will have a 10.30 am service each Sunday, which will initially rotate round our three churches.

THIS SUNDAY 19TH JULY 2020 a communion service will be held at **ST JOHN'S CHURCH, BLINDLEY HEATH** at 10.30 am. This will be the first time at St John's since March.

(There will be the required social distancing at the church)

The live stream service on Facebook WILL continue, at the 9.30 am.

Godstone August Bank Holiday Fete & Donkey Derby has had to be cancelled for this year unfortunately, but ideas are being discussed as to how we maybe could have a weekend of events later in the year, to raise much needed funds for charities of the village, as soon as the Government gives permission for such gatherings to be allowed.

CAFÉ CONNECT – we hope to restart this in August but only in the car park and tables 2 metres apart unless the government states anything different. This will be confirmed nearer the time.

All enquiries concerning Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals, Home Visits and Home Communion to:

Revd Peter O'Connell (contact details above)

Items for this news sheet to Philippa March email benefice@godstone.net
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