

# Welcome to St Margaret's

*Our purpose is to know and share God's transforming love with one another, our local community and the wider world.*



**23<sup>rd</sup> April 2023**

## **23<sup>rd</sup> April 2023 (APCM)**

**8am BCP Communion** – on line

**10am Morning Worship** including

*Annual Parochial Church Mtg*

**Readings:** with pew bible pages

*Acts 2: 14a, 36-41 (p.1032)*

*1 Peter 1: 17-23 (p.1151)*

**Music:** Band

**Junior Church in Orchard**

## **30<sup>th</sup> April (6<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Easter)**

**8am BCP Communion** – on line

**10am Morning Prayer**

**Readings:**

*1 Peter 1: 3-8*

*John 20: 19-end*

**Music:** Organ

**Junior Church in Orchard**

## **ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING**

Today is our Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) as part of the morning worship at 10am. We will be electing churchwardens, Parochial Church Council members and Deanery Synod representatives for the following 12 months. Do join us in our worship, review of what we did in the past year and hear some of our plans for the future.

### **QR CODE FOR DONATIONS**

If you'd like to donate to St Margaret's please use our QR code.



## **HELP!**

### **LOVEWORKS FOODBANK**

..are desperate for donations. These can be left either in Church when open (red box inside the main door) or at the Rugby Club on Thursdays 11am-1pm.

They reported to us this week that they are really struggling - demand increasing and donations down – their shelves are nearly empty! They are desperate for:

- UHT milk
- Tinned fruit
- Tinned veg
- Cereal
- Smash
- Tinned custard or rice pudding
- Instant snacks (noodles, cuppa soup, pasta in a mug etc)
- Tinned meat (not those pies as they cost too much to cook)

Thank you for your continued support in these really difficult times.

### **MONTHLY WALKING GROUP**

Eve reports that the first walk with a group of 8 was very enjoyable, despite the light drizzle of rain which did not dampen our spirits! We shall meet up for our next walk on 5th May (we plan to see bluebells). Our starting point is the lych gate (St. Margaret's) at 10.30. See you then. For more details: 01737 557136 or [eve\\_and\\_ian@hotmail.com](mailto:eve_and_ian@hotmail.com)

### **PARISH OFFICE**

Is open every Wednesday in term time (19<sup>th</sup> April to 24<sup>th</sup> May) from 10am - 1pm.

**CHRISTIAN AID FUNDRAISER  
TREASURE HUNT & HOT SUPPER**

**SATURDAY 13TH MAY 6-9pm  
THE ORCHARD, ST MARGARET'S**

**FUN FOR ALL THE FAMILY!**

**PUDDING COMPETITION!**

**PRIZES TO BE WON!**

Please email Claire for more details

[ClaireEMills@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:ClaireEMills@yahoo.co.uk)

Greg and Claire Mills are planning a family friendly treasure hunt with clues to be found around Chipstead Village. The Treasure Hunt itself can be completed any time during May but will culminate in an evening in The Orchard for answers, a hot supper and prizes awarded!

The Treasure Hunt will be available as 'pack' to download or collect from late April onwards to be completed by (or on) Saturday 13th May.

A hot supper will be served in the evening in The Orchard on 13th May with a chance to mark answers, give out prizes and enter a PUDDING COMPETITION!!

Monies raised will be via donation. You are welcome to take part in the Treasure Hunt only OR just come to the Supper evening, but ideally you would do both.

**REGULAR YOUNGSTERS' EVENTS**

**Contact Josh Askwith for details**

**Wednesday Youth Drop-In (11-18 years).**

Wednesdays in term time from 3:15-5:15pm we run an after-school space for young people in the Orchard.

**Maggie's Song: 9.30 – 11.15am**

Every Friday in term time a music and movement group for under 5's and parents/carers with play time for children and coffee for adults. For more details contact Elaine Cheng-Whitehead on [elaine.chengwhitehead@btinternet.com](mailto:elaine.chengwhitehead@btinternet.com).

**Bubbles (3-5 years)**

**Junior Church (6-11 years)**

**Ignite (12-14 years)**

Most Sunday morning at 10am our children and young people meet in the Orchard to play games and dig a little deeper into areas of life and faith.

**Youth (14-18 years old)**

Our 14 to 18-year-old youth meet for fun, food and fellowship one evening a month from 6.30-8.30pm. Contact Josh Askwith for date details [youth@smchipstead.org](mailto:youth@smchipstead.org)

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