

Church Notices

Sunday 7 June 2026
The First Sunday After Trinity

Collect

O God,
the strength of all those who put their trust in you,
mercifully accept our prayers
and, because through the weakness of our mortal nature
we can do no good thing without you,
grant us the help of your grace,
that in the keeping of your commandments
we may please you both in will and deed;
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 **Amen.**

Readings: Hos. 5.15 – 6.6; Rom. 4. 13-25; Matt. 9. 9-13, 18-26

Please pray for Ray Court, Mike Kerr, Evelyn Crouch, Pat Morgan Tessa King, and Leonie Saint. **Please also pray for** Nikki's aunt AJ, and cousin Simon who are both going through cancer treatment.

Baptism of Kitty and Dolly Smith TODAY at 12.30pm at Wye Church.

Wedding of Paul Caulfield and Sarah Hills at 3.30pm on Saturday 13 June at Wye Church.



Wye Churchyard Gardeners – Saturday 13 June between 10am and 11am – come and join in our next churchyard gardening session – no gardening experience required. An opportunity to meet and chat with friends while tidying the churchyard. Please bring gardening gloves, gardening tools (e.g. strimmers, shears, secateurs, hand forks and trowels) and of course garden rubbish sacks to take waste away for disposal.

Wonder Women

Second Saturday of the month between 10 am and 12 noon

We welcome all women to join us in this opportunity to meet for coffee, food and discussion. Our next meeting will take place on

June 13th, when we will be considering 'boundaries', in light of Biblical and psychological understanding. Also, looking forward to: July - Saint Macrina; August bring-and-share lunch and September – prayer. If you would like to find out more, please contact: **Lucy Carvill (07980 300729)** or **Kim Stead (07557 229051)**.



**Wonder
Women**

Bell Sunday will be celebrated at Wye Church at the 10am Morning Prayer service on Sunday 14 June.

Pilgrims Way Challenge Event 2026 – once again Wye church will be the end point for all runners and walkers taking part on Saturday 20 June. The Pilgrims Way Challenge helps support Pilgrims Hospice to provide skilled, compassionate and expert end of life care. Last year, participants helped raise a record-breaking £196,000, supporting local people across east Kent who need their vital care and support. Visit <https://www.pilgrimshospices.org/event/pilgrims-way-challenge-2026/> for more information. Expect a busy day in Wye on 20th!

Wye Affordable Art Show – Advance Notice. Wye church will be closed Monday 22 June to Thursday 25 June inclusive and then again on Monday 29 June. This is to allow the organisers to set up for and take down after the event and for all exhibited artwork to be protected before the start of the show. We regret that no dogs are permitted to the event except for assistance dogs. Thank you for your understanding in this matter. **Please also note** that timings for Sunday 28 June are 10am to 4pm.

Services for Boughton Aluph will take place at 9.30am on Sundays 21 and 28 June at St Mary's Eastwell or at St Christopher's if raining.

Big Band Rat Pack Night (see poster opposite). To book tickets email scott@settlehouse.com

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IN AID OF ALL SAINTS' CHURCH FUNDS

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OPEN GARDENS HASTINGLEIGH & BODSHAM

A lovely afternoon of village gardens, flowers, tea and cake



Sunday 14 June 2026
12 noon to 5.30 pm

Your programme includes all 6 gardens and
Tea/coffee/cordial with a slice of cake at
St Mary's Church, Hastingleigh, TN25 5HN
for £10 per person • Cream teas available
Children free

Programmes available at every garden and The Bowl Inn

- South Hill Farm, Hastingleigh, TN25 5HL
- Sycamore Cottage, Tamley Lane, Hastingleigh, TN25 5HW
- The White House, Tamley Lane, Hastingleigh, TN25 5HW
- Ashenfield Farm, Waltham, CT4 5SP
- Holt Lodge, Bodsham, TN25 5JQ
- Little Holt Farm, Bodsham, TN25 5JY

Proceeds to St Mary's Church, Hastingleigh, and Pilgrims Hospices

**UPPER HARDRES
CHURCH CT4 6EN**

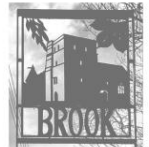
MINI FETE

Saturday 27th June
2pm – 4.30pm
**Fabulous Teas, Produce,
Plants, Raffle,
Nearly New Clothes
Games and a
Singalong**

for info call
01227 709312

BROOK OPEN GARDENS

SATURDAY 20th JUNE
2pm-5pm



**AN INVITATION TO VISIT SOME VILLAGE GARDENS AND
ENJOY TEA WITH FRIENDS, IN AID OF ST MARY'S CHURCH**

TICKETS £8 (children free)
available from church on the day
and refreshments served all afternoon at church

1 ST MARY'S CHURCH

Tickets; tea & cake;
eco guide in the churchyard;
history guide in the church.

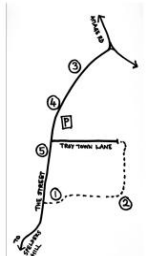
2 BROOK WOOD FARM

This is a working farm so
visiting is by guided tour
only, at 2.30pm & 4pm.

3 SANKEY FARM

4 THE OAST HOUSE

5 YEW TREE HOUSE



*Parking available at the Honest Miller and along The Street,
please be considerate of driveways and narrow sections*





Ashford Christian Women – is a network of Christian women from local churches in and around Ashford who hold regular events giving opportunities for local Christian women to meet together for refreshment, inspiration & encouragement. A few of us are planning on going to their next event

on Saturday 27 June

at Singleton Environment Centre.

If you'd like to go and share lifts,

please contact Ali Poole 07955675998

WYE AFFORDABLE

ART SHOW

at Wye Church

26-28 June

10am to 5pm



Wood engraving by Cathryn Kuhfeld

FREE ADMISSION

An exhibition of paintings, prints, photographs, sculpture & ceramics from local artists, including: Peter Kuhfeld, Cathryn Kuhfeld, Toby Ward, Brian Aris, Steve Bloom, John Doyle & Jason Mulligan

All profits go to Wye Church

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Our Place Wye Community Lunches

Next lunch dates are:
10 and 24 June.

12.15pm to 1.30pm.
Food served at
12.30pm. Cost: £5.00

Contact **Our Place Wye**
on: 07395 433 939 to
book a place

Contact:

United Wye Benefice, Office 2, Zealds House, 39 Church Street, Wye, Ashford TN25 5BL

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