

The Benefice of All Saints', Highbrook & St Margaret of Antioch, West Hoathly



# Benefice Notices for Trinity 1 - Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2025

### Worship & upcoming services.

Wednesday 25th June9.30am, St Margaret's – Holy CommunionFriday 27th June5.30pm, St Margaret's - Evening Prayer (BCP)

Next Sunday (29<sup>th</sup> June) Trinity 2 (St Peter & St Paul) 10.30am United Benefice Eucharist

St Margaret's, West Hoathly

### Mission - joining in with God's work of love in the world.

National Garden Scheme and FSW – Luctons: To raise money for FSW



(Family Support Work) through the sale of tea, coffee and cake (cash only), Luctons (on North Lane in West Hoathly) will be open to the public on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> June, Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June, Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> July from 1.30 -5pm. Adults  $\pounds$ 7, children free. For these open days it is essential that you pre-book your ticket in advance.

To book tickets please visit <u>https://ngs.org.uk/gardens/luctons-rh19/</u> or scan the QR code here. For more information about the work of FSW, please visit: <u>https://www.familysupportwork.org/</u>.



Not to be missed!! Cello Concert in aid of The Loiyangalani Trust: *This* Tuesday (24<sup>th</sup> June) at 7.30pm in St Margaret's Church. Tickets (£25) from <u>https://wegottickets.com/event/654075</u>

### Events – growing together as a community.

**Highbrook Village Coffee Morning.** On the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month in Highbrook Village Hall.10.30am -12.30pm. Open to all residents and friends of Highbrook. No agenda - just come for a natter. Donations towards the hall running costs are appreciated. **Next one: Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> July** 



#### Stewardship - generous giving to and through God

All Saints' Church Cleaning: The next working party will be THIS Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> June, from 11am - 1pm. Could you spare some time to help us?

**St Margaret's Church's Churchyard working parties:** On Mondays 7<sup>th</sup> July and 4<sup>th</sup> August, from 2-4 p.m. Contact person: Derek <u>derekshurvell@gmail.com</u>.

West Hoathly Street Fair – Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> July from 12noon - 4pm: It's not long to go now until this community event, so please support our endeavours! There are various ways you can get involved...

- **1. Volunteers are needed** to help both in advance and on the day. Please offer your time to Derek. Contact <u>derekshurvell@gmail.com</u>
- 2. Cake makers.... can you help? If you would be able to provide any cakes for the church's stall we would love to hear from you. Not a baker? No worries - perhaps you would sponsor a cake by paying for the ingredients? Please talk to Sarah Pigram or Ann Hutchings to arrange delivery/collection or to chat about sponsorship. Contacts: Email <u>sarahlpigram@outlook.com</u> or mobile: 07765 091000

*3.* **Come along on the day**, bringing your family and friends with you. With a variety of stalls both in the street and in the church, plenty of refreshments, and great entertainment on offer, it will be a great day out for all the family.

Help raise funds for your church with Trust130: For every new home insurance policy taken out with Ecclesiastical, the UK's most trusted home insurance provider (and the one who meets the St Margaret's insurance needs), they will donate  $f_{,130}$  to an Anglican church of the policy holder's choice. Follow the link here for more info: <u>https://www.ecclesiastical.com/home-insurance/trust130/</u>

# <u>Study – deepening our understanding God.</u>

**Leavers' Bibles:** At the end of the school year, we will be presenting the 19 Year 6 leavers of West Hoathly Primary School with a Bible - a symbol of our Christian care and nature for the young people of our Church school, and a reminder to them of their time there. If you would like to sponsor a Bible (at a cost of  $\pounds$ 15 per Bible), please make a bank transfer (details on our website) with the reference BIBLE, or hand the cash or cheque payable 'St Margaret's PCC, West Hoathly' to Rev'd Heather, the churchwardens, or pop it through the Vicarage door. Thank you so much.

The Weekly Readings and Prayers at the St Margaret's Sunday Eucharist: If you would like to read these in advance, or re-read and reflect on them after the Eucharist, they can be downloaded from the website or emailed directly to you by Karen at <u>brkb410@gmail.com</u>

# Prayer - spending time with God.



**Evening Prayer on Fridays at 5.30pm in St Margaret's:** You are invited to leave your prayers on the prayer tree in St Margaret's (and they can be anonymous if you wish) or email them to Rev'd Heather. All prayers left each week are offered up to God at Evening Prayer on Fridays.

**Prayer for the week:** God of truth, help us to keep your law of love and to walk in ways of wisdom, that we may find true life in Jesus Christ your Son. Amen

For our Prayers: Please remember to pray for yourself, for our communities, for our nation, and for the whole world.

The sick and housebound or in need of especial guidance: Glen, Mary Darlinson, Joyce Fish, Val, Mary Cocking, Gill Couchy, Annie, Steve, Stella, and Liam.

Those preparing for Baptism: Minnie.

Those preparing for Marriage: Issy & Ben, Nicole & Tom, Alice & James.

The recently departed, and for those whose anniversary of death falls this week, John Edwards, and all who are grieving for them.

For God's blessing on the homes of our parish – this week we pray for all who live in Marlpit Road and Bayhams Field.

For God's blessing on the life of the church families of our deanery – this week we pray for the clergy and church family of St Augustine's, Scaynes Hill. *If you would like to add someone's name to the prayer list, please email Rev'd Heather* (*heather.wilkin78@gmail.com*). *If you are asking for someone else, please make sure you have their permission to have their name added publicly.* 

For details of how to join others online for prayer, worship, study, and community life, and for updates, please check our website:

www.allsaints-highbrook.org.uk & www.westhoathly.org.uk

#### And social media:

Facebook - @stmargaretswesthoathlyallsaintshighbrook Twitter - @StMargarets\_WH YouTube - search for 'St Margarets West Hoathly All Saints Highbrook'

**St Margaret's Easyfundraising page:** follow the link here to raise <u>free donations to us</u> at **no** extra cost to you! <u>https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/stmargaretswesthoathly</u>

#### **CONTACT DETAILS**

Vicar: The Reverend Heather Wilkin Email: <u>heather.wilkin78@gmail.com</u> Telephone: 01342 529047 Heather's rest day is usually Monday. Churchwardens of St Margaret's:

Ann Hutchings (<u>churchwardenstmargarets@outlook.com</u> or 01342 810 742) or Tim Baker (<u>churchwardenstmargarets@outlook.com</u>)

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Adam Hackett (<u>adamjphackett@outlook.com</u>) or Roger Cobden-Ramsay (<u>Roger.cobdenramsay@gmail.com</u>) Items for inclusion on the weekly Benefice Notice sheet: Please send to Karen Blackman (by 12noon Wednesday) at <u>brkb410@gmail.com</u>