

Sunday 9th February

#### YOUR WEEKLY UPDATE, KEEPING YOU UP TO DATE ACROSS OUR PARISHES

## Worship this Sunday

Sunday 9th February Fourth Sunday Before Lent

St Mary's Hartfield
9.30am Holy Communion
Led by Rev Juile Sear
Preacher Rev Julie Sear

#### Holy Trinity Coleman's Hatch

11am Holy Communion

Led by Rev Julie Sear Preacher Rev Nigel Hinton

St Mary's, Cowden 10.30am Morning Worship

Led by Rev David Tidswell
Preacher Rev David Tidswell

## News from the 3 churches

#### Alpha Course 2025

We will be running an Alpha course which will take place at 7.30pm in



St Mary's Church in Hartfield. The first session is on **Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> March** which includes a supper. Sign-up invitations can be found at your church.

Details can be found on flyers at your church or speak to Rev Julie.

#### World Day of Prayer



Our sisters in The Cook Islands welcome us and lead us for the Day of Prayer 2025 on **Friday 7**th

## March at 2pm in St Mary's Church, Hartfield

Join with us as we pray together and reflect on the theme 'I made you wonderful'. After the service, refreshments will be served. Do come and join us!

For details contact Joanne Griffin on 07941 856715 or msjoannegriffin@gmail.com

#### **ECO Church**

On Sunday 9th February as part of our Morning Praise service, we will be celebrating our receiving of the A-Rocha eco bronze award. We will also be hearing about how we are called to be stewards of God's creation. Hilary Rowberry and Tim Jackson will be sharing something of their recent Diocesan Day on caring for our planet as Christians.

#### Volunteer Needed at Edenbridge Foodbank

It doesn't matter if you donate at Harvest Festival, at Christmas, or throughout the year, all your donations are gratefully received and consequently the foodbank is able to help people with your donated food. All this food needs to be organised, for which there is a brilliant team. At the moment there is an opening in this team for a Foodbank Storage Volunteer.

For details see flyers in church

# St Mary's Hartfield's Diary

(all events held at Hartfield Church unless otherwise stated)

#### Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February

9.15am-10.45am - Little Stars Parent and toddler group, tea & coffee provided.

#### Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February

9.30am – St Mary's School Service

#### Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February

5pm-6pm Connect Extra at The Oast.

Connect Extra is for Youths aged 10+. Read, question and explore the Christian faith together.

#### Sunday 16th February

The Third Sunday Before Lent

#### 9.30 Holy Communion

Led by & Preacher Rev Julie Sear (no Sunday Discovers or Sunday Connect due to half term).

# Holy Trinity's Diary

(all events held at Coleman's Church unless otherwise stated)

#### Thursday 13th February

9.30am-12pm Valentine's Day Café at Trinity Hall, including Special Cinderella Shoe Sale event plus the usual refreshments.

# Sunday 16th February The Third Sunday Before Lent

11am Matins

Led by & Preacher Rev Julie Sear

# St Mary Magdalene's Diary

(all events held at Cowden Church unless otherwise stated)

# Sunday 16th February

The Third Sunday Before Lent

10.30am Holy Communion

Led by & Preacher Rev Stephen Hills

### Save the Dates

## St Mary's Hartfield (everyone welcome)

Fri 7<sup>th</sup> Mar, 2pm – World Day of Prayer

Tues 11<sup>th</sup> Mar, 7.30pm – Alpha starts

#### Holy Trinity (everyone welcome):

Mar 21<sup>st</sup> - Trinity Talk; David Tate - Mercers Livery Company.

**Apr 11th** - Trinity Talk; Joy Wilson - Ice skating with the Stars.

May 10th - BARN DANCE - details TBA.

May 17<sup>th</sup> - TRINITY FÊTE; PLEASE START

SETTING ASIDE ALL DONATIONS – Bottles for Tombola, Gifts, Good Quality BRIC-A-BRAC, Collectables, Clothes etc.

 $May 31^{st} 7pm$  - Margaret Watson, Harpist concert

St Mary's Magdalene, Cowden (everyone welcome)

Tues 4<sup>th</sup> Feb, 7.30pm – Prayer and Praise at Cowden Church with pancakes!
See flyer for details

For further details on anything in this update and all that is going on in the three churches please visit our websites: hartfieldchurch.org; colemanshatchchurch.org; St Mary Magdalene at achurchnearyou. Alternatively speak to Rev Canon Julie Sear on 07840 021909 or revjuliesear1@gmail.com (please note Friday is her day of rest)