



# St Margaret's Church



## ChurchSuite



## Confirmation

Are you ready to take a new  
step of faith?

Confirmation is an opportunity to publicly declare your faith in Jesus, and to confirm that the promises made for you at your baptism are now yours. There is a confirmation service on Sunday 19th October in Reigate that we are going to attend. If you are interested speak to Hannah by 28th September. There is more information here:  
<https://www.churchofengland.org/confirmation>

Rev. Hannah Gordon

## Sunday 14th September

Thirteenth Sunday after

Trinity with

Rev. Hannah Gordon

9am **Holy Communion**

10.15am **Cafe Church** in the  
Orchard

**No youth or children's groups  
running this week as Cafe  
Church is all age.**

## Contact Us

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## Week Ahead

### Monday 15th Sep

2pm to 4pm **C.A.M.E.O. \*\*note new location\*\*** Barkadas  
at Nelson's which is next door to the village hall. The  
address is St Margaret's Road, Hooley, CR5 3RB.

### Tuesday 16th Sep

09.15am to 10am **Morning Prayer**

10.30am to 12noon **Bereavement Cafe** in the Orchard

### Wednesday 17th Sep

10am **Midweek Communion Service** with Rev.

**Hannah Gordon** followed by refreshments

10am to 1pm **Parish Office Open** including

**ChurchSuite and IT support session** with Ray

Please do drop in for tea, coffee, cake and a chat.

### Friday 18th Sep

9.30am to 11.15am **Maggies Song** in the Orchard

# REFRESHED PLAYROOM AND OUTDOOR PLAY AREA AT WELCARE HOUSE



Welcare were delighted to welcome Rebecca Paul, Member of Parliament for Reigate, to officially open our newly refreshed outdoor garden and play area on 5<sup>th</sup> September.

The transformation of our outdoor area is thanks to the incredible efforts of a dedicated Faith Beyond the Pews team from St Margaret's Church in Chipstead. Over several weeks, volunteers worked tirelessly to breathe new life into the space, creating a safe, engaging, and vibrant environment for children to play, learn, and thrive.

The official opening was a special moment for everyone involved. Not only was it a chance to celebrate but it also offered an opportunity to share with Rebecca Paul MP the vital work that Welcare does across the borough of Reigate and Banstead. We were able to speak about the significance of outdoor play in early childhood development and highlight some of the growing challenges faced by families in our community. From the rising cost of living to increased social isolation and mental health pressures, many local families are navigating difficult circumstances that affect both parents and children. Welcare exists to offer practical, emotional, and developmental support to help families overcome these challenges and build stronger, more resilient futures.

Rebecca Paul MP listened with compassion, asking thoughtful questions and expressing her admiration for the work of our staff, volunteers, and supporters. Her presence and engagement were a strong reminder of the importance of partnership between community organisations to support those who need it most.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to St Margaret's Chipstead for making this transformation possible, and to Rebecca Paul MP for taking the time to visit and learn more about the lives we are helping to change every day.



# SparkFish Celebration Service

COME AND JOIN US FOR  
PRAYER & WORSHIP, DRAMA,  
CAKE & REFRESHMENTS!

SUNDAY • 21<sup>ST</sup> SEPTEMBER • 6-8PM  
ST BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH,  
HORLEY



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How You Can Help?

## FOODBANK DONATIONS



Every Thursday at Chipstead  
Rugby Club from 11.30am to  
1pm by the Meads  
St Margaret's Church,  
Wednesday between 10am  
and 1pm, or Sunday between  
9am and 11.30am



### YOUR KINDNESS CAN CHANGE LIVES

Turn your old holiday money into hope for children

**Growing Hope** have teamed up with **Leftover Currency** so that you can donate your remaining holiday money, or any old coins and notes, to help provide free therapy for children with additional needs.

It's simple: pop your currency in an envelope, complete the form, select **Growing Hope King's Cross** as the charity you wish to give to, and post to **Leftover Currency**. Every cent or rupee makes a difference!



### St Peter's Church Woodmansterne



### Quiet Spaces @ St Peter's

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October 9:45am-12:30pm

A Quiet Space with led reflections, a time to pray as we engage with some of the accounts of Jesus responding to people's needs, a chance to step away & be. Begins in the church hall.

To book your place email:  
[office@saintpeterschurch.org.uk](mailto:office@saintpeterschurch.org.uk)

[www.saintpeterschurch.org.uk](http://www.saintpeterschurch.org.uk)

# FRIDAY YOUTH

For 13 – 18s

Join us for fun food  
and faith with  
friends



VENUE:  
The Orchard at  
Church

ALTERNATE  
FRIDAYS 7 –  
9PM  
(from 29 August)