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## LOOKING AHEAD

### Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October

0800 CCP Holy Communion 1 (*Revd Andy Wilson*)  
 1000 SJP Holy Communion (*Revd Laura Cameron*)  
 1030 CCP The 10.30 Service (*Revd Andy Wilson*)  
 1800 SJP Compline

### Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November

0800 CCP Holy Communion 2 (*Revd Laura Cameron*)  
 1000 SJP Baptism of Ellodie Patrick (*Revd Andy Wilson*)  
 1030 CCP The 10.30 Service (Holy Communion)  
 (*Revd Tyrone Hillary*)  
 1800 SJP Compline  
 1800 CoGS New Wine Celebration

### Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> November

0800 CCP Holy Communion 1 (*Revd Andy Wilson*)  
 1000 SJP Remembrance Service (*Revd David Lindsay*)  
 1030 CCP Remembrance Parade (*Revd Andy Wilson*)  
 1800 SJP Compline



***Welcome to everyone attending our Services today,***  
 Please join us for refreshments after the 10.00 & 10.30 Services

## Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2019 – 18<sup>th</sup> after Trinity

0800 **CCP** The 8.00 Service (Holy Communion 2)  
 1000 **SJP** Holy Communion  
 1030 **CCP** The 10.30 Service (Holy Communion)  
 1800 **SJP** Compline

## This Week's Activities

Monday	1030	<b>CCP</b>	Homegroup (Dave Fowler)
	1800	<b>SJP</b>	Evening Prayer
	1930	<b>CCP</b>	Homegroup (Pauline Letters)
Tuesday	0800	<b>SJP</b>	Morning Prayer
	1930	<b>CCP</b>	Music & Worship Committee (Vicarage)
Wednesday	0900	<b>CCP</b>	Morning Prayer
	1400	<b>CCP</b>	Homegroup (Jacqui Wilson)
	1900	<b>SJP</b>	Evening Prayer
	1930		Joint PCC Meeting (at Christ Church)
	1930	<b>SJP</b>	Bible Study (Broadways Coffee Shop)
Thursday	1000	<b>CCP</b>	The Thursday Service (Communion)
Friday	1230	<b>CCP</b>	Neighbourhood Lunch (in Church Hall)
	1800	<b>SJP</b>	Evening Prayer
Saturday	0900	<b>CCP</b>	Church Cleaning

## CHRIST CHURCH

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### **Mission of the Month: Bible Reading Fellowship**

**Today** we welcome Revd Richard Hutchins to take both services at Christ Church. Richard (along with Diana, Jonathan and Angus) was a member of Christ Church until his ordination in 2017. He is currently Curate in the parish of Liss.

There will be no **6.00 Service** this month.

**The Big Question Box** has arrived at the back of Church. It will be there until **27<sup>th</sup> October**. It's the opportunity you have always wanted, to ask questions (anonymously) about The Bible, Jesus, being a Christian or something that arises out of the sermon. Further info is next to the Box (or ask Sandra Morgan).

### **In Loving Memory: Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November, 3pm:**

An opportunity to remember loved ones who have died.

### **Christ Church Advent Fayre 2019:**

**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November** 12 md - 3.30 pm

How are you helping?

**GRAND RAFFLE PRIZES:** Items to make up Christmas hampers would be very welcome.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** Look out for sign-up sheets at the back of the church

**Social Team:** Could you be part of a team to plan social events for Christ Church in conjunction with St John's? Speak to Dee Humphris if you would like to be involved.

## ST JOHN'S

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### **All Souls' Service: Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 4pm:**

Commemoration of the faithful departed. An opportunity to remember loved ones who have died.

### **Breakfast Church: Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December, 9.30am.**

Breakfast and worship for Advent Sunday.

**St John's** Church is open for prayer most days between 10am and 5pm.

## **NOTES AND NEWS:**

Andy & Jacqui are on leave, returning to duty on 22nd October.

The PCCs of both parishes will meet together this week with Andrew Hargreaves, as we begin the process of developing a shared plan for mission. The meeting will begin at 7.30pm at Christ Church (in the church).

If you would like to receive this notice sheet each week by email, please send a request to [parish.office@christchurchportsdown.org](mailto:parish.office@christchurchportsdown.org)

## **GOSPEL READING: Luke 18:1–8**

*Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke. **Glory to you, O Lord***

<sup>18</sup> Then Jesus told them a parable about their need to pray always and not to lose heart. <sup>2</sup> He said, 'In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor had respect for people. <sup>3</sup> In that city there was a widow who kept coming to him and saying, "Grant me justice against my opponent." <sup>4</sup> For a while he refused; but later he said to himself, "Though I have no fear of God and no respect for anyone, <sup>5</sup> yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will grant her justice, so that she may not wear me out by continually coming." '

<sup>6</sup> And the Lord said, 'Listen to what the unjust judge says. <sup>7</sup> And will not God grant justice to his chosen ones who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long in helping them? <sup>8</sup> I tell you, he will quickly grant justice to them. And yet, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?'

*This is the Gospel of the Lord.*

***Praise to you, O Christ.***

### **Post Communion**

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast: for here we receive you, here the memory of your passion is renewed, here our minds are filled with grace, and here a pledge of future glory is given, when we shall feast at that table where you reign with all your saints for ever.

**Amen.**

## **EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**

### **COLLECT**

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us your gift of faith that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to that which is before, we may run the way of your commandments and win the crown of everlasting joy; 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.**

### **OLD TESTAMENT: Jeremiah 31:27–34**

<sup>27</sup> The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will sow the house of Israel and the house of Judah with the seed of humans and the seed of animals. <sup>28</sup> And just as I have watched over them to pluck up and break down, to overthrow, destroy, and bring evil, so I will watch over them to build and to plant, says the Lord. <sup>29</sup> In those days they shall no longer say: 'The parents have eaten sour grapes, and the children's teeth are set on edge.'

<sup>30</sup> But all shall die for their own sins; the teeth of everyone who eats sour grapes shall be set on edge. <sup>31</sup> The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. <sup>32</sup> It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though

I was their husband, says the Lord. <sup>33</sup> But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the Lord: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. <sup>34</sup> No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, 'Know the Lord', for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the Lord; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more.

*This is the word of the Lord.*

***Thanks be to God.***

### **Psalm 119:97–104**

<sup>97</sup> Lord, how I love your law! All the day long it is my study. <sup>98</sup> Your commandments have made me wiser than my enemies, for they are ever with me. <sup>99</sup> I have more understanding than all my teachers, for your testimonies are my meditation. <sup>100</sup> I am wiser than the aged, because I keep your commandments. <sup>101</sup> I restrain my feet from every evil way, that I may keep your word. <sup>102</sup> I have not turned aside from your judgements, for you have been my teacher. <sup>103</sup> How sweet are your words on my tongue! They are sweeter than honey to my mouth. <sup>104</sup> Through your commandments I get understanding; therefore, I hate all lying ways.

### **NEW TESTAMENT: 2 Timothy 3:14–4:5**

<sup>14</sup> But as for you, continue in what you have learned and firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it, <sup>15</sup> and how from childhood you have known the sacred writings that are able to instruct you for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. <sup>16</sup> All scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, <sup>17</sup> so that everyone who belongs to God may be proficient, equipped for every good work. <sup>4</sup> In the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead, and in view of his appearing and his kingdom, I solemnly urge you: <sup>2</sup> proclaim the message; be persistent whether the time is favourable or unfavourable; convince, rebuke, and encourage, with the utmost patience in teaching. <sup>3</sup> For the time is coming when people will not put up with sound doctrine, but having itching ears, they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own desires, <sup>4</sup> and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander away to myths. <sup>5</sup> As for you, always be sober, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, carry out your ministry fully.

*This is the word of the Lord.*

***Thanks be to God.***