

Common Ground Guildford - March 2018

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Friday 2nd	StS LOVE GUILDFORD - StS Mission Event focused on the parish - <i>out and about StS parish (and town centre)</i>		
	StN Lent Reflections and Communion "All things are possible" Study and reflections, leading into a simple communion. Based on the USPG Lent course "All things are possible" with its theme of faith and action for a better world.	<i>St Nicolas</i>	11:00 - 12:00
	StS Prayer Walk StS Prayer Walk as part of "Love Guildford event. Late evening walk, or do the walk in a group at another time, or pray for the people and places and "welfare of the town" from wherever you are! Contact Kristina Ingate or Tim Radcliffe of St Saviours	<i>St Saviour's</i>	20:00 - 22:00
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Monday 5th	Riding Lights- where the adventure begins ticketed event	<i>St Saviour's</i>	19:30 - 21:00
Tuesday 6th	Rev Katie Thomas installation St James New Malden join or pray Katie as she is installed as vicar. If you plan to go please let her know in good time.	<i>St James New Malden</i>	20:00 - 21:30
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Sunday 11th	MOTHERING SUNDAY - Services and activities at most churches to mark Mother's Day - <i>most churches</i>		
	"There is something special about Mary" music and words Service for mothering sunday led by Revd Sarah Hutton with In Nomine and Gillian Lloyd (organ) conducted by Sebastian Forbes. Hymns, Bible Readings, poems, reflections and choral music by Byrd, Victoria, Gibbons, Purcell, Elgar, Stanford and Joubert	<i>St Marys, Quarry Street</i>	18:00 - 20:00
Tuesday 13th	StS prayer for the nation regular prayer for the nation event at StS	<i>St Saviour's</i>	20:00 - 21:30
Wednesday 14th	Community Meeting 7.15pm for 8pm soup from 7.15pm	<i>St Marys, Quarry Street</i>	20:00 - 22:00
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Friday 16th	<p>GFORD Spring Music Festival - Gford spring music festival from 16 to 25 March www.gsmf.org.uk Many events at HTSM and on 21st at StM stewards needed - <i>music festival venues include various churches, launch concert is at St Mary's on 21 October</i></p> <p>StN Lent Reflections and Communion <i>St Nicolas</i> 11:00 - 12:00 "All things are possible" Study and reflections, leading into a simple communion. Based on the USPG Lent course "All things are possible" with its theme of faith and action for a better world.</p> <p>Night Vision "Mum's the Word" <i>St Marys, Quarry Street</i> 19:30 - 23:00 Friday evening event for people intrigued about Christianity, come when you can go when you must. Focus for March Mothering Sunday</p>
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Monday 19th	<p>GFORD Spring Music Festival - Gford spring music festival from 16 to 25 March www.gsmf.org.uk Many events at HTSM and on 21st at StM stewards needed - <i>music festival venues include various churches, launch concert is at St Mary's on 21 October</i></p> <p>StS Furnace prayer evening <i>St Saviour's</i> 20:00 - 21:30 regular StS prayer evening with worship</p>
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	PALM SUNDAY - many special services marking Palm Sunday - <i>many churches and other events</i>		
	StM Holy Communion regular HC service at StM	<i>St Marys, Quarry Street</i>	08:00 - 09:00
	StN and URC Palm Sunday service. Join in at any point. Processional service starts with Eucharist at StN at 0915. Procession marking Christ's entry into Jerusalem moves to the URC on Portsmouth Road for Palm Sunday service at 1030 with activities for children. Join in at any point.	<i>St Nicolas</i>	09:15 - 11:30
	HT and StM Palm Procession service Palm procession services starts at StM, Quarry Street, then moves up the High Street with palms to Holy Trinity. All join in!	<i>St Marys, Quarry Street</i>	10:00 - 11:30
HT Journey to the Cross choral service choral service at HT	<i>Holy Trinity</i>	18:00 - 19:00	
Monday 26th	StM open with exhibition STM Holy Week opening "Journeying through Easter" with Easter Walkway and paintings by Daniel Bonelle.	<i>St Marys, Quarry Street</i>	10:00 - 16:00
	StN ecumenical Eucharist address by the Dean Dianna Gwilliams On Monday to Wednesday of Holy Week StN will be holding a 8pm simple communion with an address by the Dean of the Cathedral, Dianna Gwilliams. Bishop Jo will be presiding one evening and Philip Jones the URC minister at another.	<i>St Nicolas</i>	20:00 - 21:00
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Thursday 29th	MAUNDY THURSDAY - STM expected to be open. Evening communion in many churches - <i>St Marys, Quarry Street</i>		
	St Mary open with exhibition St Mary's open with exhibition	<i>St Marys, Quarry Street</i>	10:00 - 16:00
	Diocesan Eucharist reaffirmation of clergy vows and blessing of oils, Diocesan Communion service at the cathedral with blessing of oils to use for anointing the sick, in baptism and for confirmation.	<i>Cathedral</i>	11:00 - 12:30
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	StM Tenebrae Service Tenebrae is a ancient simple service with bible readings about Christ's last days. After each reading a candle is extinguished. We subsequently light candles marking his resurrection.	<i>St Marys, Quarry Street</i>	18:00 - 19:00
	HT "The Last Supper" Evening Eucharist Evening Eucharist commemorating the last supper. One option for those who want to attend a communion service after the StM Tenebrae service.	<i>Holy Trinity</i>	19:30 - 20:30
	StS Maundy Thursday Communion 1930, followed by service of Tenebrae St S HC service, including service of Tenebrae	<i>St Saviour's</i>	19:30 - 21:00
	StN Maundy Thursday Liturgy Eucharist, washing of feet, "stripping of sanctuary" and watch. After the service the sanctuary area is symbolically emptied and an all night watch (with a rota of people) is kept commemorating Christ in the Garden of Gethsemane.	<i>St Nicolas</i>	20:00 - 23:59

Friday 30th	GOOD FRIDAY - St Marys expected to be open. Reflections in most churches - <i>St Marys, Quarry Street</i>		
	StM ecumenical service ecumenical service prior to gathering for Walk of Witness at 1030	<i>St Marys, Quarry Street</i>	09:30 - 10:30
	StM opening with exhibition Holy Week StM opening "Journeying through Easter" with Easter Walkway and paintings by Daniel Bonelle	<i>St Marys, Quarry Street</i>	10:00 - 16:00
	StS Family Easter Experience StS Easter event for families	<i>St Saviour's</i>	10:00 - 11:00
	Walk of Witness, gather bottom of North Street gather for walk at the bottom of North Street	<i>St Marys, Quarry Street</i>	10:30 - 11:30
	StN childrens activities StN childrens activities and hot cross buns (Messy Church)	<i>St Nicolas</i>	11:45 - 13:00
	HT Prayers and Readings Prayers and Readings for Good Friday	<i>Holy Trinity</i>	12:00 - 14:00
	StS Good Friday Meditation StS Good Friday meditation	<i>St Saviour's</i>	12:00 - 15:00
	StN Liturgy of Good Friday This is our key service of the day -most important to attend- a starkly simple, but very moving liturgy in which we focus on the Cross and the love which shines through it	<i>St Nicolas</i>	13:30 - 15:00
	HT Commemoration of the Passion time of reflection and more in commemoration of Christ's passion and death on the cross	<i>Holy Trinity</i>	14:00 - 15:30
Saturday 31st	EASTER EVE - the Wintershall Passion Play, hopefully StM will be open, and events at many churches late evening and during the night - <i>High Street and many churches</i>		
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	Wintershall Passion Play High Street Wintershall Passion Play is presented twice, following its presentation in Trafalgar Square (supported by the Mayor of London). The last days of Christ's life. see www.wintershall-estate.com	<i>Guildford High Street</i>	12:00 - 13:30
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	StN Easter Liturgy begins The Easter liturgy begins on Saturday and continues into Sunday with a service on each day. The 8.30pm Service of Light begins outdoors, then moves into the church for a Vigil in darkness with readings, before the glorious first Eucharist of the Resurrection	<i>St Nicolas</i>	20:30 - 22:00