At the beginning of what is called "ordinary time" (because the days that follow Trinity Sunday are "ordered") our readings today focus on the sabbath. We are reminded that God rested after creating, hallowing rest for all creatures. The sabbath is God's gift and not a constraint. So let us give thanks to the God who is our rest and reassurance, bringing our prayers for the Church and the world. We give thank for the gift of creation, for the signs of God's love within it. We pray for a greater capacity to wonder at and delight in all tat we experience. We pray for those whose lives are filled with pain and discomfort, and all who are agitated in their spirit; that all who suffer may find relief and peace. We name before you Jennifer, Sally, Nicky, Simon, Eddie, Tessa, Dan, Claire, Nick, Chris, Shirley, Michael, Jane, Anne, Mai, Jonny and David. We also lift to you those whose names are on our prayer board. We pray for all who have died; that, surrounded by the light of Christ, they may find rest from their labour

Service of Dedication for the new Memorial Window

A service of dedication was held yesterday at St Margaret's to give thanksgiving for this beautiful window created and given in memory of Charles and Patience Lee Steere and John and Joan Prideaux. (Gordon Lee Steere's parents and uncle and aunt). The design is modern in vibrant colours featuring a dominant cross through which light streams through, a dove symbolising the Holy Spirit, with a backdrop of a pastoral view with a miniature Leith Hill tower at the top of the hill. The biblical quotation "I am the Resurrection and the Life" stands alongside the light of the cross. Created by Amanda Blair of Abinger Stained Glass and installed by John Mahoney of Horsham. A beautiful family memorial and one which will uplift and inspire all who worship and visit St Margaret's.

and talking of InSpire... June issue is out this weekend!

Collect the latest issue - JUNE - either from churches or on the parish website in a few days.

<u>ROTAS!!</u> A huge thank you to those who have already signed up so please do add your name to the lists!! The Military Show takes place Friday, Saturday and Sunday 5th, 6th and 7th July. Also volunteers needed for the Capel Show for the Parish Burger Stall! All proceeds are part of our very much needed fundraising efforts.

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Parish of Capel and Ockley

Sunday 2nd June 2024

First Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to your Church



Sunday 2nd June - Trinity 1

9.30 Matins - Ockley

10.30 Family Communion - Capel

Sunday 9th June - Trinity 2

9.30 Holy Communion - CW - Ockley

10.30 Cafe Church D-DAY service at The Crown Capel

Sunday 16th June - Trinity 3

10.30 Parish Communion at Capel

Sunday 23rd June - Trinity 4

9.30 Holy Communion BCP - Ockley

10.30 Morning Worship - Capel

Every Wednesday 9 - 12 Pavilion Café in Ockley, Cricket Pavilion

"The sabbath was made for humankind and not humankind for the sabbath; so the Son of Man is lord even of the sabbath"

Mark 2.27

In case of changes to events in these notes, the latest information can be found on:

www.capelandockleychurch.org.uk/events-calendar/