Today we give thanks for the opportunities God gives us to change and learn. God loves us and is merciful to us and we can always make a new start thanks to the work of Jesus. Remembering that God has promised to hear our prayers for the world, humanity and ourselves, we pray for all those who need God's love in their life. We pray for those who are sick or struggling. We ask that they may know that God is with them even in the darkest times. We bring before you Kim, Jennifer, Philomena, Nicky, Tessa, Nick, George, Sally, Doreen, Graham and Joy. We pray for those who grieve; that through the support of loved ones and the power of the Spirit they might know God's comfort. We remember with love Patricia White.

<u>Soup lunch</u> - join us to enjoy\_a wonderful lunch of homemade soup, bread, cheese, fruit and cakes all at Capel Church this Thursday!

### Notice of preparation of new Electoral Roll

Everyone will need to complete a new electoral roll form before the closing date of Friday 28th March 2025. These will be available from Rosemary Relf who is our electoral roll officer as well as online from our church website www.capelandockleychurch.org.uk Paper copies are now available in both churches.

#### Notice of APCM

Our Annual Parochial Church Meeting will take place at St John the Baptist Church Capel at 11.45am on Palm Sunday 13th April 2025. Please put this date in your diaries and if you are submitting a report for the Annual Report please send asap to Norman Ede please. We are hoping to have copies for the congregation two weeks before the APCM.

#### Mothering Sunday parish service

We are looking forward to welcoming our Team Rector Andrew Coe as he joins us at our <u>Mothering Sunday Parish Service</u> at Capel Church. Can I ask you all to make a special effort please to attend as Revd Andrew will shortly be retiring so It would be good to give him a good send off!

## LOAF stall

Dineke will be giving us another opportunity to buy locally sourced, organic and Fairtrade goods when she will open her stall after the Mothering Sunday Parish Service and also at Mothering Sunday teas!

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Parish of Capel and Ockley

# 23rd March 2025

# Third Sunday of Lent

# <u>Today</u>

9.30	Holy Communion BCP - Ockley
10.30	Family Worship - Capel

## Tuesday 25th March

3pm Women of Holy Week study book continues 1 Old Barn Drive - all welcome

## Thursday 27th March

12-2pm Soup lunch at St John the Baptist Capel Donations welcome for Bishop of Guildford Lent Appeal

### Sunday 30th March - Mothering Sunday

10.30 Parish Worship at St John the Baptist Capel with our Team Rector Revd Andrew Coe

## Tuesday 1st April

3pm Women of Holy Week study book continues 1 Old Barn Drive - all welcome

# Sunday 6th April

9.30 Matins - Ockley

- 10.30 Family Communion Capel
- **Every Wednesday** 9 12 Pavilion Café in Ockley, Cricket Pavilion with visit from Community Fridge

For my thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways my ways, says the Lord

Isaiah 55.9

In case of changes to events in these notes, the latest information can be found on: www.capelandockleychurch.org.uk/events-calendar/

