St Paul's Church, Egham Hythe
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A special welcome if you are visiting
or here for the first time. Do introduce yourselves.

Sunday 15th September 2019
10am All Age Communion
with Baptism of Leanne, Stephen, Summer, Madison and Brooke

Hymns for today: **29 Amazing Grace**
202 Give me joy
199 Gather around
419 Lord the light of your love

Do stay for refreshments after the service

5pm Interfaith Event in hall 'Whose problem is it anyway? Perspectives on Climate Change.

Next Sunday 22nd September
10am Communion with Baptism of Isaiah Mante

During the week

Wednesday	**9.30am**	Morning Prayer in the chapel
	10-12noon	Parish Office open
	11am	Mothers' Union in hall
	12:30pm	Communion in the hall
	1:00pm	Lunch – Fish and Chips this week.
Thursday	**9:30am**	Songs and Stories
Saturday	**9.30am**	Worship Space in Paul's Place.
	10-12noon	Paul's Place (office open)

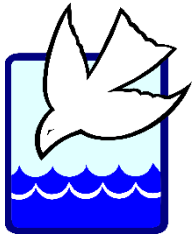
Collect: Almighty God, you search us and know us: may we rely on you in strength and rest on you in weakness, now and in all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Reading: Luke 15: 1-10

Now all the tax collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to
Jesus. 2 And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying,
"This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them." 3 So he told them
this parable: 4 "Which one of you, having a hundred sheep and losing
one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness and go
after the one that is lost until he finds it? 5 When he has found it, he
lays it on his shoulders and rejoices. 6 And when he comes home, he
calls together his friends and neighbours, saying to them, 'Rejoice with
me, for I have found my sheep that was lost.' 7 Just so, I tell you, there
will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over
ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance.

8 "Or what woman having ten silver coins, if she loses one of them,
does not light a lamp, sweep the house, and search carefully until she
finds it? 9 When she has found it, she calls together her friends and
neighbours, saying, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I
had lost.' 10 Just so, I tell you, there is joy in the presence of the angels
of God over one sinner who repents."

Isaiah's baptism next Sunday



Next week is Isaiah Mante's baptism in the 10am service. There'll be refreshments and cake for everyone after the service and then the party continues in the church and we're invited to stay for as long as we're able.

Parish Away Day – Saturday 26th October 10-4pm

"Come to the Water" – Come and be refreshed by God. Spend the day together at the Runnymede Hotel. Lunch in the Leftbank. Suggested donation £10 or £20 for family. Book Now - forms at back of church.

We pray:

For the Jones family being baptized today, and Isaiah Mante being baptized next week.

For those affected by hurricane Dorian and ask that through God's provision their homes, businesses and lives can be rebuilt.

For those living in: Ayebridges Avenue, Barons Way, Bishops Way

For those who are sick or needing our prayers including:
Ria, Edna K, Phyllis A, Dan B, Craig M, Ken R, Pam, Hazell, Kevin T, Arthur, Sammy W, Mike W, Jason and Poppy.

For those who have died: Doreen Honey and at their years mind: Ronald Whiteington

Messy Harvest – 26th September. Sign up today!

Small flowerpots and corrugated cardboard needed please, and help on the day. Details from Sue.

Harvest Festival Parade Communion Service 10am Sunday 29th September Non-perishable gifts for foodbank.

If you would like to help with decorating the church please speak to Sue.

Helping with jobs around the church

Come along any Saturday between 10-12 to help as you are able. Thank you to all who have been helping over the summer. We could also do with extra help for Wednesday lunches and Songs and Stories – particularly on Thursday this week - talk to Sue.

Eco News

The 'wild' area next to St Paul's Road has been cleared and will be planted with wildflowers with plans to build a bug hotel. Also an area has been cleared by the 'poppy window' to plant real poppies, in the shape of a cross. Do talk to Richard, Anne or Diane and see www.arocha.org.uk for more information about eco-church.

Church Vision Evening

Danny Wignall, the Guildford Diocese mission adviser is helping us explore our church vision. Do come along on Wednesday 2nd October to meet with him and members of the PCC for the next stage of this process. There'll be cheese and wine provided!

Macmillan Coffee Morning - Friday 27th September

Please support our coffee morning in aid of Macmillan from 9am-1pm.
If you can help make this happen or would like to donate cakes please speak to Ria.

Bucket Collection for Bahamas

At the back of church. There's also an update from Charles and Carol about the local response to Hurricane Dorian for you to read.

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