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St Luke's on WhatsApp

There is a new "Community" on WhatsApp for St Luke's.

If you use WhatsApp, use the QR code (right) to add yourself.



You'll find channels available from general chat to announcements, prayer requests, information for parents, and more.

If you run a group and need a channel for your activity or organisers, please speak to Rev David to get set-up.

Church Giving Information

If you would like to give online please note the following BACS details.

Account number 01395516 (PCC St Luke's)

Sort code: 30-98-77

Please reference your donation with your name/planned giving. You can also donate using our card reader in church with either a credit or debit card. THANK YOU

Pew Sheet

If you have something you want added to the weekly Pew Sheet please email details to me before 5pm on a Wednesday. Thank you, Christine (Parish Administrator) Email: parish.admin@stlukestw.co.uk

Sunday 3rd August, 2025



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St. Luke's Church, Tunbridge Wells Welcome to Holy Communion

Today is the 7th Sunday of Trinity

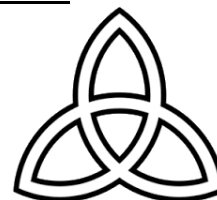
THE COLLECT

for Today and every day this week

**Generous God,
you give us gifts
and make them grow:
though our faith is small
as a mustard seed,
make it grow to your glory
and the flourishing
of your kingdom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen**

Hymns: 887, 411, 625 & 738

Next week at St Luke's



**Sunday 10th August, 10am
All-Age Communion
with Rev David and Rev Amanda**

*Please note there is no Explorers
or Coffee Club during August.*

Please remember in your daily prayers

***Those who are unwell or housebound
including Kirsty Waugh and Janet Jenner***

All those in hospital

Anyone struggling with grief.

***The residents of Riddlesdale Avenue and
Sandhurst Road***

***The following members of our
electoral roll and their family***

***Sarah Greenhead and Alex Greenhead
and Naomi Griffiths***

Today's First reading is from

Colossians 3: 1-11

You were raised from death with Christ. So aim at what is in heaven, where Christ is sitting at the right hand of God. ²Think only about the things in heaven, not the things on earth. ³Your old sinful self has died, and your new life is kept with Christ in God. ⁴Christ is your life. When he comes again, you will share in his glory.

⁵So put all evil things out of your life. Get rid of sexual immorality and impure acts. Don't let your feelings get out of control. Remove from your life all evil desires. Stop always wanting more and more. This really means living to serve a false god. ⁶These things make God angry. ⁷In your evil life in the past, you also did these things.

⁸ But now put these things out of your life: anger, bad temper, doing or saying things to hurt others, and using evil words when you talk. ⁹Do not lie to each other. You have left your old sinful life and the things you did before. ¹⁰You have begun to live the new life. In your new life you are being made new. You are becoming like the One who made you. This new life brings you the true knowledge of God. ¹¹In the new life there is no difference between Greeks and Jews. There is no difference between those who are circumcised and those who are not circumcised, or people that are foreigners, or Scythians. There is no difference between slaves and free people. But Christ is in all believers. And Christ is all that is important.

This is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Today's Gospel reading is from

Luke 12: 13-21

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

All: Glory to you O Lord

¹³ One of the men in the crowd said to Jesus, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the property our father left us." ¹⁴ But Jesus said to him, "Who said that I should be your judge or decide how to divide the property between you two?" ¹⁵ Then Jesus said to them, "Be careful and guard against all kinds of greed. A man's life is not measured by the many things he owns."

¹⁶ Then Jesus used this story: "There was a rich man who had some land, which grew a good crop of food. ¹⁷ The rich man thought

to himself, 'What will I do? I have no place to keep all my crops.' ¹⁸ Then he said, 'I know what I will do. I will tear down my barns and build bigger ones! I will put all my grain and other goods together in my new barns. ¹⁹ Then I can say to myself, I have enough good things stored to last for many years. Rest, eat, drink, and enjoy life!' ²⁰ But God said to that man, 'Foolish man! Tonight you will die. So who will get those things you have prepared for yourself?' ²¹ This is how it will be for anyone who stores things up only for himself and is not rich toward God."

This is the Gospel of the Lord

All: Praise to you O Christ

Dates for the diary

Back to School Sunday

Sunday 31st August, 10.00 a.m.

Harvest Festival

Sunday 28th September

School form signing

Sat 4th and 18th October

(details to follow)

Confirmation Service 2025

Sunday 12th October, 4pm

(details of confirmation classes to follow)



Saturday 13th September

If you would like to take part in this sponsored event which raises money for the Friends of Kent Churches, please take a form or speak to Christine. 50% of money you raise comes back to St Luke's.

Thank you to the Beavers!

12th St John's Beavers (who meet at St Luke's) recently completed two sponsored walks to raise money for our 'Warm and Toasty' fund.

A huge thank you to the Beavers for the £160 raised, and their leaders for their efforts,. Especially since one of the walks was completed in 30°C heat a few weeks ago. Not many laps were completed but they certainly worked hard!

Global Week of Prayer

1-7 September

Churches for Tunbridge Wells are taking part in a global week of prayer. Cards at the back of church on how you can sign-up to take part.