

The United Benefice of Cudham and Downe



Welcome to our Church

Sunday 2nd March

9.30am Downe Holy Communion *led by Revd Ann Uphill*
[Psalm 99, Luke 9: 28-36](#)

11.00am Cudham Holy Baptism of Emilia Elizabeth Callow
Please pray for Emilia and her family as we
bring her to baptism.
led by Ven Dr Paul Wright
[Mark 10: 13-16](#)

The Sunday next before Lent

Almighty Father, whose Son was revealed in majesty
before he suffered death upon the cross:
give us grace to perceive his glory,
that we may be strengthened to suffer with him
and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

*Refreshments are available and we invite you to stay and
enjoy meeting others before you go home*

Upcoming services



Wednesday 5th March

7.30pm Cudham United Holy Communion with
imposition of ashes

led by Ven Dr Paul Wright

[Joel 2: 1-2, 12-17, Matthew 6: 1-6, 16-21](#)

Sunday 9th March

9.30am Downe Morning Worship

11.00am Cudham Holy Communion **and Sunday Club**

Both services led by Revd Canon Katrina Barnes

Tuesday 11th March

10.00am Downe Holy Communion

led by Revd Canon Jane Winter

Sunday 16th March

9.30am Downe Holy Communion

led by Rev Ann Uphill

11.00am Cudham Morning Worship **and Sunday Club**

led by Revd Canon Tim Hatwell

Sunday 23rd March

9.30am Downe Morning Worship *led by Ian Gillies*

11.00am Cudham Holy Communion **and Sunday Club**

led by Revd Ann Uphill

You are very welcome to come along to the following:

Home Group - Monday 3rd March, 2pm at Sue's, Cudham

Christian Meditation - Thursday 6th March at 10.00am
at St Mary's

Ladies Fellowship - Tues 11th March at Elizabeth's, Cudham

Please email admin@pcd.org.uk or call 01959 571515
for more details

The United Benefice of Cudham and Downe extends a...

WARM WELCOME

to join with others for a day of friendship and fun with social & creative activities, light refreshments and a fish'n'chip lunch – FREE (donations welcome)

10.30am 'til 3.30pm on Friday 14th March

in Downe Village Hall

To reserve a place ☎ 01959 571515 (leave a message) or email to admin@pcd.org.uk by Sunday 9th March.

Places are limited. Vegetarian option available.

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LENT - Please take a free copy of the TOGETHER magazine, from the Diocese of Rochester, (Feb-April 2025) from the back of both churches. The centre pages feature LIVING HOPE with a suggested 5 ways to engage with it, including planting some seeds to grow during Lent as we grow in hope.

You can also download the CofE Everyday Faith App which provides a daily reading, reflection and prayer. From 5th March there will be daily Lent reflection. More details can be found via the link - [Everyday Faith | The Church of England](#)

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Prayer Works



Prayer – you are very welcome to join us for a time of prayer at St Mary's, Downe on **Tuesday 4th March** at 10.00am.

'Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful.' Col 4:2 NIV

Prayer points for this week:

- ✚ For headteachers, staff and pupils of our local schools in Cudham and Downe, and for Kim and John as they take collective worship.
- ✚ For peace and justice in our world and for those who work for reconciliation.

- and let us continue to pray for one another, our families, and our parishioners. This week we pray for –

- Helen Morgan (Cudham)
- Nicola Howard (Downe)
- residents in Cacket's Lane (Cudham)
- residents in Green Hill (Downe)

Our pastoral care team is available should you feel the need to speak to someone about anything, whether it's just for a chat or if something is troubling you. You can contact them on 07942 354533 or email pastoral.team@pcd.org.uk

While our churches have a vacancy for a Vicar, please email admin@pcd.org.uk or call the parish office on 01959 571515 to leave a message. Alternatively, contact one of the churchwardens below:

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Please email any contributions to be included in our weekly notice sheet by Wednesday evening to admin@pcd.org.uk