

## Contact Us

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### Standing Committee

Michelle Matthews Tony Gauvain  
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If you would like make a donation to the parish our BACS details are;  
**Acc: 16342606** sort code: **09-01-55** St Peter & St Paul Ewhurst  
 Cheques payable to 'St Peter and St Paul Ewhurst'  
 Please join the Parish Giving Scheme, ask the Parish Office for details

**St Peter and St Paul is open** each weekday and Saturday from 9.30 – 4.00, and on Sundays from the first service until 7pm.  
*The person unlocking & locking the church from Monday 8 July is Janet Longstreeth 277632*

**Okewood Church is open every day.**

**Holy Trinity Forest Green is open every day.**

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Parish office opening hours Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 9.30 to 1.00pm



The Parish of Ewhurst  
with Okewood & Forest Green

**7 July 2024**  
**Trinity 6**

**Almighty God, whose blessed apostles Peter and Paul glorified you in their death as in their life: grant that your Church, inspired by their teaching and example, and made one by your Spirit, may ever stand firm upon the one foundation, Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

### Readings

Old Testament Ezekial 2: 1-5  
 New Testament 2 Corinthians 12: 2-10  
 The Gospel Mark 6: 1-13



### Service Schedule

	1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday
EWHURST	10.30am Morning Worship	9am BCP Holy Communion 6pm Evensong	10.30am Holy Communion	9am BCP Holy Communion	
OKEWOOD	10.30am Holy Communion 3pm Forestchurch	10.30am Morning Worship	10.30am Morning Worship	10.30am All Age service	
FOREST GREEN				6pm Evening Worship	10.30am Joint Holy Comm.

## Prayer for Ordinary Time

Father, may everything we do begin with your inspiration and continue with your saving help. Let our work always find its origin in you and through you reach completion. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

## Prayer for our Parish Vacancy

Loving God,  
As we journey together through this period of vacancy in our parish, we thank you for your everlasting faithfulness to us. At this time of uncertainty and change we ask that you send us your Holy Spirit, to fill us with your vision, energy and faithfulness in prayer. Amen.

## Prayers for Healing

If you would like prayers for healing, please email or phone the parish office to be added to this list. If you know someone who would like prayers, please ask them if we can have their contact details so we can be in touch. Please include these people in your prayers;

Families and friends of those who are mourning.

**Grief Matters – a support group in our parish for anyone suffering bereavement grief and loss.** Please contact Irene on 01483 273751.

**Baby and Toddler group takes place** in the Wilson Room on Fridays during term time, from 10.00 to 11.30am. Contact rosemarysm@gmail.com 01483 351386.

**WeCare** – supporting people with Dementia and their carers, meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays every month, 10.30-12.30 in the Glebe Centre, Ewhurst. Friendship and activities, with coffee, tea and home-made cakes. Ring Carol on 07775865125 or Tony on 01483 267027.

**Okewood Church Prayer Meeting** – all welcome, Sundays 9.30-10am in the Ark.

**Please note, the Parish Office will be closed for one week in July**, from Saturday 20 to Friday 26 July.

**During August the Parish Office will only be open on Fridays.**

### Upcoming events.

**Forest Church upcoming dates:** 7 July, 4 Aug, 1 Sept, 6 Oct

**Listening Lounge dates:** 6 July, 3 Aug, 7 Sept, Wilson room 9am

**Glebe Coffee morning Wednesday** 10.30-12 Glebe Centre, Ewhurst

**Pavilion Café Wednesday** 9.00-12 Ockley Cricket Pavilion

## Notices

**Our services this Sunday will be a 10.30am Holy Communion at Okewood, 10.30am Morning Worship at St Peter & St Paul Ewhurst, and 3pm Forest Church in the woods at Okewood.**

**The funeral of Gordon Stemp will take place at Okewood church on Tuesday 9 July at 2pm, followed by a burial.**

**The interment of ashes of Jeanette van't Riet will take place at St Peter & St Paul Ewhurst on Saturday 13 July.**

**The wedding of Jamie May and Lucy Aitchison will take place at Holy Trinity Forest Green on Saturday 13 July at 1.30pm.**

**The baptism of Elizabeth Wilkins will take place on Sunday 14 July at St Peter & St Paul Ewhurst.**

**Forest Church is on this coming Sunday at 3pm.** This week we will celebrate International Mud Day which happened recently. We will make clay models of animals; we will make mud handprints as a form of prayer, and we might even anoint one another with mud (that is mud designed to be put on skin!). Do come and join in, we'd love to see you there! We meet at the Ark building to the rear of St John the Baptist Church in Okewood Hill, and use the surrounding woodland, whilst having the benefit of their facilities, including toilets.

Email me on: [ben@ewhurstbaptist.org](mailto:ben@ewhurstbaptist.org) or call me on 07800 996 664.

**Get Ready to be Part of the Family Fun Day at Sayers Croft on Saturday 27 July 12-4pm.** We hope you'll come along to enjoy the day but as with all events we need other help as well. Firstly, we need donations for the Raffle - anything special is fine but alcohol/chocs are always welcome. Next, we hope you'll buy Raffle tickets and take some home to sell to family & friends. Lastly, on the day we need helpers on the Entrance, Token Stall & Raffle. If you can help please contact Jane on 01483 2750247 or geoffjane67@gmail.com  
More details are on our website [www.friendsofewhurstchurch.com](http://www.friendsofewhurstchurch.com)

**We are looking for a volunteer** to take over creating the coffee rota for St Peter & St Paul please. Also, we need someone to be responsible for keeping the Wilson room kitchen stocked with supplies. If you can help with this, please speak to Jackie Avery or email Liz Coleman.

**Thank you to all those who came and enjoyed Summer Songs of Praise last Sunday!** Thanks to Val's efforts a wonderful programme of hymns, songs and poetry readings was appreciated by all who were there. Thanks too, to Sophy who provided a beautiful violin accompaniment to Val's keyboard, and to Josh and Steven Root for providing sound equipment. Mrs Geoghegan has since reported that £400 was raised for the charity VERSUS Arthritis.