

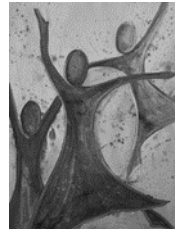
Reigate Park United Reformed Church

MORNING SERVICE

“God’s gift of the Sabbath”

Revd George Watt

10.00 am on Sunday 25 August 2019



Call to worship

Gifted with the sabbath,
we gather in the freedom light of joyful praise,
to rejoice, honour and worship God’s holy name.

Hymn R&S 492 Dear Lord and Father of mankind

Prayer of approach & confession and Lord’s Prayer

Family Address

Hymn – Light of the world

Notices, offertory and offertory prayer

Junior church leave

Readings: **Isaiah 58.9-14**

Luke 13:10-17

Hymn R&S 349 I heard the voice of Jesus say

Sermon

Hymn R&S 107 the love of God comes close

Prayers of intercession

Hymn R&S 285 O for a thousand tongues to sing Tune: Lyngham

Blessing

We thank Linda and Tony Cockerill for our flowers this Sunday, which have been arranged by Sue Knight.

We welcome everyone to our worship this morning. Please join us for coffee or tea in the hall after the service.

Offertory Collection/Gift Aid - For cash donations please use the gift aid envelopes in each seat. Fill in your details or just write your gift aid number if you have one. To give electronically download the app called GIVT. You can either give directly through the app or you can tap the offering bags (which have been fitted with beacons).



Elders Elections - last date for nominations is Sunday 22 September. We still need more nominations to bring our Eldership back up to the requisite twelve as per our constitution. Please give this your prayerful thought and speak to the Minister or Sue Knight if you would like more information. Nomination forms available from Sue Knight.

Reigate Beaumont Garden Fete & Small Dog Show – Saturday 31 August from 2 pm. An Invitation to all at Reigate Park Church. Please come and join us for a fun day. Entry and parking are free.



Messy Church Dates – Fridays 13 September, 17 October, 15 November & 13 December. Come for crafts and a short service followed by tea. All Welcome.

Quiz Night in aid of The Leprosy Mission – Saturday 19 October. Tickets are now available from Church office or Margaret Samuel. Tickets are £12 which includes Fish and Chips (with alternatives available). Start thinking about who you might ask to be in your team! Teams will also be coming from other local churches.

Freedom from Addiction – The Recovery Course – 7 – 9.30 pm Tuesdays from 3 September for 15 weeks at St Mary's Church Centre. The course is open to anyone struggling with any sort of addiction – whether newly recovered or who have been in recovery for years but would like a fresh look at the 12 steps from a Christian perspective. For details email recoverycourse.redhillreigate@gmail.com, ☎ 01737 221100 or website: www.stmaryreigate.org.

Equip Conference – Equipping the Church for works of service – 13/14 September at St Mary's Church. Jackie Pullinger will be leading 4 sessions over two days with a focus on equipping, refreshing and acceleration so that all can play their part in activating and practicing gifts of the Holy Spirit. Details of Jackie's work with the poor in Hong Kong see www.ststephensociety.com. To book see link on www.stmaryreigate.org.

Harvest and Christmas Charities

It is that time of year again when we think about the charities we would like to support at Harvest and Christmas. I am now asking for nominations so if you have a charity you would supported please complete the nomination form with a short paragraph about the charity and put it in box in the foyer. These will be collated on to a form for the church family to vote on.

We are as usual looking for a local and an International Charity for both Harvest and Christmas.

If your charity has been successful in the past I would ask that you do not submit that charity again this year. Closing date for submissions is 2nd September. Thank you

Susan Knight – Church Secretary