

Reigate Park United Reformed Church
SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION
“Tempted and tested”
Sunday 1 March 2020
Revd George Watt



Call to worship:

Holy One, we begin our journey into Lent;
the lights shine brightly,
we approach the coming trials with hope.

Six lights for six weeks.

We come to worship.

**We follow Jesus into the desert—
from high mountain to the valley below
offering ourselves, our prayers,
our actions in hope and faith.**

Hymn 103 Praise to the holiest in the height (Tune: (ii) Gerontius)

Prayer of approach and confession and Lord's Prayer

Family Address

Hymn – Love in my heart

Notices, Offertory and Offertory Prayer

Junior Church leave

Reading: Matthew 4: 1-11

Hymn 495 Father hear the prayer we offer

Sermon

Prayers of Intercession

Hymn – Chosen people in the desert (Tune: Nettleton)

COMMUNION

(The communion wine is non-alcoholic and there is rice cake and water on each tray as an alternative to the bread and wine)

Hymn 261 At the name of Jesus

Blessing

Our flowers this Sunday are provided by the Flower Fund and have been arranged by Sue Wylie.

We welcome everyone to our worship this morning. The service includes the celebration of Holy Communion which is open to all who love our Lord. 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).

NOTICES

Sunday 7.00pm Winter Night Shelter
1.3.20

Monday 10.30am Monday Morning Group in the Park Room -
Lent

Wednesday 7.30pm Social & Fundraising Committee Meeting in the
Park Room

Thursday 8.00pm Thursday Evening Group in the Park Room -
Confident in Relationships (1 Peter 3: 1 - 12)

Friday World Day of Prayer
10.30am Service at Holy Trinity Church, Redhill
7.30pm Service at St Mary's Church, Reigate

Saturday 6.00pm Tearfund Biz Quiz Night at Redhill URC

Sunday 10.00am Morning Service led by Revd Martin Hazell,
8.3.20 Minister of Redhill URC and Moat Church URC
(Cluster Pulpit Exchange)

OTHER NOTICES

If you have any news or concerns about fellow members who are sick or in hospital, please let our Pastoral Group know.

Cluster Churches - Reigate Park is part of the North Downs cluster of Churches and each week we are asked to pray for one of the Churches in our Cluster. This week we are remembering **Reigate Park Church**.

RPC Book Club – 8.00pm on Wednesday 18 March – at Anna Burgess' home discussing "Silas Marner" by George Eliot.

Easter Workshop – 6 – 9 April 2020 from 9.30 am to 12 noon – For Primary School Age children. Application forms are available on our website or in the foyer. Places are limited so please let Angela Bolton have your forms as soon as possible. Volunteers still needed – adults and young people from Year 8 and up.

Youth Club (Year 5+) - Sunday 15 March, Youth Club will be meeting for a quiz/challenge evening from 4:30pm-6:00pm. It will be great to see as many there as possible. Why not bring a friend? Contact Reuben for more information.

Big Quiz Night at Redhill URC - 6 pm on Saturday 7 March. Tickets £10 including fish and chip supper. We are hoping to make up some teams from RPC. All profits will go to support Tearfund.

Sound of Music Show at the Hawth on Saturday 28 March at 2.30pm. This is a London Production so will be an excellent performance. Tickets are £32 and available from Sue Knight email localchurchleader@reigateparkchurch.org.

An Introduction to Wellbeing and Mental Health in Children & Young People



**Tuesday 24 March, Park Room
8 - 9.30pm, to include refreshments
led by Ella Sowton**

***Ella works for the YMCA and is heavily involved in their
Waves Project***

For further details contact Pat Denchfield,
pat.denchfield@reigateparkchurch.org

THIS IS AN OPEN MEETING – ALL WELCOME!

Retiring collection for Waves



Fairtrade Coffee Morning

Reigate Community Centre, Methodist Church, Reigate
Saturday 7 March from 10 am – 1 pm.
Stalls and refreshments.