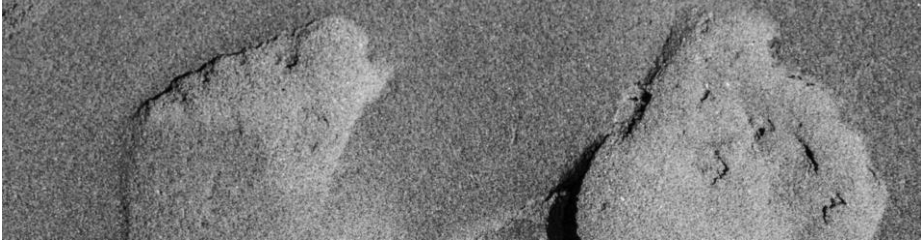


Reigate Park United Reformed Church
MORNING SERVICE
Cluster Pulpit Exchange
“How are these things possible?”
Sunday 8 March 2020
Revd Martin Hazell,
Minister of Redhill URC & Moat Church East Grinstead



Call to worship:

I lift up my eyes: where does my help come from?

My help comes from the Lord.

The Lord who made heaven and earth.

Let us come now and worship the Lord. *(based on Psalm 121)**

Hymn 522 From heaven you came, helpless babe

Prayer of approach and confession and Lord's Prayer

Family Address

Hymn 518 Father, I place into your hands

Notices, Offertory and Offertory Prayer

Saying together:

Eternal God,

we come with these gifts

to offer our sacrifice of praise

and the service of our lives;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Junior Church leave

Reading: Genesis 12: 1-4a (New Living Translation)

John 3: 1-17 (New Living Translation)

Hymn 583 The Church is wherever God's people are praising

Sermon

Hymn 525 He comes to us as one unknown (remain seated)

Prayers of Intercession

Hymn 90 O Lord, all the world belongs to you



Blessing

Go and live with God's Spirit within you.
Go and reach out to all those you meet.
Go and help others to experience the sense of belonging
that you already know in Christ Jesus. **Amen.***

...and the blessing of God – Father, Son and Holy Spirit –
is with us today and always. **Amen.**

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We thank Nelia Rodrigues for our flowers this Sunday, which have been
arranged by Barbara Bristow.

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).

NOTICES

<u>Sunday</u> 8.3.20	7.00pm	Winter Night Shelter
<u>Monday</u>	10.30am	Monday Morning Group in the Park Room – Lent
	12.15pm	Worship Planning Meeting at the Manse
<u>Tuesday</u>	7.30pm	Social & Fundraising Committee Meeting in the Park Room
<u>Wednesday</u>	10.30am	Midweek Communion at St Luke's Church led by our Minister
	7.45pm	Elders' Meeting in the Park Room
<u>Thursday</u>	2.00pm	Knit & Natter in the Park Room
<u>Saturday</u>	10.00am	Synod Together at Christ Church, Petts Wood

<u>Sunday</u> <u>15.3.20</u>	10.00am	Morning Service led by our Minister UNICEF Collection in the foyer Copy due for Record
	4.00pm	Easter Experience Final Dress Rehearsal – All Welcome
	4.30pm	RPC Youth Club
	7.00pm	Winter Night Shelter

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 **Redhill URC**.

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 limited so please let Angela Bolton have your forms as soon as possible. To volunteer please contact Angela.

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.

Coronavirus - To prevent the spread of coronavirus please wash your hands thoroughly or use hand sanitiser. Avoid touching your nose, eyes or mouth as the virus can enter your body there. If you are feeling unwell, seek medical advice and stay at home to avoid infecting others.

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.

Reigate and Redhill Choral Society - Songs of Passion and Peace, Saturday 28 March at St. Mary’s Church, Reigate at 7.30 pm. Tickets £17 (advance)/£19 (door) from 07588 730246 or website, www.rrcs.org.uk.

St Bede's

St Bede's are advertising for a part time **Free Church Chaplain** (lay or ordained). Please see the St Bede's website for further details. The closing date is 16 March.

There will also be vacancies for **two new Free Church governors – one lay and one Church Leader**. Please speak to George Watt or Victoria Clifford for further details.



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

Easter Experience

We will once again be hosting the Easter Experience for Year 5 children run by SparkFish. This will take place 18-20 & 23-24 March. We are expecting over 700 children. Please pray for this event as the story of Easter is retold and the cast face questions from the children. You are invited to join us for the final dress rehearsal on **Sunday 15 March at 4 pm** which will last for about an hour. It involves moving round the church and if needed you are recommended to bring a folding chair to sit on.