

LENT COURSE AND LENT LUNCHES

We are once again following the Diocesan Lent course, this year entitled 'Reflecting the Year of the Old Testament', which runs for five sessions on Tuesdays starting on 7th March in the Parish Rooms at 7pm.

Lent lunches will be held on Wednesdays during Lent, starting on 1st March at 12.30 in Bramble Hall. These will consist of a simple lunch of soup and bread and will include a short reflective act of worship. All are welcome, please let Denise or Karen know if you would like to attend.

BUILDING WORK AT ST MARY'S

Major works will continue until mid-June. There will be scaffolding both inside and outside the church building, meaning that access to the church will be limited for the duration of the works, however, we plan to continue with services on Sundays. The works are to repair extensive water damage to the roof and building and the Chancel and Lady Chapel will be out of use for at least six weeks.

COFFEE AND CAKE

**Parish Room, Saturday,
25th March 10.30-11.45am**

The Parish Rooms will again be open on Saturday, 25th March from 10.30- 11.45am, with free hot and cold drinks, cakes and biscuits and everyone is welcome. We look forward to seeing you there.



This is the last drop-in

café for the time being, we may open again in October!

Jacqueline (811312) and Ali (811370)

St Mary's Church, Balcombe Grapevine

12th March 2023

**The Third Sunday of Lent
Weekly Diary**

TODAY	8am	Holy Communion (BCP)
	10am	Parish Eucharist with Rev. John Twisleton
Sunday next	8am	Holy Communion (BCP)
	10am	Mothering Sunday Parish Eucharist with Fr David

PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

All those who live in: Foxwells, Redbridge Lane (Handcross Road) and Haywards Heath Road.

All those who are sick, especially the departed.

FAMILY SUPPORT WORK Annual Spring Supper

This fundraising event Dinner will be held on Friday, 17th March at 7.30pm in Wivelsfield Village Hall, to raise awareness and money for FSW. Tickets are £20 for dinner and entertainment from the Scaynes Hill Community Choir. Cash Bar available. To book and for more information, contact Helen Thomas on 07976031579.