



**ST AUGUSTINE'S**

Thorpe Bay

# Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June

## 3rd Sunday After Trinity

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A warm welcome to St Augustine's Church today.

All those who are baptised and accustomed to receiving communion are invited to do so here. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, please feel free to come to the altar rail holding a service booklet. Gluten free Communion wafers are available - please ask when you come up to the altar rail.

### Worship today

8.00am: Holy Communion (BCP)

10:00am: Holy Communion

6:30pm: Evensong (Hymns: 563, 175, 612 Psalm [42], 43)

### Worship this coming week

Wed 24<sup>th</sup> June: 10am Holy Communion (BCP)

Wed 24<sup>th</sup> June: 2pm Simply Sing

Morning and Evening Prayers – Monday to Thurs at 8am and 5pm (BCP)

### Services next Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2026: 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

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10:00am: Holy Communion

6:30pm: Evensong

### Keep in touch.

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If you would like to receive an email from Rev Dave (no more than weekly) then please scan the QR code using your mobile phone camera or sign up via our website.



**Opening Hymn:** 609 *To God be the Glory*

**Collect:** *Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts whereby we call you Father: give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that we and all creation may be brought to the glorious liberty of the children of God; through 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.*

**First Reading:** *Exod 19:2-8a*

**Second Reading:** *Rom 5:1-8*

**Gradual Hymn:** 622 *Will you come and follow me*

**Gospel:** *Matt 10:24 – 39* 'A disciple is not above the teacher, nor a slave above the master; it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher, and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household! 'So have no fear of them; for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered, and nothing secret that will not become known. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light; and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground unperceived by your Father. And even the hairs of your head are all counted. So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows. 'Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven; but whoever denies me before others, I also will deny before my Father in heaven. 'Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace, but a sword. For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law; and one's foes will be members of one's own household. Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it.

**Offertory Hymn:** 96 *Jesu, lover of my soul*

**Communion Hymn:** 533 *O for a heart*

**Post-Communion Prayer:** *O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining and whose power we cannot comprehend: show us your glory as far as we can grasp it, and shield us from knowing more than we can bear until we may look upon you without fear; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.*

**Closing Hymn:** 433 *Give me joy in my heart*

*Please join us for refreshments after the 10am service*



**Our prayers are asked for..... Those who are unwell**

Jacky Beaumont, Julie Benton, Caroline, Terry Chittock,  
Paul Davison, John Godwin, Janice Hampson, Frances Humphry,  
Bethany Humphrey, Tony Owen, Jeanne Peagram, Sharon,  
Peter Somerville, John Tooley, Sally Wilcox, Theresa

**Others who have asked to be remembered in our prayers in church  
and at home (these names will not be read out):**

Geoff Craft, Judy Evans, Rosemary Haworth, Laura Holland,  
Katherine Lovett, Fran McEvoy, Joel Morrison, Trish O'Hara,  
Paul Sentance, Christine Sutton, Andrea Yates  
The King and Catherine, Princess of Wales

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**Those who have recently died**

Glenys Holland

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**Those whose years' mind falls at this time**

Elfrida Johns, Michael Porter, Marjorie Bowers

If you wish to add a name to the year's mind list or include something in the Newsletter please contact  
Barbara Black 07969099396 - [barbarablack29@gmail.com](mailto:barbarablack29@gmail.com)

## St Augustine's Summer Fete 27<sup>th</sup> June:

**Please bring your own fold up chairs and gazebo / umbrella where possible. If you can help set up we will be starting at about 9am and please stay behind after the fete to tidy up as many things will have to be returned to the hall and the Fete Shed behind the hall.**

The map of the fete is hanging (hopefully) at the back of the church with job allocations in place. There is also the list of jobs remaining – please put your names down if you want to join in. **Tombola and small games prizes still needed as well as cakes for the tea area, thank you.** Please place items brought in under the table at the back of church or hand to one of the Fete Team after the service. Thank you **Fete Team**

**Roundabout Games:** Just a gentle reminder that there won't be a meeting of our club in June. Our next meeting will be on July 24th. **Wendy**

**Harmonie Concert Band - Travels the World!** 27<sup>th</sup> June here in church. Adults £10 under 18's £5. From 19:30 – 22:00 Spend the evening with us as we explore music from around the world, in our first concert with our new Musical Director Anne Clark! Tickets can be purchased on the door

**The Deanery Orchestra - Summer Concert:** Saturday 4th July 2026 in the church. Doors Open: 6 45pm Concert Starts: 7.30pm Candlelit tables - Interval – Raffle Enjoy your own nibbles /refreshments. Tickets: £10 (16 and under FREE) \*Ticket reservations recommended\*: Please email [thedeaneryorchestra@gmail.com](mailto:thedeaneryorchestra@gmail.com) Alternatively, please text or call 07922 554343

**Book of Remembrance:** we now have a qualified calligrapher (after the sad loss of Hugo Brewer in 2017) to update the Remembrance book. This book sits alongside the Lady Chapel and is opened daily in remembrance of those mentioned on that date. There is a form in the folder at the back of the church for you to complete should you wish for your loved one to be included. This form can also be found on the church website under 'What's On'. Once complete please return to: Ena Chandler, Barbara Black or Rev Dave. There is a fee of £20 for this service - if possible in a Gift Aid envelope please.