

Whoever you are and wherever you are on life's journey, you are welcome.

Sunday 10th May 2026, 10.30am

Sharing Your Hope

Morning Worship led by the Revd Lucy Brierley

**Groups for children and young people meet
after sharing in the first part of the service.**

This Service, broadcast live from the Church can be found via the Church's website - www.wokingurc.org.uk our YouTube Channel or via our Facebook page. There is an archive of service recordings, including this one, on our website which can be viewed at home. If you would like some help to access any of them please email - office@wokingurc.org.uk or telephone us on 01483 763078. If you would like a recording of this Service, and any other, they are available in various formats by request. Please contact the Church Office.

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ORDER OF SERVICE

The Church is fitted with a loop system. The words of hymns and songs, and Bible readings etc are displayed on the screen. Bibles and hymn books in standard and large print are also available from the Welcomers. As the Service is live streamed you (and / or your family) could be on camera as efforts are made to help those watching at home to feel a part of the worshipping congregation in the Church. If you have any concerns regarding this, please speak to an Elder or Welcomer.

Welcome and Notices

Call to Worship

Hymns - Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)
 Great Are You Lord

Prayers & The Lord's Prayer

Family Time

Hymn - Christ Our Hope In Life & Death

Children & Young People continue in groups

Bible Readings - John 14 v15-21 read by Margaret Marcham
 1 Peter 3 v13-22 read by James Gemmell

Hymn - All My Hope On God Is Founded (R&S 586)

Sermon

Hymn - There Is A Hope

Prayers for Others & Offering prayer

Hymn - Blessed Assurance

Blessing

NEWS AND FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Christian Aid Week begins today. If you are able to help with delivery only envelope distribution as well as deliver / collect, please see Alison Blick in the foyer this morning. Donations can be made through the card machine or cash /cheques in envelopes available in the Forum.

You are invited to stay for **refreshments after the Service**. They will be served in the Forum and in the Sanctuary (or the Church garden if fine weather). Please do stay if you can to enjoy a time to meet and talk with each other.

Heathside Car Park. Free Sunday morning parking (up until 1pm) for those attending this Church. Please key in your registration number on a device in the Forum in the Church before the Service each time you are here. The barrier will rise to let you out of the car park because your number will be recognised. If the device indicates 'number not recognised' please write your details on the sheet next to the devices and press the HELP button as you reach the car park barrier. Your number will have been notified.

If you would like to donate to the work of the Church this can be done either here at Church or from home. The card machine in the Forum may be used for contactless donations and there is an offering bag underneath it for anyone wishing to make a cash donation. For one-off gifts, there is a direct link to the giving page from the "Donate" button at the top the home page of the Church's website or just scan this QR code & Select 'Donations-church Funds'.



Prayer requests. There is a box in the Forum with a pile of blue cards in front which you are invited to use to request prayers particularly on a Thursday morning or at other appropriate times at the Church.

Leading Worship elsewhere. Vivien Gerhold is at Cranleigh Methodist Church and Andrew Gibb is at St Paul's URC, Bracknell this morning..

The **(Annual) Church Meeting next Sunday, 17th May**, will start soon after the end of the Morning Service. There is an extension on free parking at Heathside until 2 pm but the meeting should not last longer than an hour. Children will be cared for during the meeting. The agenda and papers have been distributed by email. If you would like a paper copy please contact the Church Office. Those who are not yet Church Members are very welcome to attend the meeting.

Petting Farm, rides and many other attractions - all part of the community event, in partnership with the Children with Special Needs Foundation, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 26th, 27th and 28th May (half term week). There are several way in which you can help to make this a big success and there are various sign-up sheets in the Forum and leaflets to take away and give to your friends, relatives and neighbours.

Vacancy for Parish and Hall Hire Administrator at St Paul's Church, Oriental Road. This is a 20 hours per week role. Job description from email: office@stpaulswoking.org.uk

Collection point for food and other items for the York Road Project and Your Sanctuary open every Sunday. Please note that Your Sanctuary is now unable to accept large items for sale due to a premises move but would still welcome the usual 'everyday' gifts of food items and toiletries.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

TODAY	Christian Aid Week begins - <i>please see previous page</i>
MONDAY	7.00 am Early morning Community Coffee for passers-by the Church 11.00 am The Crocus Café - for people with dementia and other disabilities, and their carers 2.00 pm Knitting Fellowship Boys' and Girls' Brigades groups: Anchors and Explorers (ages 4/5 - school year 3) 5.30 to 7.00 pm. Junior Section Boys and Girls (school years 4-6) 5.30 to 7.00 pm. Company, Senior and Brigader Sections (school years 7-13) 7.15 to 9.15 pm.
TUESDAY	9.30 am Tuesday Prayers - Children and Youth Work focussed
WEDNESDAY	10.00 am Baby & Toddler Group
THURSDAY	10.00 am Refill - Bible Study and Discussion Group (children welcome to come along with parents/carers) 11.00 am Prayers and Reflection in person and by Zoom - Zoom link: https://Zoom.us/j/95986431118
FRIDAY	<i>Copy for the June Church Magazine should reach the editor - magazine@wokingurc.org.uk</i>
SATURDAY	
NEXT SUNDAY	10.00 am Prayers in the Vestry 10.30 am Morning Worship led by the Minister - <i>Support through suffering</i> 12.15 approx (Annual) Church Meeting - <i>please see previous page</i> Collection point for food and other items for the York Road Project and Your Sanctuary open every Sunday. Please see previous page.
UPCOMING	Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, 26th, 27th & 28th May - Petting Farm and attractions - please see previous page and pick up leaflets in the Forum. Wednesday 27th May from 5 pm - Church Family at the Farm with barbecue and ending with short worship.

Please take this paper home with you for reference and to use the information on this page and the previous one about meetings and events in your prayers this week.