Goring United Reformed Church

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WELCOME

We are here to: Grow closer to God, Support and encourage each other, Share the love of Jesus

Sunday 17th November 2024

New Here?

Please pick up a 'New Here?' leaflet from the back of the church or visit our website www.gurc.net under 'Publications' on the top Menu.

Morning Worship: Mrs Ellie Bunker Duty Elder: Mr Matthew Smith

TODAY'S SERVICE: Hymns and readings shown on our screens

Lord Jesus Christ, You have come to us Dear Lord and Father of Mankind Father I place into your hands Be still for the presence of the Lord Forth in Thy Name, O Lord, I go Leviticus 19 : 11-16 1 John: 4 : 5-10

PRAYERS FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY this week we remember: Mrs Shaun King, Mr Ray Knight, Dr Paul Long and Mr Bill Marshall

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DAILY PRAYERS

Sunday: Lord Jesus Christ, now and every day teach us how to pray, Son of God. You have commanded us to do this in remembrance of you and into our lives your power breaks through, Living Lord – hear our prayers!

Monday: Father, I place into your hands the things I cannot do, I place into your hands the times that I've been through. Father, I place into your hands the way that I should go – hear our prayers!

Tuesday: Dear Lord and Father of mankind, forgive our foolish ways. Re-clothe us in our rightful mind, in purer lives thy service find, in deeper reverence – hear our prayers!

Wednesday: Father, I place into your hands my friends and family, I place into your hands the things that trouble me. I place into your hands the person I would be – hear our prayers!

Thursday: Forth in your name O Lord, I go, my daily labour to pursue, determined only you to know in all I think or speak or do. The task your wisdom has assigned, O let me cheerfully fullfill; in all my works your presence find, and prove your good and perfect will – hear our prayers!

Friday: Father, we love to seek your face, to hear your voice. We love to sing your praise and in your name rejoice. We love to walk with you and in your presence rest – hear our prayers!

Saturday: Be still for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One is here Come bow before Him now, with reverence and fear. He comes to cleanse and heal, to minister His grace. No work too hard for Him, in faith receive from Him

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REGULAR DATES FOR THE DIARY More details can be found on-line at: www.gurc.net/diary, and please email any changes to diary@gurc.org.uk

Mini Fishes – Mondays 9.30am Main Hall in Term-time
Coffee, Tea & Cake Drop-in & Warm Space - Mondays 2.00pm Sanctuary
Senior Table Tennis - Tuesdays & Fridays 9.30am Main Hall
Bible Study – Wednesdays 7.00pm Sanctuary, with Jonathan Cooper
Art & Craft Club – 1st Saturday of the month: 9.30am Sanctuary
Tuesday Fellowship – 2nd Tuesday of the month: 2.15pm Cornwall Room
Mid-week Praise – 3rd Thursday of the month: 21st Nov. 7.00pm Sanctuary
Church Family Breakfast – 2nd Sunday of the month: 9.45am
Church Meeting – Trial run of new time in November: 11.30am Sunday 24th
in the Sanctuary after the morning service.

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CHURCH NOTICES

Thank you for the lovely flowers given to me on Sunday by Hilary, they are beautiful. Val B xxx

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Thank you for the bouquet which Hilary placed in the pocket of my walker on my return to church after my accident and for the welcome of so many friends. A truly caring community. *Shirley Wilde*

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We have booked for the Toby Carvery at Goring Road on Monday 25th November at 6.30 p.m. This is a joint Ladies and Gents meal and all are welcome. Please add your name to the list at the back of the Church. *Val G*

This year, instead of individual gifts, Safe in Sussex have asked for art and craft supplies and games for families to play together. If you would like to donate anything, please could you give it to me by 24th November so I can deliver in time for Christmas. Thank you, *Mary*

There is a Christmas Fair being held at Sompting on Saturday 30th November, 10am-1pm. It would be good to see some of your folk if anyone can make it although I know it's a busy time. Best wishes, *Maureen Clarke*

On the 29th December we are having a service of Carols for Joy which we would like everyone to choose a favourite carol, Christmas reading, poem or what Christmas means to you. Give you ideas and choices to *Val Cooper* or *Caroline Hibbs* by the 8th of December.

Chloe is going to Kenya in July 2025 as part of a charity project to build a school. She will be building and teaching whilst there. In order to get there, she needs to raise just over £1800. To start her fundraising, she will be selling Christmas cards. Please see Chloe to order some or for more information.

The updated Church Handbooks/Directories for 2024/25 are now available by the A/V Desk for collection in both large and small versions. Please help yourselves, and safely destroy your old copies. There is no charge! If you have one that is No. 76 or earlier, then it is out of date and ideally should be changed. Did you know the latest directory can always be viewed on our website which is regularly updated.

You can log in or register to see members' pages at the top right hand corner of the screen. Any problems please speak to *Graham*.

Next Sunday 10.30am service will be led by Rev. John Jennings Our Sunday services are recorded to watch later: https://www.gurc.net

Please email any contributions for Welcome to: welcome@gurc.org.uk
The editor for November 2024 will be Barbara Hillman

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