

Service Programme

September - December 2017

At each of our Sunday services we seek to bring the Bible to life with relevant teaching, in a context of thoughtful prayer and passionate worship. **This term's sermon theme will be Reverent Worship.** Most of our Sunday service talks can be found on our website: highfield.church

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8am

Holy Communion service, alternating between Order 1 and 2 each week.

Order 1 uses contemporary language and follows most closely the service devised in 1980.

Order 2 almost identical to the Book of Common Prayer using older words from 1662.

Note there is no 8am service on 17 September and 24 December

9.15am Reverent Worship

September

- 3 Living Sacrifices Romans 12:1-8 Holy Communion
- 10 A Covenant People Exodus 20:1-12; Romans 12:9-21
- 17 *No 9.15 today - Rooted weekend away*
- 24 Jesus as the Gate of Heaven Genesis 28:10-22; John 1:43-51 Harvest

October

- 1 Praise Psalm 99; Romans 11:33-36 Holy Communion
- 8 Confession Psalm 51; 1 Corinthians 4:1-5
- 15 Encountering God Exodus 33:7-23; 34: 5-7; 2 Corinthians 3:12-18
- 22 Joy - David danced before the Ark 2 Samuel 6:1-23
- 29 Desire - Thirsty for God Psalm 63; John 2:13-25

November

- 5 Together - a Holy Temple in the Lord Ephesians 2:11-22 Holy Communion
- 12 Together - filled to the measure of God's fullness Ephesians 3:2-21
- 19 Together - the Spirit of oneness Ephesians 4:1-6
- 26 Together - letting the Holy Spirit lead Colossians 3:12-17; Eph. 5:18-20

December

- 3 Praying and standing together Ephesians 6:10-20 Holy Communion
- 10 Together - don't put out the Spirit's fire 1Thessalonians 5:12-28
- 17 Temples of the Holy Spirit 1 Corinthians 3:16-17; 6:12-20
- 24 Christmas Eve 10am All Together Holy Communion
- 31 New Year's Eve Luke 2:22-40 10am All Together

11am Reverent Worship

September

- 3 Living Sacrifices Romans 12:1-8
- 10 A Covenant People Exodus 20:1-12; Romans 12:9-21 Holy Communion
- 17 Holy Communion
- 24 Jesus as the Gate of Heaven Genesis 28:10-22; John 1:43-51 Harvest

October

- 1 Praise Psalm 99; Romans 11:33-36 Holy Communion
- 8 University Service
- 15 Encountering God Exodus 33:7-23; 34: 5-7; 2 Corinthians 3:12-18
- 22 Joy - David danced before the Ark 2 Samuel 6:1-23
- 29 Desire - Thirsty for God Psalm 63; John 2:13-25 Holy Communion

November

- 5 Together - a Holy Temple in the Lord Eph. 2:11-22 Holy Communion
- 12 Remembrance Service 10.50am
- 19 Together - the Spirit of oneness Ephesians 4:1-6 Holy Communion
- 26 Together - letting the Holy Spirit lead Colossians 3:12-17; Eph. 5:18-20

December

- 3 Advent Carols
- 10 Together-don't put out the Spirit's fire 1Thess. 5:12-28 Holy Communion
- 17 Temples of the Holy Spirit 1 Corinthians 3:16-17; 6:12-20
- 24 Christmas Eve 10am All Together Holy Communion
- 31 New Year's Eve Luke 2:22-40 10am All Together

6.30pm Reverent Worship

September

- 3 Hearing God's story 1 Corinthians 10:1-13
- 10 Not provoking the Lord 1 Corinthians 10:14 -11:1; 2 Cor. 6:14-7:1
- 17 *No 6.30 today - Rooted weekend away*
- 24 The Lord's Supper 1 Corinthians 11:17-34 Holy Communion

October

- 1 Understanding grace-gifts 1 Corinthians 12:1-6
- 8 Using grace-gifts in worship 1 Corinthians 12:7-11
- 15 How the body works (in worship) 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a
- 22 The primacy of Love 1 Corinthians 12:31b-13:13
- 29 Desert Island Discs with Paul Mealor, part of Highfield Lecture series

November

- 5 Eagerly desire grace-gifts 1 Corinthians 14:1-5 Holy Communion
- 12 Excel in gifts that build the Body 1 Corinthians 14:6-12
- 19 'God is really among you!' 1 Corinthians 14:13-25
- 26 All for the strengthening of the Church 1 Corinthians 14:26-33a, 36-40
Holy Communion

December

- 3 Student Carols Services 4.30pm, 6pm, 8pm, 9.30pm
- 10 Carols on the Rec 4.30pm at Portswood Rec
- 17 Carols by Candlelight 4.30pm, 7pm
- 24 Christmas Eve 11pm Holy Communion
- 31 *No 6.30 today*