

# St. Saviour's Church

# April 2024 Newsletter

**Sunday Services for April** 

8.00am: 7th April: St Saviour's Church

21st April: Torteval Church

9.30am: 7th April: Family Communion

14th April: Parish Communion & Sunday Club

21st April: Church AGM (after a shortened 9.30pm service)

while young people at Sunday Club

28th April: Parish Communion (led by Le Voyage) & Sunday Club

5.00pm: 14th and 28th March: Meditation

A Still Small Voice - Poetry, music, prayer and stillness

21st April: Taize- half an hour of music,

readings and quiet time for reflection & prayer

#### **Dates in April**

Tuesday, 2nd April: 3pm - 4.30pm Tea on Tuesday in the Hall

Saturday, 6th April: 4pm Band Practice

Sunday, 7th April: 6pm - 7.30pm Ignite Discuss

Tuesdays, 9th, 16th, 23rd and 30th April: 10am-11.30am Diddy Donkeys

Wednesday, 10th April:7.30pm Le Voyage at Sarah Jane's house Friday, 12th April:7.30pm Concert with Guernsey Concert Brass

Saturday, 13th April: 8am - 9am - Women's Breakfast in the Rectory

Sunday, 14th April:7pm Children and Young people subgroup in the Rectory

Friday, 19th April: 7.30pm Concert with Octo Voces

Saturday, 20th April: 6pm-8pm Ignite Social - Marble Run!

Sunday, 21st April: 6pm – 7:30pm Ignite Discuss Tuesday, 23rd April: 7.30pm ACC in the Rectory

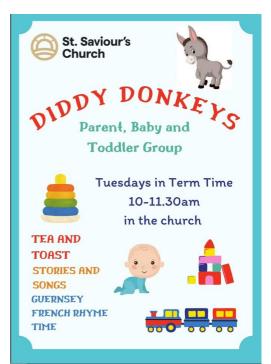
Wednesday, 24th April:7.30pm Le Voyage in the Rectory

Saturday, 27th April: Holiday Club Team Training with Andy Saunders



Sunday 2nd June: Open Garden at Colette's House Funds raised in aid of St Saviour's Church.





## St Saviour's Church Concert Series 2024



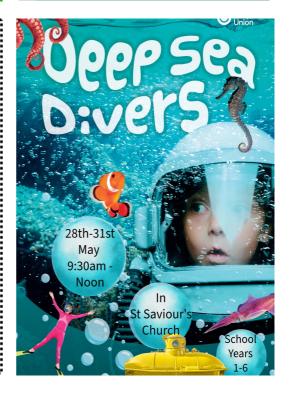
### OCTO VOCES

8 voice,
20th Century
A Capella
Joy of Singing

Friday, 19th April 7.30pm



No tickets. Free interval drinks Retiring Collection.





# Revel 2024 SATURDAY 6th JULY Noon - 3.30pm

Please start to look out any GOOD QUALITY

Books, Toys, Bric a Brac, Jigsaws or Jewellery. Also bottles for the Tombola gratefully received.

We will be having collection days for all these items at the Revel shed in the courtyard...dates to be advised later.

We are looking for volunteers for several roles. Please speak to Julie Bulpitt if you can help in any way! Or by phone: 07781 106278 or email: julie@bulpitt.gg



Welcome to Eco Church: A Rocha UK's award scheme for churches who want to demonstrate that the gospel is good news for God's earth.

Our free online survey and supporting resources are designed to equip your church to express your care for God's world in your worship and teaching; in how you look after your buildings and land; in how you engage with your local community and in global campaigns, and in the personal lifestyles of your congregation.

Our vision is for churches of all denominations to care for creation as an integral part of loving their neighbours and following God faithfully.

At St. Saviour's we have a group that is getting together to look at what we can do to be responsible carers for God's creation. If you would like to be part of it speak to Revd Tracy.

**Thought for this month**—small steps can make a big difference. Can you reduce your plastic use by switching to using a bar of soap rather than a bottle of shower gel? Did you know you can even get shampoo bars now?

#### **Thought for April**

On Maundy Thursday Jesus told Peter he would deny him; "Very truly, I tell you, before the cock crows, you will have denied me three times." (John 13 vs 38)

Peter refused to believe it, but nonetheless he did just that;
"I do not know what you are talking about." "I do not know the man."
"I do not know the man!" At that moment the cock crowed.
Realisation hits; "And he went out and wept bitterly." (Matthew 26 vs 70-75)

Peter had failed his Lord and friend, big-time. And he had to live with the guilt as he watched Jesus die.

The good news is it didn't end there.

Jesus rose again.

A few days later Jesus made the opportunity for Peter to say sorry. Jesus takes Peter aside and three times asks him "do you love me" to mirror his three denials.

Three times Peter replies "yes Lord, you know I love you." And three times Jesus tells him his role "Feed my sheep". (John 21 15-17)

So too for us.

We mess up, big-time.

Yet Jesus forgives us.

And gives us the chance to put things right. And to serve him – our role too, to feed his sheep.



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