For more information on this Church and Disability Issues please contact: admin@stjohnchurt.org.uk tel: 01428 713 368

Welcome...

A warm welcome to St John's Church. The best way to find out about St John's is to come along to a Sunday service or to another of the activities we offer.

St John's stands at the heart of a thriving and active village community in an area designated as being of Outstanding Natural Beauty. We represent a wide range of ages and backgrounds and are working together to become the family of God to serve the community in which he has placed us.

Whether you are have been a Christian for many years or are just beginning to wonder whether God has any relevance to your life, you will find a warm welcome, a place to ask questions and make new friends. We have a wide range of activities, providing various ways for everyone to engage in the life of the church.

The church is open every day and you are welcome to come in, whether it's to explore the building or find a quiet place to pray.

We are part of the Joint Benefice of Churt and Hindhead, and work closely with our sister church St Alban's in Hindhead.

We look forward to meeting you.





## Parish of St John the Evangelist Churt with Rushmoor

## FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES









"As Christians we believe that everyone is made in the image of God, and all are of infinite worth and equal value to Him. We want to enable full access and full participation of all people, including those with disabilities."

## Physical Access to the Church

- 1. The Church is open daily from about 0900/0930 until about 1630/1700
- 2. There is a 'drop off' area opposite the main entrance and marked designated parking bays for disabled people opposite this entrance are available during services with further parking adjoining and on the adjacent Village Green.
- 3. Our Church is accessible during services to wheelchair users with assistance via the main entrance over a 65mm threshold. Should you require further assistance please ask a Sidesperson.
- 4. Whilst there are tarmac surfaced paths, access to the Churchyard is width restricted in places from the main entrance and elsewhere. Entry to the Churchyard for wheelchair users is advised from the entrance in Old Kiln Lane.
- 5. There is one permanent ramped entrance to the Church for wheelchair users at the west end to the left of the main entrance providing access to the disabled toilet and through the Church Room into the Church during services.

- 6. The main access for services is through double doors, which the Sidespeople will open inwards. A secondary ramped access to the Church via the Church Room is to the left of the main entrance.
- 7. Assistance dogs are welcome at our church at all times.

## Inside the Church & Church Room

- 1. Large print notice sheets, service books, hymn books and bibles are available from the Sidespeople.
- 2. Please advise a Sidesperson if you need help or would like to receive Communion or a Blessing without leaving your pew.
- 3. The Loop system should be switched on at all Services. If you still are unable to hear what is happening please ask a Sidesperson for help.
- 4. If you need a gluten-free Communion wafer please inform the Sidesperson.
- 5. A wheelchair accessible, unisex toilet is available (with baby changing), adjacent to the Church Room. It can also be accessed via the ramped entrance at the west end of the Church ie to the left of the main entrance.
- 6. If you or a member of your family is deaf, or hard of hearing, or has a learning disability or special needs, which makes access to our Church or worship difficult, please get in touch with the Resident Minister.