



## St Peter's & St Paul's Church Family Weekend 2025

Come and join us for a weekend of fun, teaching and fellowship at our Church family weekend.

Dates: Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March 5pm onwards until Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2025 approx 2pm

Where: Ashburnham Place, Battle, East Sussex TN33 9NE

Ashburnham Place is a Christian conference centre near Battle, set in 220 acres of beautiful grounds with lakes and walks. We have previously held church weekends there and many of our church family have special memories of times shared at Ashburnham.

The accommodation is comfortable and clean, bed linen and towels are provided,, as well as tea and coffee and all meals, from Friday evening dinner through to Sunday lunch.

The weekend will consist of worship, prayer & teaching, discussion in smaller groups and some fun activities, as well as leisure time to spend as you wish, maybe enjoying the grounds, or chatting with friends. There will be sessional provision for children of all ages, further details to follow.

### Cost

Ashburnham offers a variety of room options, either with an ensuite or a bathroom shared with a small number of rooms (described as standard rooms). Family rooms with an ensuite are also available. The options and costs per adult for the weekend are below. These include all costs except travel. Children aged 5 to 17 are charged at a child rate. Under 5's are free.

	Cost per adult
Single ensuite	£195
Single shared bathroom	£165
Double/twin ensuite	£170
Double/twin shared bathroom	£140
Triple with shared bathroom	£140
Family room with ensuite	£170
Child aged 5 to 17	£75
Child under 5	Free

We have reserved a variety of rooms, but single and ensuite rooms will be allocated on a first-come first-served basis. Adapted rooms for guests with mobility problems are also available.

### Booking and payment options

Booking forms are available on the church website, which will be updated regularly as further details become available. [www.stph.org.uk/whats-on/ashburnham-2025](http://www.stph.org.uk/whats-on/ashburnham-2025)

Please complete and return your booking form to Dawn Freeman: [dawn@stph.org.uk](mailto:dawn@stph.org.uk) or via the church office or in church and then pay your deposit of £50 per adult, preferably by bank transfer (details on next page). No deposit is required for children, however, please ensure they are included on the booking form.

We will confirm your booking and room allocation after payment of your deposit.

We can offer the following payment options

- Payment in full at the time of booking
- A deposit of £50 with a further payment of 50% of the remaining balance by 31<sup>st</sup> October and the balance due by 7<sup>th</sup> January 2025.
- A deposit of £30 per adult, with the remaining balance to be paid in 3 monthly installments on 1st September, 1st October and 1st November.
- Other options to be agreed with Dawn/Sue.

Booking terms are non-refundable as the church will be liable for the room costs in the autumn so we welcome your help in keeping to this date.

### **Payment of deposit & balance**

Please pay all deposits and balance payments to

Sort code 20 25 42

Account number 80859710

Swanley St Paul Parochial Church Council

**Please use the reference Ashburnham to enable us to track the payments easily**

### **Day bookings**

We hope to be able to offer day bookings for Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> March later, from the 1<sup>st</sup> November.

### **Additional contributions to help others to join us.**

To make the weekend as affordable as possible, we are only passing on the Ashburnham accommodation and meal costs. Any additional costs will be met from Church finances. However, there will likely be members of our church family who would love to come, but are unable to manage the full cost. If you would like to contribute to help someone else come or towards our other costs for the weekend, please add this amount to your payment. Your donation will be treated in confidence, and all money will be allocated discreetly by Sue & Johnny to achieve maximum benefit for all who attend.

