



Welcome to
The Parish Church of St. George
Sunday 19th May Easter 5

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| <p>What's On This Week</p> <p>Today Sunday 19th May 8.00am Said Eucharist 9.45am Sunday School 10.00am Parish Eucharist Intercessor Adrienne Bridger Readers Chris Gadd and Amber Gadd</p> <p>Monday</p> <p>Tuesday 10.00am Parent and Toddlers 7.00pm Jackie Buckley Community Meeting in Church</p> <p>Wednesday 10.00am Said Eucharist 7.30pm PCC Eucharist then Meeting</p> <p>Thursday All Day Election Votes in Church 6.30pm Choir Practice</p> <p>Friday 10.00am Coffee Morning</p> <p>Saturday</p> <p>Next Sunday 8.00am Said Eucharist 9.45am Sunday School 10.00am Parish Eucharist Baptism of Donna and Stephen</p> | <p><u>Gospel Acclamation</u> Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. I am the first and the last, says the Lord, * and <u>the</u> living one; I was dead, and behold I am <u>alive</u> for evermore. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.</p> <hr/> <p><u>Liturgical Gifts</u> The liturgical gifts have been donated by Alice in memory of Martin her husband whose anniversary is on the 20th of May.</p> <hr/> <p><u>Motet</u> Panis Angelicus by Cesar Franck</p> <hr/> <p><u>Retiring Collection</u> The New Blendworth Centre</p> <hr/> <p><u>Birthdays</u> Nigel Morgan and June Webster</p> |
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European Elections

On Thursday this week our church is to be used for voting instead of the hall.

Weekly Sunday Duties

Thank you for being part of a team of people who volunteer for the varying duties in church that help the smooth running of each Eucharist Service. If you are unable to do your duty please can you swap with someone and change your name on the rota at the back of church.

Wendy Clark's Funeral

Wendy's funeral is on Friday the 7th of June at 10.15am in St. George's and thereafter to The Oaks Crematorium at 11.30am. All St. George's people are welcome to attend. After Wendy's funeral you are invited to the Brookfield Hotel Havant Road, Hampshire, Emsworth, PO10 7LF. Andrew has requested that you let the parish office know if you would like to come to The Brookfield following the funeral so that he has an idea of numbers. parish.office@stgeorges.church or 02392258079

Retiring Collection for April

The collection for Naomi House in April raised £112.04. Thank you for your contributions to this charity.

PCC Meeting

PCC meet for the first time for a new year since the Annual Parochial Meeting in April. We welcome new members to our PCC.

SUMMER FETE Saturday 8th June

Just 3 weeks away now. Please can you look out some small unwanted gifts for the Tombola stall, bottles of varying kinds for the bottle stall, gifts for the gift stall. Please bring these along and place them in the round basket at the foot of the gallery steps.

Stewards for Waterlooville Music Festival - we are still short of stewards for the Music Festival, particularly during the day. The daytime stewarding just involves greeting people as they come into church, advising about the lunchtime concerts and that lunches and tea and coffee are available to buy. If you are unsure please speak to Jane Cook.

Oberammergau Passion Play 2020

Jane Hedges, the Dean of Norwich Cathedral known to many of you, is again leading a Pilgrimage to Oberammergau. The dates NEXT YEAR are 29th August to 5th September 2020, approximate cost £1500 per person. There are a few vacancies for double rooms available and anyone interested should contact Jane's pa at Norwich Cathedral on 01603 218308 for more information or email Jane at dean@cathedral.org.uk

Thy Kingdom Come

From the Feast of the Ascension (May 30th) until the Day of Pentecost we are urged to participate in 'Thy Kingdom Come', an annual event. The invitation was for us all to pray for the mission of the Church during the 10 days between the Ascension and Pentecost. In our Diocese we have been urged to pray with our ecumenical friends locally, in the lead up to the Day of Pentecost. Please find information below listing church venues and time for the week of prayer.

Everything will culminate on the Day of Pentecost in a Diocesan-Wide open air 'Big Prayer Picnic' in the grounds of Portchester Castle from 1PM, which will be attended by Christians from all denominations in the Portsmouth area.

Lifts on the day If you can offer a lift or you need a lift, please sign the sheet at the back of church.

| Day | Date | Time | Place |
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| Monday | 3 rd June | 6pm | Pause and Pray, led by Portsdown Community Church at St. Thomas Church, Bedhampton |
| Tuesday | 4 th June | 7.30pm | Prayers at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Crookhorn Lane |
| Wednesday | 5 th June | 7.30pm | Prayers at Hart Plain Church, Hart Plain Avenue, Waterlooville |
| Thursday | 6 th June | TBA | Prayers led by Bridge Church, Hayling Island Venue TBA |
| Friday | 7 th June | 7pm | Prayer Vigil at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, London Road, Waterlooville |
| Saturday | 8 th June | 7pm | Evening Prayer at St. Faith's, Havant |

Factoid Did you know that we encourage the congregation, when they are passing church, to pop in and check everything is ok? If you have a concern please phone a church warden whose number is at the back of church or on the back of the bulletin.

Remembering Those Who Need Our Prayers



Please remember in your prayers this week:

Rachael Bridger, Shelley Lazlett, Anna Chapman, Julian Crampton, Ron Simcock, Hillary, Doreen, Ray Fisher, Keith Holmes, Dennis Ford, Leslie Harman

Remembering Those Who Have Died Recently



Please remember in your prayers this week:

Wendy Clark, Lynn Adams and Margo Farrell

Remembering Those Whose Anniversary of Death Falls At This



Time

Please pray for the souls of:

Jill Raggett and Marcia Jane Ross

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