

SUNDAY 19th October

St Luke

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TODAY'S SERVICES 8AM: Said Eucharist (Fr Charles) at Church 10AM: Sung Eucharist (Rev Sandra) at Church followed by refreshments in the Church hall HYMNS: 401, 324 (376), 325 (34), 486	Gospel Acclamation Alleluia, alleluia. I will lift up my eyes to the hills—from where will my help come? My help comes from the Lord who made heav'n and earth. Alleluia, alleluia.
Motet: God of hope and God of healing – <i>Margaret Rizza</i> (sheet)	Voluntary: Voluntary in G, Op.7 No.9 – <i>John Stanley</i>
Birthdays: Joy Woodford-Richens, Rosemary Monk and Sheilah Hall	Retiring Collection: Four Paws
THIS WEEK'S DIARY	
Monday 20th October	Tuesday 21st October 10AM: Parent/Carer & Toddlers Group in the Church hall 2PM: Knit & Natter Group in the Church hall
Wednesday 22nd October 10AM: Said Eucharist (Fr Charles) at Church followed by refreshments in the Church hall	Thursday 23rd October 7PM: St George's Cinema in the Church hall
Friday 24th October	Saturday 25th October
Next Sunday (Bible Sunday) 8AM: Said Eucharist (Fr Charles) at Church 10AM: Sung Eucharist (Fr Charles) at Church followed by refreshments in the Church hall	Readings Next Week Isaiah 45.22-end Psalm 119.129-136 Romans 15.1-6 Luke 4.1-13

The Autumn 2025 issue of **St George's News** has been published and is available in Church. Collect your copy now.

St George's Cinema Thursday 23rd October in the Church hall - "Mr Burton". Tickets £6 on the door, 7pm for 7.30pm.

Shoeboxes - just a reminder that I need all the shoeboxes in today, **Sunday, 19th October** please. Many thanks Jane Cook

St George's Legacy Policy: We welcome all gifts in wills, however large or small, and we promise to use your gift to make a difference in our parish. Our PCC legacy policy is to use gifts to help fund significant development projects, whether buildings, equipment, mission or staff. Since needs change over the years, we encourage you to leave a gift in your will for the general purposes of the parish rather than for a restricted purpose. We will discuss possible uses of your gift with your executors when the time comes, bearing in mind your known areas of interest in the church (eg music, buildings, children and youth, overseas mission or aid) and the church's priorities at the time. You can be confident that your gift will be used to make a real difference to our future mission and ministry.

Walsingham Pilgrimage 2026 – is from Friday April 10th to Sunday April 12th. I need to know by 31st October if anyone else would like to join us next year. A £20 non refundable deposit is required to secure a place. Further details and to book please speak to Linda Wainwright 02392 241297.

The Christmas Bazaar is only 7 weeks away. Please start collecting chocolate bars for the chocolate tombola, items for the tombola stall and the bottle stall and prizes for the grand raffle. Cakes also needed on the day. All items to Jane Cook please.

Hands on with Handel - Saturday November 22nd. As part of the Royal College of Organists 'Play the Organ 2025' campaign, the Royal School of Church Music are calling all organists to be 'Hands on with Handel' to see many simultaneous performances of Handel's Largo they can achieve nationally at 2pm on Saturday November 22nd to mark St. Cecilia's day (St Cecilia being the patron saint of music!).

David Cain, our own Director of Music, is taking part and will give an organ concert at 1 pm on November 22nd, finishing with Handel's Largo, to which all are welcome. Suggestions of organ pieces for the rest of the concert would be gratefully received (in advance!) and if you have a favourite piece you would like to hear please let David know.

Free soup and rolls will be served from 12.45. The concert is also free with a retiring collection and any donations made will be in aid of RSCM's work with organists and young people.

Congratulations are also in order to David for his recent successes over the summer in attaining both the licentiate organ diploma of Trinity College of Music (LTCL) and the licentiate organ diploma (with merit) of the Royal Schools of Music (LRSM).

Remembering Those Who Need Our Prayers This Week

Rosemary Turner, Katie Gibb, Margaret Deal, Fr Ray, Alice Pitney, Fr Colin, Nigel, Caroline Magnussen, Margaret Harris, Beth, John Tribe, Inara Nijkar, John Williams and Olwyn Oliver.

We Remember **Tony Wilson-Ing** who died recently and **Jack Heming, George Hawthorne** and **Joe Greenwell** whose anniversary falls at this time.

