




WELCOME

We welcome all visitors today especially organist Richard Hartshorn. If you are new to St George's please make yourself known to those on duty, and if you would like to, do let us have your details on one of the leaflets (at the table at back of church). After the 10.30am service, please join us for tea and coffee.

 If you wear a hearing aid please switch to the T setting to make use of the induction loop

All Saints' Day and All Souls

4th November 2018

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP) The Vicar

10.30am Sung Eucharist The Vicar
Isaiah 25.6-9 (p. 665)
Revelation 21.1-6a (p. 257)
John 11.32-44 (p. 102)

Hymns 537 222 411 348
Gloria, Sanctus: Rutter
Agnus Dei: Ubi Caritas

Junior Church takes place on the third Sunday of each month. On all other Sundays suitable children's materials are available from the sidespeople at the back of church

Bibles are available in the pews for your use.

12.30pm-4.00pm UMC
5.30pm Evensong The Vicar
Psalm 119.1-16 (p. 577) Hymn 10 Address: Mr Simon Kirby
Isaiah 65.17-end (p. 706) Hebrews 11.32-12.2 (p. 223)

NEXT SUNDAY

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP) The Vicar
10.30am Sung Eucharist The Vicar
12.30pm-4.00pm UMC
5.30pm Evensong Mrs Jenny Uff

PLEASE PRAY FOR

In the Anglican Communion, for The Church of Ceylon (E-P to the Archbishop of Canterbury; Colombo—(Ceylon), The Rt Revd Dhilloraj Ranjit Canagasabay . In the Diocese for St James Shirley that prayer partnerships across the community will grow and prosper. In our Churches Together for Hope of Glory Church and in the parish for the Bishop of Aston Anne Hollinghurst, Ss. John & Peter Ladywood, Edgbaston High School pupils, staff, governors and the head Ruth Weeks, those who live and work in Bellis Street and Edgwood Court.

Those who are ill

Valerie Blake Ann Phelps
Philip and Harry Robert and Mildred
Whiteley Bradberry
Ken Lee Frank Drake
David Tippin Miroslava Blahova
Antonio Solazzo Jim Brackley

RIP

Evelyn Orme

THIS WEEK AT ST GEORGE'S

Monday	9.30am	Church cleaning
Tuesday	10.30am-12.30pm	DemCafe
	12.30pm-3.00pm	DemCafe meeting
	5.00pm	Standing Committee
Wednesday	1.15pm	Lunchtime concert
	6.30pm	Vicar's Surgery
Thursday	10.00am	Piano tuning
	6.15pm	St George's choir practice— cancelled
Friday	9.15am– 10.30am	Hallfield Remembrance Service
	11.15am-12.15pm	St George's Independent Remembrance

A prayer for the week

God of holiness,
your glory is proclaimed in every age:
as we rejoice in the faith of your saints,
inspire us to follow their example
with boldness and joy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

CONGRATULATIONS

We congratulate our Administrator, Marcia, on her graduation ceremony on Monday, 22nd October, gaining her a BSc (Open) degree in Social Sciences and Psychology from the Open University.

ORDINATIONS

Please pray for those to be ordained and serve as deacons in these parishes:

Arif Anees, St Paul's Blackheath

Sean Clancy, St Chad Rubery

Mandy Harris, St Giles Sheldon

Catherine Matlock, Kings Norton team

Mark Waterstreet, St Paul

Carole Young, Kingsbury and Baxterley Group

LUNCHTIME CONCERT

November 7th has David Saint (Director of Music at St. Chad's Cathedral and former Principal of Birmingham Conservatoire). Music for organ, including the wonderfully theatrical *Introduction, Passacaglia and Fugue* by Healey Willan.

BREAKFAST IS SERVED

Breakfast will be served between 8:30 am and 9:30 am in the Whitmore Room next Sunday 11th November. Local chef Charles Jessop has planned a tasting menu featuring traditional and alternative Sunday breakfast choices. This is aimed at the 8 am congregation but all are welcome and there is no charge on this occasion.

EDGBASTON CHRISTMAS LIGHTS SWITCH ON: VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Edgbaston Village Christmas Lights will be switched on at 6 pm on Friday 23rd November 2019. There will be festivities and

performances between 4pm and 7pm centred around St George's and Highfield Road. The church will be open and we expect to welcome many hundreds of visitors. If you can be on hand to direct people, answer their questions, serve tea and coffee, sell calendars or just be friendly then please see Nick Gibbs.

MEET YOU IN THE MAZE

Members of the congregation may like to support a former chorister of St George's, Sam Cobb, when she sings with the choir 'Echo' at the Ikon gallery (behind Symphony Hall on Friday 9th November at 7.00pm. Further details at the back of church.

ST GEORGE'S CALENDAR 2019

Our 2019 calendar featuring beautiful images of the church by Andy Butler is being printed and is expected to be on sale from 16th November.

FLOWER ROTA

The flower rota urgently needs volunteers. Please see the list at the back of church.

DEMENTIA FRIENDLY TRAINING

The excellent workshop on "becoming Dementia Friendly", led by Rose Akeroyd, is to be run again on Saturday 10th and Wednesday 14th November. Details in the leaflet at the back of church, or ask Jenny Uff.

FAREWELL

Pat World writes; my last service was at Harvest, followed by lunch and it was a wonderful way for me to say goodbye to so many people in this lovely parish. I cannot say enough about the inclusive welcome for both me and Mike. In the last 10 years I've had a number of serious medical problems and the prayers, support and care by so many parishioners has been overwhelming. I felt like a semi-permanent occupant of the prayer list which meant so much to me. Thank you for being such a wonderful parish. With much love and best regards to everyone. *Pat World.*