


ST GEORGE
EDGBASTON

WELCOME

We welcome all visitors today. 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

The third Sunday after the Epiphany/The fourth Sunday of Epiphany **27th January 2019**

8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Rev John
10.30am	Sung Eucharist	Rev John
	Nehemiah 8.1-3, 5-6, 8-10 (p. 449) 1 Corinthians 12.12-31a (p. 170) Luke 4.14-21 (p. 58)	
	Hymns 2 165 534 392 <i>Gloria, Sanctus and Benedictus:</i> Rutter, Series 3 <i>Agnus Dei:</i> Gibbons in F <i>Motet:</i> The Spirit of the Lord is upon me—Elgar <i>Organ:</i> Prelude in D minor—Mendelssohn	
12.30pm-4.00pm	UMC	
6.00pm	Lecture by Dr Sara Clethero: 'Voice in the wider community' .	

NEXT SUNDAY

8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Rev John
10.30am	Sung Eucharist	Rev John
12.30 - 4.00pm	UMC -cancelled	
4.00 pm	Edgborne Cluster choral evening with St Eligius Singers for Candlemass	Rev John

PLEASE PRAY FOR

In the Anglican Communion, **for Lui (South Sudan) The Most Revd Stephen Dokolo Ismail Mbalah.** In the Diocese **for the first Flex youth learners as they begin their journey and for wisdom as they 'build' their pathway with their learning mentors.** In our Churches Together for **Hope of Glory Church** and in the parish for **those recently or soon to be married, the Bible Reading Fellowship and Joined-Up reading groups, those who live and work in St George's Close & St James's Road.**

Those who are ill

Valerie Blake	Ann Phelps
Philip and Harry Whiteley	Frank Drake
Ken Lee	Miroslava Blahova
Margaret Sumner	Jim Brackley
Helen Walter	Jo Cox
	Margaret Smith
	Nick Sales

RIP

David Sumner	John Joubert
Neville Masterman	

THIS WEEK AT ST GEORGE'S

Wednesday	9.30am-12.30pm	B'Opera rehearsal
Thursday	10.00am	Piano tuning
	1.15pm-1.45pm	Lunchtime Prayers—led by Rev John
	4.30pm	St George's Day celebration meeting
	6.45pm	St George's choir practice
Friday	11.00am	Sunrise Communion
	12.45pm	Dolmetsch—church access
	2.00pm-6.30pm	Dolmetsch—dress rehearsal
	7.30pm-9.30pm	Dolmetsch—concert
Saturday	7.00am-1.00pm	Ethiopian Orthodox Church

A prayer for the week

Almighty God, whose Son revealed in signs and miracles the wonder of your saving presence; renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your mighty power; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord.

WITH SYMPATHY

It is with sadness that we record the death of Neville Masterman, aged 107. We offer our prayers and sincere condolences especially to Neville's family.

EVENING WORSHIP

We are trying out a new pattern of evening worship. This is very much a 'work in progress' and we need not only to have your support at the services themselves but also your comments on how the pattern is working. **Today:** Lecture by Dr Sara Clethero: see below. Please pray for all these services and those who prepare and lead them.

JFF

LECTURE BY DR SARA CLETHERO

We are very fortunate in our January Evening Worship schedule to have the second of two lectures **today** on Voice and Philosophy: 'Voice in the wider community'. Sara, a professional singer as well as a distinguished academic, will set out to explore: 'how can we "frame" the discussion of voice to realise its human possibilities in the context of faith-based activities and on a wider stage.'

CHILDREN'S SOCIETY BOXES

Please bring boxes to church as soon as possible. Thank you. *Pat Bullock.*

HELP FOR DEM-CAF

We are very short of visitors (with dementia and their carers) taking up the opportunity of coming to DemCaf. Please would people in the congregation take home 3 or 4 leaflets each and put them out to advertise DemCaf, (in corner shops, community centres, doctors' surgeries, chemist shops.) This could be along bus routes from the church. Please also give leaflets to friends who might benefit from knowing about us. If your friends show an interest in coming, perhaps you could bring them to DemCaf on their first visit? DemCaf

will next meet on Tues, February 5th *Eve Kirby*

LUNCHTIME PRAYER: EPIPHANY TO LENT

Thursdays at 1.15 pm For the first five weeks we will look at the Christian virtues listed in Colossians 3. 12: compassion, kindness, humility, meekness and patience. Please do join us if you can in the Whitmore room. *JFF*

LENT GROUPS AND STUDIES

Advance notice of our Lent groups. Our subject is prayer and how Ignatian spirituality can help us to deepen and encourage our prayer lives. Two groups meeting during the week; a daytime group (poss Wednesdays) and one in the evening (prob Thursdays). On Sunday evenings we will review some of the material covered by the groups and explore how our own stories of faith feed into the story of St George, Edgbaston and how both help to tell God's story in this place. There are sign up sheets at the back of church for the weekday groups *JFF*

LUNCHTIME CONCERT

1.15pm, 6th February—Curzon Brass. A quintet of 3rd and 4th year students from The Royal Birmingham Conservatoire.

'COME AND SING'

This Saturday 2 February 'Come and Sing' BCP Mattins at St Mary's Handsworth. See flyer at the back of church.

CALLING ALL KNITTERS AND NATTERERS!

Sunrise Senior Living would like to set up a knitting group, with nattering too, of course! Perhaps knitting squares for blankets. Would anyone be able to help with this valuable fortnightly venture, please? *Caroline Shaw.*

CCJ MEETING THIS TUESDAY

7.45 pm at Woodbrooke Quaker Studies Centre (1046 Bristol Rd, B29 6LJ). Dr Isabel Wolleston, Senior Lecturer in Jewish and Holocaust Studies at Birmingham University, will be speaking on Holocaust Remembrance in Britain in the 21st Century.

PEW SHEET NOTICES DEADLINE

Please submit these by 10.00am on Wednesdays. Many thanks. *Marcia.*