




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 Sunday next before Easter/Palm Sunday

14th April 2019

8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Rev John
10.30am	Sung Eucharist	Rev John
	Isaiah 50. 4 —9a (p. 691) Philippians 2.5-11 (p. 194) Luke 22.14-end of 23 (p. 83)	
	128 129 601 557 Sanctus: Shephard, Addington Service Agnus Dei: Delibes Motet: Wondrous cross—Wilby Organ: Fugue—Reubke	

Here at St George's we are delighted to welcome all children. Please don't worry if one of your little ones seem noisy or decides to wander around, we're really glad that you have brought them and so we don't mind hearing them! Junior Church takes place on the third Sunday of each month. Colouring sheets and other activities are always available. Please ask one of the sidespeople at the back of church.

12.30pm-4.00pm	UMC	
6.00pm	Stations of the Cross	Rev John

NEXT SUNDAY (EASTER DAY)

8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP) with hymns	Rev John
10.30am	Sung Eucharist	Rev John
12.30 - 4.00pm	UMC	

PLEASE PRAY FOR

In the Anglican Communion, **for the Episcopal Church in Jerusalem and the Middle East, The Most Revd Suheil Dawani—Archbishop, Jerusalem and the Middle East.** In the Diocese **For the Presidents of Birmingham Churches Together, and Churches Together groups across Birmingham and Solihull as the seek to grow in unity through fellowship and shared activities.** In our Churches Together for **Bethel Apostolic Church of Excellence** and in the parish for **the Linen Carers, The Fabric & Environment Committee, Police Fire and Ambulance Services and for the those who live and work in Harborne Road.**

Those who are ill

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| Valerie Blake | Ann Phelps |
| Philip and Harry Whiteley | Frank Drake |
| Margaret Sumner | Miroslava Blahova |
| John Wynn | Jim Brackley |
| Violet Chinyamu | Jo Cox |
| Pam Knight | Margaret Smith |
| George Baines | Nick Sales |

RIP

Jean Southall

THIS WEEK AT ST GEORGE'S

Monday	7.30pm	Holy Week Worship: using Stations of the Cross
Tuesday	7.30pm	Holy Week Worship: Stations with music from Phil
Wednesday	7.30pm	Holy Week Worship: using Stations of the Cross
Thursday	1.45pm 7.30pm	Maundy Thursday BCP Holy Communion service Maundy Thursday Holy Communion with foot washing
Friday	10.00am-11.30am 12.00noon	Junior Church: All Age Good Friday prayer activities Good Friday worship with Communion and walk of witness
Easter Saturday	6.00am-2.00pm 2.30pm	D.M.K. Amanuel E.O.T.C. Easter Flower Arranging in Church

A prayer for the week

True and humble king, hailed by the crowd as Messiah: grant us the faith to know you and love you, that we may be found beside you on the way of the cross, which is the path of glory.

SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP IN LENT

This Sunday at 6 pm our evening worship, will be a Stations of the Cross service using Mary Flitcroft's new porcelain works made especially for St Georges'.

EASTER GARDEN—PLANTS NEEDED!

The Junior Church team are planning to make an Easter Garden during the 10 am Good Friday Junior church service. If this is to happen we will need small potted plants, (like primulas, daisies etc.), together with compost. If you are able to bring items like these to church before Good Friday please speak to John or any of the Junior Church team. Volunteers also needed.

EASTER LILIES

With Easter approaching Stella Pinkess would be glad to have donations for Easter Lilies as soon as possible so she can buy them in plenty of time.

EASTER EGG HUNT

On Easter Sunday, immediately following the 10.30 am service there will be the traditional Easter Egg hunt in the Vicarage garden. Thank you to Jane for arranging this once again and for buying the eggs!

MORE SIDESPEOPLE

More Sidespeople are **urgently** needed for 10.30am services. If you can help please see Marion Clarke.

CAN YOU HELP RUN ST GEORGE'S?

St George's, like all Anglican churches, has a Parochial Church Council (the PCC) which makes important decisions about how our church is run. At the moment we have a number of vacancies on the PCC, so we're asking: can you join us? Anyone on the Electoral Roll can be a PCC member and we would particularly welcome people new to the church. We

meet roughly 6 times a year in the Whitmore Room at church. If you think you can help by joining the PCC, please ask one of the current members, (see the red board to the left as you first come into church), or talk to Nick Gibbs or Rev'd John.

VESTRY AND ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING

On Tuesday 30th April at St George's we'll hold our annual meeting of the Parochial Council, and the 'Vestry meeting' (at which we elect our churchwardens). These are really important events in the life of our church so please 'save the date' and come along if you possibly can.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK 12th - 18th May 2019

An advance notice about our annual effort for house-to house collections. Collectors will be contacted soon and red bags will be available at the back of church from **Sunday 28th April**. On Tuesday **8th May** there will be our 'Super Soup Lunch', at noon in the Whitmore Room. Our fund-raising quiz is at 7 p.m. on Friday **10th May** *Jane Darn-ton*

LUNCHTIME CONCERT

May 1st: G-mizz. A welcome return of the innovative and eclectic percussion duo. Prepare yourselves for some fun.

COFFEE APPEAL!

Would anyone be able to help for a couple of hours in Sunrise's Bistro, please? To help residents get coffee from the excellent machine, and to manage the washing-up machine there. Delicious coffee as enjoyed by Caroline, who can give more information. Thank you!

REVISED ELECTORAL ROLL

The revised Electoral Roll is available for inspection at the back of church. Please check that your details are correct, and let me know of any changes. *Jenny Astley*