



### WELCOME

We welcome warmly all visitors. If you are new to St George's, please make yourself known to those on duty; we are required to ask for contact details for the purpose of tracing people who may have been affected by coronavirus. We are also required to destroy the coronavirus records after 21 days, but if you are happy to allow us to use the same details to keep in touch with you, please let us know.—or if you have used the NHS QR code poster and app to register, please give us contact details separately, again if you would like to.

### All Saints' Day

1st November 2020

8.00am **Holy Communion (BCP) in the Chancel**

Fr Sam

Revelation 7:2-12; Matthew 5:1-12

10.30am **Parish Eucharist**

Fr Sam

Revelation 7:9-end;; 1 John 3:1-3; Matthew 5:1-12

**Music** *Before the service:* Preludio Sine Nomine—Howells

*Offertory:* Prelude on 'Dundee' - Parry *Communion:* Ubi caritas arr. Alan Bullard

*Voluntary:* Prelude on 'Old 104th' - Parry

### GIVING IN CHURCH

There are Gift Aid envelopes and a collection plate for donations at the back of church. All of St George's mission and ministry in this parish is funded by the regular contributions of the congregation. If you have questions, or would like to join our regular giving scheme, please speak to the warden or sidesperson on duty.

### In the Coming Week

Monday 9.30-11.00am Church cleaning

Tuesday to Friday, 9am A small group says Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel each day.  
All are welcome.

Wednesday 1.15-1.45pm Monthly lunchtime recital

Thursday mornings Fr Sam in church to meet people after Morning Prayer

### Next Sunday - Remembrance Sunday

8th November 2020

8.00am *Holy Communion (BCP) in the Chancel*

Fr Sam

10.30am *Parish Eucharist—includes Act of Remembrance*

Fr Sam

*Preacher Jenny Uff*

### PLEASE PRAY FOR

#### Those who are ill:

As Martin Luther is remembered this weekend, we pray for all who prayerfully view the world and the church, and courageously challenge and seek reform through your spirit

#### In the parish

For all schools, teachers and staff, children and parents and carers, as term resumes after half-term.

#### For our local businesses

Give thanks for the return of junior church, for new helpers and children, and that more children will be able to take part.

John Wynn  
Nick Sales  
Carol Smith  
Jayne Mertling-Blake  
Valentyna Milward  
Janet Taylor  
Esme Sands

Miroslava Blahova  
Jo Cox  
Margaret Smith  
Ken Lee  
Natalie Paul  
Anne Phelps  
Mary Howard  
Christopher Burt

#### RIP

Pam Knight

### **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 your Son our Lord.

### **WITH SYMPATHY**

We have been given sad news that Pam Knight passed away on Monday night at home. Pam was a much valued and appreciated member of the cleaning team. We offer our condolences to her friends and family.

### **A SERVICE OF CAROLS AND REFLECTIONS**

This will take place on **Sunday 29th November (Advent I) at 4pm** in church. Carols will be sung for us and there will be a series of Bible and poetic readings, by candlelight. It should be an opportunity to experience some peace and time for reflection during an unusual festive season. Please do come, and invite others. If you would like to sing in the choir speak to Phil Ypres-Smith.

### **NURTURE GROUP**

A small group exploring Christian belief using the book *The Mystery of Faith* by John-Francis Friendship begins this evening on Zoom at 7pm and will meet each Sunday. It is still open to new members, if you would like to join speak to Fr Sam. Please pray for the group that it would be fruitful for those involved.

### **CHARLOTTE GIBSON**

We are delighted to announce that Charlotte, who is currently one of our parish ordinands, will serve her title post at St Peter's, Harborne. She will take up this post when she is ordained deacon in the summer of 2021. Please pray for her, for the Revd Kate Stowe who will be her training incumbent, and for the people of that parish.

### **FOODBANK DONATIONS**

There is growing need for food in the local area as unemployment hits many households. A box is now at the back of the church, next to the south door, for non-perishable food items. This will be taken at the end of each month to a local foodbank. As needs change we may ask for specific items. Items in particular demand this month include UHT Milk, Cereal, Long life Juice, Tinned Meat, Fruit or Vegetables, Pasta Sauce, Small jars of Instant Coffee.

### **LINK FOR SERVICES ON-LINE**

Our Facebook link, for both 8am and 10.30 am services, is <https://www.facebook.com/stgeorgesedgbaston/>. The services are also available on the website.

### **ST GEORGE'S TWITTER ACCOUNT**

St George's proudly presents its new Twitter account. Please follow @stg\_edgbaston

### **GENERAL DATA PROTECTION REGULATION**

We need to make you aware of the processing of additional data.

1. Attendance at services at church has been recorded on paper for the purpose of tracing people who may be affected by an outbreak of coronavirus. Records will be destroyed 21 days after the relevant service.
2. We are recording services for streaming and may capture images of the congregation (though we will be concentrating on those delivering the service). If you wish to access or remove any of your data please contact Nick Gibbs, Data Protection Officer on 07774 642747.

### **COVID-19 UPDATE**

Local and national rules continue to apply regarding social gatherings and visiting households. The Prime Minister also announced further national restrictions on Wednesday 23rd September. As Christians we have an important role in abiding by these and encouraging others to do so, so that we can protect lives. We continue to abide by strict safety rules in church. If the situation changes, we will adapt accordingly and communicate changes as fully as possible

### **FUTURE NOTABLE DATES**

Remembrance Sunday	8th November
Christ the King	22nd November
Advent Sunday	29th November

### **PARISH MAGAZINE AND PEW SHEET**

Material for the parish magazine should be submitted to Justin Pinkess by 8th November to be included in the December edition. The deadline for Pew Sheet items are Wednesdays at 10am.

### **MONTHLY LUNCHTIME RECITAL**

1.15pm Wednesday 4th November Robert James Bateman and Phil Ypres-Smith **Movie in my mind**—iconic songs from classic movies. Timeless and unforgettable greats, with a piquant dash of the unexpected—shaken, not stirred. A perfect midweek lockdown-lunchtime cocktail!

### **JEAN TIGHE**

Caroline keeps in contact with Jean Tighe, who used to sit at the front in church. Jean sends her love to everyone, and is looking forward to being back in church sometime!

