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PEWS NEWS

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The Real Jesus: Real teaching, real life
Matthew 5: 1-12

Welcome to Morning Prayer at St George's Church

A hearing aid loop system is installed in the church. Please switch your hearing aid to **T** or ask someone on the sound-desk for help with this.

After the service there may be music from the organ or the singers; please feel free to sit and listen, or join in, or make your way to the back of the church for a chat and a chance to get to know each other over a cup of tea or coffee.

New to St George's? Let us know how to keep in touch at stgw.org.uk/new

Service Outline

Welcome

Song: Liturgy of the hours (With every morning)

Confession

Song: To be like Jesus

Children's talk

Creed

Prayers

Reading: Matthew 5: 1-12

Song: As the deer pants

Talk: The Beatitudes 1). An 'ABC introduction (v1-2)

- (i) Audience
- (ii) Blessed
- (iii) Counter-cultural

2). A closer look at two Beatitudes

- (i) Those poor in spirit (v3)
- (ii) Those who mourn (v4)

Song: In Christ Alone

Collection

Blessing

WHAT'S ON

Sunday 15th

10.00am Prayer
10.30am Morning Prayer
Young Followers
(school year R to 8 and creche)
6.00pm Youth Bible Study
(school years 9+)

Monday 16th

10.00am Community Friends -
Word + quiz
3.30pm Messy Church

Tuesday 17th

7.30pm Goring Home Group
7.30pm Randall Home Group

Wednesday 18th

11.00am 'A' Home Group

Friday 20th

7.00pm Music Group

Sunday 22nd

10.00am Prayer
10.30am Morning Prayer
Young Followers
(school year R to 8 and creche)
4.00pm Youth Club
(school years 3+)

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Listen Again to all our weekly sermons and Bible readings at: stgw.org.uk/visit/sundays/

Prayer Requests

Members and friends of the fellowship in need of our prayers this week:

Julie & Jack; Linda; Malcolm Ch; Margaret D; Margaret HR; Mike C & Elaine.



Please also pray for:

***Jayne Lewis-Tutt** who has been appointed by the governors as the new Head Teacher of Davison Girls CE High School from September 2026

*The process to appoint a **new Bishop of Chichester** following Bishop Martin's announcement of his retirement at the end of May.

30 Days of Prayer

From 18th February to 20th March, Muslims will be observing Ramadan when many are spiritually open. There are some "30 Days of Prayer for the Muslim World" booklets on the table at the back of church if you would like some direction in praying for them during this time, asking God to reveal His truth and the hope of the gospel to them.

Please ask the service leader or preacher if you would like someone to pray with you after the service. And please contact the church office if you or a friend or family member would like to be added to our prayer list.

Please be aware that Pews News is published on the internet every week.



Community Friends in the Church Hall

February:

16th - Word Plus Quiz with Peter

23rd - Countdown with Ron

Community Friends is open to anyone of any age for friendship and fun over a good cup of coffee or tea - please have a word with Sue, Peter C or Ron P to find out more.



**Ladies' Afternoon Tea
and Games Social**

Sunday 22nd February

4-6pm

in the Church

More details from Meg.

Please sign up at the back of the church



**Monday
16th February
3.30pm**

"Before Easter!"

crafts - games - celebration
and a pancake meal for everyone!
Something for the WHOLE family!
More details from Kathryn

Leading Prayers at Church Services



At our Sunday church services people from the congregation lead a time of 'Prayers' and we would like to invite others to consider joining this small team. Your prayers could encourage those in the congregation to pray and be more confident in their Christian faith. If you had one prayer to share with others at a Sunday service, what would it be? Try writing it down then read it out aloud. We know some may feel nervous about leading Prayers at a service, so we are planning short sessions to encourage and share simple skills to give confidence. We hope you will join us at one of these sessions. Do let us know by contacting Sue Foster.

Something FREE to do in Half Term

Chichester Cathedral has a new free **I Spy Trail** running until 15th November this year.

Join **Wilfred the Seal** on three fun levels of challenge where children and adults can explore the cathedral together, spotting everything from spectacular can't miss treasures and artwork to smaller hidden details tucked around the cathedral. The trail is self led and completely free. To find out more, including opening times, please visit

chichestercathedral.org.uk/events/i-spy-trail



Have you felt the urge to learn to play the piano? Or would you like to rediscover a forgotten love of playing?

Helen N has a piano looking for a new home. Please have a word with her or the church office for more details.

Worthing Food Foundation

Our local food bank based at Pendine Avenue Baptist Church are asking for donations of the following items:

Shampoo for men and women

Shower gel

Hand cream

Body lotion

Hand soap etc

Baby cleaning items for bath and body.

You can either drop these off at St George's and Sue will make sure they get taken to the food bank, or you can take them direct to the Baptist Church Tuesday - Friday 9am-11am.

**Save the date 1...
Church Weekend At Home
5-7 June 2026
More details to follow soon!**

**Save the date 2...
Children's Summer Holiday Club**



Monday 27th—Friday 31st July