



Welcome to St David's Church

This Week's News
15th March 2026

The 4th Sunday of
Lent

"An inclusive church, lifting the name of Jesus at the heart of the community."



	This week (Mothering Sunday)	Next Week
Bible Readings	Exodus 2.1-10 (Tina L) Colossians 3.12-17 (David G) John 19.25-27	Ezekiel 37.1-14 (Chris O') Romans 8.6-11 (Pauline P) John 11.1-45
Meet & Greet Intercessor Chalice	Jean S Steve G Jeffrey C + Jenny S	Brenda H Jill M Jeffrey C + Geraint L

What's on This Week

Holy Communion	Sunday	10 am
Small World	Mon, Wed, Fri (Term time only)	9.30 – 11.15 am
Nifty Fifties	Monday (23 rd Mar) - fortnightly	11.45 am – 2.45 pm
Craft Club	Tue	10 am – 12 pm
Prayer Meeting	Tuesday	1.30 pm – 2.30 pm
Place of Welcome	Tue, Thurs	10 am – 12 pm
Parkinson's Group - Dance	Tuesday – fortnightly (24 th Mar)	11 am – 1 pm
Parkinson's Group - Extend	Fortnightly (18 th Mar)	1 pm -2.30 pm
Trefoil	2 nd Tuesday (Monthly)	2- 4 pm
Midweek Holy Communion	Thursday (in the Prayer Room)	9.30 am
Senior Fitness Class	Thursday	10 am – 11 am
Uniformed Groups	Mon – Thurs (Term time only)	Evenings
Curtain Call Theatre Co.	Friday	Evenings
Northfield SDA Church	Saturday	9.30 am – 6.30 pm

Please check the calendar here: <https://www.stdavidsshenleygreen.org/calendar.z>

Notices

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Happy Mothering Sunday! Today's flowers are kindly donated by Muriel Mason. Thanks to Revd Colin M for presiding, and to Jenny S for preaching, on this Mothering Sunday. Our vicar, Paul, will be visiting his mother in Korea from 14th to 20th March, as she is critically ill. For any pastoral & fabric concerns during this period, please contact the churchwardens. The Midweek Communion Service will be carried out on Thursdays at 9.30 am. We will continue to reflect on the book of Hebrews. Please use the season of Lent as a time for reflection, strengthening your faith and deepening your gratitude for God's love. If you would like to speak with someone about any spiritual matters, please feel free to contact a member of our ministry team: Paul (Vicar), Pat (Retired Priest), or Jenny (Reader). Prayer Requests & Weekly Prayer Meeting: If you have a prayer request, please get in touch with the Reader or the Vicar by email, text, or phone. Our weekly prayer meeting is held in the prayer room on Tuesdays from 1:30 to 2:30 pm. All are welcome to join.



- **Palm Sunday Service (29th March)** with Passion Narratives.
- **Maundy Thursday (2nd April)**, Joint service at URC at 7.30 pm.
- **Walk of Witness (3rd April)** with CTiN from 12 to 1 pm.
- **Good Friday service in the Church (3rd April)** at 2 pm.
- **Easter Vigil Service (4th April)** with Confirmation at the Cathedral at 8 pm.



Confirmation classes will be held in the prayer room on **Sunday, 22nd March, after the service.** This course is open to both those who wish to be confirmed at the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday, 4 April 2026, at Birmingham Cathedral and to anyone new to the church who would like to explore the Christian faith more deeply. The course materials will be uploaded to our WhatsApp family chat group. Printed copies will also be available from the Narthex.



- **Course Name: "Gravity Defied" by Rachel Mann (Based on the Film Wicked).**
- **Dates: Mondays, 16th & 23rd at 2 -4 pm.**
- **Venue: Dowles Close (Pat's House).**
- **Notes:** If you need more information and transport arrangements, please speak to Pat (Phone: 0121 475 6190 or 07857975955).



Guides are collecting Easter eggs and chocolate treats for the **Food Bank** and **New Starts** in Frankley. Please donate by **23rd March**. Cash donations also welcome and can be given to **Mandy**.



Please keep in your prayers those who are unwell: Adrian Abbott, June Lowe, Janet Johnson, Ashley Quaitte, Tony Scott, Karen Bayliss, Millie & Roger Sabell, Peter McLuskie, Claire (Val & Dereck's daughter-in-law), Suk-Ja Kim (Paul's mother in Korea), and Reynall Richards (Althea's father). May they find strength, healing, and comfort in God's love. We continue to pray for them at the prayer meeting. Please submit your prayer by texting the Vicar or the reader directly, or by visiting our website. (www.stdavidsshensleygreen.org/prayermeeting).

"Place of Welcome" where everyone can come together for cheerful conversations and fellowship over coffee, tea, and snacks. Doors are open **on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10 am to 12 pm.**



Please check [here](#) or scan the QR code on your device.



Any donations are greatly appreciated.

St David's Church complies with the Safeguarding Policies of the Church of England Birmingham. If you have any concerns about a child, a young person or an adult who may be vulnerable, don't hesitate to get in touch with our Parish Safeguarding Coordinator, **Emily Meyrick**, T: 07815 956439 or the Diocesan Safeguarding Officer, **Steph Haynes**, T: 07342 993 844; Email: steph@cofebirmingham.com

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