



Welcome to St David's Church

This Week's News
17th March 2024
5th Sunday of Lent


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



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	This week	Next week
Bible Readings	Jeremiah 31. 31-34 (Pauline P) Hebrews 5. 5-10 (Althea W) John 12. 20-33	Mark 14.14 – end of 15: Passion Narratives
Meet & Greet Intercessor Chalice	Elaine H + Joanna C Jill M Brenda H + Jenny S	Elaine H Pat F Jeffrey C + Brenda H

What's on

Holy Communion	Sunday	10 am
Messy Church 	Today	2.30 pm
Small World	Mon, Wed, Fri	9.30 – 11.15 am
Nifty Fifties	Bi-weekly Monday	11.45 am – 2.45 pm
Place of Welcome	Tue, Thurs	10 am – 12 pm
Uniform Groups	Mon - Thurs	Evenings
Trefoil	2 nd Tuesday	2- 4 pm
Parkinson's Dance Group	Last Tuesday	11 am – 12.30 pm
Parkinson's Extend Group	Bi-weekly Wednesday	1 – 2.30 pm
Curtain Call Theatre Co.	Friday	Evenings

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

Notices

1. Thanks to **Steve Gilks**, who preached this morning.
2. **The Lent course:** The 5th Session on Tuesday starts at 2 pm.
3. Please speak to Paul by today if you wish to serve as authorised Holy Communion distributors.
4. **Check the updated service rota from March to May.** We encourage adjustments based on your availability.
5. **The funeral of the late Mrs Doreen Yvonne Clark** will be held in the church **on Wednesday, 20th March, at 12 pm**, followed by the committal service **at Lodge Hill Crematorium at 1 pm**. Please pray for her family in their grief.
6. **The Parish Giving Scheme (PGS)** remains the most effective way to contribute financially to the church. If you haven't enrolled yet, please speak to Charitas, the deputy treasurer, for assistance.
7. **Northfield SDA Church** will start their service at St David's every Saturday from 6th April.

Lenten Highlights for Your Calendar: SAVE THE DATES!

- **Lent Course** with Revd Paul: Tuesdays from 20th February to 26th March from 2 to 3 pm.
- **Lent Course** by Revd Theresa: Tuesdays throughout Lent: **Lent Group on Zoom, 7 pm.**
- **Palm Sunday Service:** 24th March, featuring 'Passion Narratives.'
- **Maundy Thursday Service:** 28th March at **4 pm**, incorporating the Washing of Feet, and **at the United Reformed Church at 7.30 pm** (Paul will preach for both services).
- **Good Friday Service:** 29th March at **2 pm**, followed by a vigil with music and meditation.
- **The 'Walk of Witness'**, organised by Church Together in Northfield, will be gathered at the opposite McDonald, Northfield, at **10.45 am.**
- **Easter Sunday Service:** 31st March, **followed by a delightful Bring and Share lunch.**

Foodbank

Again, this year, guides will be collecting Easter eggs and novelties, such as chocolate rabbits, for the food bank. We would be very grateful if anyone could support our project. (If it is easier, small money donations can also be given, and I can get them for you.) Please leave any donations in the food bank box. Many thanks, as always. Mandy, Guide leader.



Please continue to pray for **Adrian Abbott, Barry Shipman, and Margaret Scott.**

The Prayer Ministry Team can pray with you during Communion (or after the service) **in the Narthex next to Prayer Tree** — you do not need to tell them about your issue.

- **"Place of Welcome"** where everyone is welcome to 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.**

- **The Memorial Book:** If you wish to have your loved one's name entered, please put the full name and date of death (or funeral date, but please state which) in the form on the wooden case at the back of the church.

Do you have a Notice?

Please email your item(s) to stdavidsshennygreen@gmail.com and let us know the dates you wish item(s) to be listed. Thank you!



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



Any donations are greatly appreciated.

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