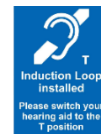




Welcome to St David's Church

This Week's News
4th October 2026

The 18th Sunday
after Trinity



"Following Jesus, welcoming all, serving the community."

	This week (Harvest and Parade Sunday)	Next Week
Bible Readings	Isaiah 5.1-7 (Pauline P) Philippians 3.4b-14 (Chris O') Matthew 21.33-end	Isaiah 25.1-9 (Pauline P) Philippians 4.1-9 (Geraint L) Matthew 22.1-14
Meet & Greet Intercessor Chalice	Jean S Steve G Jeff C + Brenda H	Brenda H Kathryn G Jeff 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 (12 th Oct) - 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 (13 th & 27 th Oct)	11 am – 1 pm
Parkinson's Group - Extend	Fortnightly (14 th & 28 th Oct)	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>.

Notices

1. **Messy Church – 2.30 pm this afternoon.**
2. **Harvest Sharing** – We're collecting items to support **SIFA Fireside** and the **Project**. Any monetary donations received will be shared equally between the two organisations
3. **Nepal Flood Appeal** – Thank you all for your generous donations to the Nepal Flood Appeal. We raised a fantastic total of **£550**, which, through **Barnabas Aid**, could help provide temporary shelter for two families whose homes have been destroyed by the floods.
4. **Home Communion:** Home Communion is available for those who are sick or housebound, Monday to Thursday, from the Vicar. Please get in touch with the vicar in advance so arrangements can be made. If you are in hospital and would like to receive regular Communion, don't hesitate to get in touch with the hospital chaplain in the first instance to help your half-time vicar. However, **in an emergency**, your vicar will come to see you as quickly as possible.



Macmillan Fundraising Event

Northfield SDA and St David's Church will be hosting
on **Friday 30th October from 11.30 am to 1.30 pm.**

Please join us for cakes, savoury foods, hot drinks and fun games



For your diary

- **PAT testing – 20 October from 9.15 am**
- **Messy Church – 1 November at 2.30 pm**
- **Quiz night – 7 November at 7.45 pm**
- **Remembrance Sunday with Parade – 8 November**
- **Green Meadow Primary School Education Visit – 11 November at 1.45 pm**
- **Healing Service – 15 November**

All Souls' Tide – St Laurence Church, Northfield

You and your family are warmly invited to a special service of readings, prayers and music to remember and give thanks for loved ones who have died **on Sunday 1 November at 4.00 pm.**

The service will last approximately one hour. All are welcome to join us for this time of remembrance, reflection and prayer.

Christmas Fayre – 28th November

(Please check this space for details of items needed for the Christmas Fayre.)

1. Please bring in last year's crackers.
2. The Guides will be collecting selection boxes and Christmas novelties again this year for **New Starts** and the **Salvation Army**. If you would like to help, please bring your donations to church. Alternatively, you can make a small donation, and Mandy can buy the items for you.



Please keep in your prayers those who are unwell: Adrian Abbott, June Lowe, Ashley Quaite, Karen Bayliss, Peter McLuskie and Sue C. (Peter's daughter), Val Tatlow and Claire (Val and Derek's daughter-in-law), Denise Pritchett.

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.stdavidsshenleygreen.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**, Tel: 07815 956439 or the Diocesan Safeguarding Officer Tel: 07342 993844; or complete the online referral form <https://bit.ly/4wdefEH>

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