



WELCOME

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14TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY 13th September 2020

FOR OUR PRAYERS:

Bud, June, June, Betty

IN REMEMBRANCE:

David Pennell

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY

DIED: Fred



COLLECT

Merciful God,
your Son came to save us and bore our
sins on the cross:
may we trust in your mercy and know
your love, rejoicing in the righteousness
that is ours through Jesus Christ our
Lord.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Lord God, the source of truth and love,
keep us faithful to the apostles'
teaching and fellowship,
united in prayer and the breaking of
bread,
and one in joy and simplicity of heart,
in Jesus Christ our Lord.



ATTENDING ST GEORGE'S SUNDAY EUCHARIST

If you want to attend a Sunday service at St George's, **you must contact Richard by the Friday before,**

by email: richard.lane

@stgeorgeandstmichael.org.uk. There is a strictly limited capacity and people will be turned away if we cannot accommodate them safely.

PLEASE don't 'reply' to Welcome Sheet emails —these go straight to the parish office and not to Richard!



HARVEST FESTIVAL ST GEORGE'S

Harvest will inevitably be a bit different this year. You are invited either to bring non-perishable items for the food bank or alternatively to make a financial contribution to the food bank. There will be a basket marked for these donations as you come into church on Sunday 11 October.



THURSDAY SERVICES AT CHAPEL

If you are interested in a service at the Chapel at 18:30 on Thursday evenings, please contact Richard to say so! Many thanks.



WATER AT ST MICHAEL'S

If you need a drink of water whilst at church there are paper cups available.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday 14 September

St George's church: 18:45 - Meditation Group

Tuesday 15 September

St George's church: 09:30 - Morning Prayer

St George's church: 10:30 - Eucharist

Wednesday 16 September

St George's Church: 19:00-21:00 New Life

Thursday 17 September

St George's: 20:00 - PCC

Friday 18 September

St George's Church: 19:00-21:00 New Life

Saturday 19 September

St George's church: 09:30 - Morning Prayer

Sunday 20 September

St George's: 10:00 - Eucharist

St Michael's: 10:00 - Eucharist

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday 27 September

St George's: 10:00 - Collection for Macmillan

Sunday 11 October

St George's: 10:00 - Harvest Festival

Thursday 22 October

St Michael's: 19:30 - Prayer

St Michael's: 20:00 - APCM

ONLINE SERVICES

St George's Sunday Eucharist will be recorded at 10:00 and can be seen on <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLG3BXYMIrivOW0wZVkrqfSfHm6o3JseCX>.

St Michael's: are holding their 10:00 Sunday service on Zoom. Details here: [join: stgeorgeandstmichael.org.uk/st-michaels-online-services/](https://stgeorgeandstmichael.org.uk/st-michaels-online-services/)



NOTICES

AUTUMN FAITH CAFÉ

It has been suggested that we might hold a distanced faith cafe in October. We would show a film as usual and have a 'theological' and spiritual chat about it afterwards. We won't be able to have refreshments but you could bring your own popcorn. If we decide to hold the event, it is likely to be on Oct 7, 14 and 21 at 19:30 in church. If this is something you'd like to join in with, please contact Richard to say so. We feel there is little point in going through the process of setting this up if the Covid situation means there are no or very few takers.



MACMILLAN COLLECTION

Instead of our usual coffee morning,, we will take a collection at St George's during the service on **27 September**.



STGEORGE'S ALARM

Our passcode has changed. If you have not received the new code please email the parish office.



ST GEORGE & ST MICHAEL PCC

Will all members attend our next PCC meeting at St George's Church on **Thursday 17 September** at 20:00. Masks should be worn and chairs will be placed at a distance..

NEW DAYLIGHT NOTES

The Bible reading notes for September to December cost £4.70 each or £5.95 for large print. They're available in the vestry or by contacting Richard if you are unable to get to church.



WALSINGHAM 2021

The Shrine hopes to open accommodation for pilgrims in the New Year and has transferred our booking to the weekend of **5 - 7 November 2021**. At present we have no idea of price but we will advise this is due course.



ST MICHAEL'S ZOOM 6 SEPTEMBER

We apologise for the problems we experienced on Sunday with Zoom making it impossible for people at home to join our services. Hopefully those problems will be ironed out this Sunday!



CHILDREN AT ST MICHAEL'S SERVICES

We were delighted to see so many children at church last Sunday. Sadly we cannot provide activities for them during the service so please bring quiet toys / colouring along with yourselves and your children so that they have something to do during the service.

NT: Romans 14: 1 - 12

Welcome those who are weak in faith, but not for the purpose of quarrelling over opinions.² Some believe in eating anything, while the weak eat only vegetables.³ Those who eat must not despise those who abstain, and those who abstain must not pass judgement on those who eat; for God has welcomed them.⁴ Who are you to pass judgement on servants of another? It is before their own lord that they stand or fall. And they will be upheld, for the Lord is able to make them stand.

⁵ Some judge one day to be better than another, while others judge all days to be alike. Let all be fully convinced in their own minds.⁶ Those who observe the day, observe it in honour of the Lord. Also those who eat, eat in honour of the Lord, since they give thanks to God; while those who abstain, abstain in honour of the Lord and give thanks to God.

⁷ We do not live to ourselves, and we do not die to ourselves.⁸ If we live, we live to the Lord, and if we die, we die to the Lord; so then, whether we live or whether we die, we are the Lord's.⁹ For to this end Christ died and lived again, so that he might be Lord of both the dead and the living.

¹⁰ Why do you pass judgement on your brother or sister? Or you, why do you despise your brother or sister? For we will all stand before the judgement seat of God.

¹¹ For it is written,
'As I live, says the Lord, every knee shall bow to me,
and every tongue shall give praise to God.'

¹² So then, each of us will be accountable to God

GOSPEL: Matthew 18: 21—35

²¹ Then Peter came and said to him, 'Lord, if another member of the church sins against me, how often should I forgive? As many as seven times?' ²² Jesus said to him, 'Not seven times, but, I tell you, seventy-seven times.
²³ 'For this reason the kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who wished to settle accounts with his slaves.²⁴ When he began the reckoning, one who owed him ten thousand talents was brought to him;²⁵ and, as he could not pay, his lord ordered him to be sold, together with his wife and children and all his possessions, and payment to be made.²⁶ So the slave fell on his knees before him, saying, "Have patience with me, and I will pay you everything."²⁷ And out of pity for him, the lord of that slave released him and forgave him the debt.²⁸ But that same slave, as he went out, came upon one of his fellow-slaves who owed him a hundred denarii; and seizing him by the throat, he said, "Pay what you owe."²⁹ Then his fellow-slave fell down and pleaded with him, "Have patience with me, and I will pay you."³⁰ But he refused; then he went and threw him into prison until he should pay the debt.³¹ When his fellow-slaves saw what had happened, they were greatly distressed, and they went and reported to their lord all that had taken place.³² Then his lord summoned him and said to him, "You wicked slave! I forgave you all that debt because you pleaded with me.³³ Should you not have had mercy on your fellow-slave, as I had mercy on you?"³⁴ And in anger his lord handed him over to be tortured until he should pay his entire debt.³⁵ So my heavenly Father will also do to every one of you, if you do not forgive your brother or sister from your heart.'