



# WELCOME

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## 14<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY 13<sup>TH</sup> September 2020

### ST MICHAEL'S HYMNS

Introit 30 Amazing grace  
Gradual 34 A new commandment  
Offertory 129 Dear Lord and Father  
of Mankind  
Communion 445 Meekness and majesty,  
22 All people that on earth  
Recessional 660 Thine be the glory



### 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.



FOR OUR PRAYERS: Yemi, Prosperity

## 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.



## COLLECTION AT ST MICHAEL'S

We now have a basket at the back of church for our collection.

## 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?](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLG3BXYMIrivOW0wZVkrqfSfHm6o3JseCX)

[list=PLG3BXYMIrivOW0wZVkrqfSfHm6o3JseCX.](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/)

## 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.

## OT: Exodus 14: 19—end

<sup>19</sup> The angel of God who was going before the Israelite army moved and went behind them; and the pillar of cloud moved from in front of them and took its place behind them. <sup>20</sup> It came between the army of Egypt and the army of Israel. And so the cloud was there with the darkness, and it lit up the night; one did not come near the other all night.

<sup>21</sup> Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea. The LORD drove the sea back by a strong east wind all night, and turned the sea into dry land; and the waters were divided. <sup>22</sup> The

Israelites went into the sea on dry ground, the waters forming a wall for them on their right and on their left. <sup>23</sup> The Egyptians pursued, and went into the sea after them, all of Pharaoh's horses, chariots, and chariot drivers. <sup>24</sup> At the morning watch the LORD in the pillar of fire and cloud looked down upon the Egyptian army, and threw the Egyptian army into panic.

<sup>25</sup> He clogged<sup>[a]</sup> their chariot wheels so that they turned with difficulty. The Egyptians said, 'Let us flee from the Israelites, for the LORD is fighting for them against Egypt.'

<sup>26</sup> Then the LORD said to Moses, 'Stretch out your hand over the sea, so that the water may come back upon the Egyptians, upon their chariots and chariot drivers.'<sup>27</sup> So Moses stretched out his hand over the sea, and at dawn the sea returned to its normal depth. As the Egyptians fled before it, the LORD tossed the Egyptians into the sea. <sup>28</sup> The waters returned and covered the chariots and the chariot drivers, the entire army of Pharaoh that had followed them into the sea; not one of them remained. <sup>29</sup> But the Israelites walked on dry ground through the sea, the waters forming a wall for them on their right and on their left.

<sup>30</sup> Thus the LORD saved Israel that day from the Egyptians; and Israel saw the Egyptians dead on the seashore. <sup>31</sup> Israel saw the great work that

the LORD did against the Egyptians. So the people feared the LORD and believed in the LORD and in his servant Moses.

## GOSPEL: Matthew 18: 21—35

<sup>21</sup> 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?' <sup>22</sup> Jesus said to him, 'Not seven times, but, I tell you, seventy-seven times.'

<sup>23</sup> 'For this reason the kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who wished to settle accounts with his slaves. <sup>24</sup> When he began the reckoning, one who owed him ten thousand talents was brought to him; <sup>25</sup> 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. <sup>26</sup> So the slave fell on his knees before him, saying,

"Have patience with me, and I will pay you everything."<sup>27</sup> And out of pity for him, the lord of that slave released him and forgave him the debt. <sup>28</sup> 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."<sup>29</sup> Then his fellow-slave fell down and pleaded with him, "Have patience with me, and I will pay you."

<sup>30</sup> But he refused; then he went and threw him into prison until he should pay the debt.

<sup>31</sup> 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. <sup>32</sup> Then his lord summoned him and said to him, "You wicked slave! I forgave you all that debt because you pleaded with me. <sup>33</sup> Should you not have had mercy on your fellow-slave, as I had mercy on you?"

<sup>34</sup> And in anger his lord handed him over to be tortured until he should pay his entire debt.

<sup>35</sup> So my heavenly Father will also do to every one of you, if you do not forgive your brother or sister from your heart.'