

In Contact slip

Please use this slip if you are new to the church, and/or you require more information about some or all of the items listed on the reverse of this slip.

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- (a) Email to office@stgileschurch.co.uk
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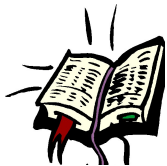
New to St Giles'?

It's great that you have been able to worship with us today. You might be just visiting Ickenham, but if you are living in the locality and are looking for a church to be part of, would you please fill in your contact details on this slip and place in the box in the porch. Please stay for refreshments after the 09.45 service if you are able.

Bible readings

Today: Jeremiah 29.11-14; John 5.1-15

Next Week: Exodus 13.17-22; John 6.16-24



Prayer

Please include these people and situations in your daily prayers this week.

Residents of Lawrence Drive

People who are ill, in hospital or in need:

Linda Daynes Ian Knight

The family and friends of the recently departed.

Betty Portsmouth

Those whose lives we remember at this time.

Ian Wilson Ann Dixon Doris Grove

The Missions & Charities we support – Bible Society

More notices...

Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Appeal – a collection is not being co-ordinated by the URC this year, but if you would still like to take part you can put together a shoebox of gifts for a child and drop it at a branch of the Entertainer Toy Shop (nearest one is in the Pavilions shopping centre in Uxbridge). Full info available on the Samaritan's Purse website at:

<https://www.samaritans-purse.org.uk/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child/>

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Administrator – Stephanie White

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Sunday children's activities

09.30 Family Praise in church

(except for 1st Sunday of the month when we meet together for 10am All-age Service)

Midweek Services

Thursday 10.00

Holy Communion

Next Sunday

08.00 Communion

09.30 Family Praise

10.30 Communion

12.00 Baptism



Welcome

to our services today; if you are visiting for the first time, please make yourself known to one of the staff team or churchwardens.

Services today 10 October 2021

08.00 **Holy Communion** Sermon: David

09.30 **Family Praise**

10.30 **Holy Communion** Sermon: David

08.00 and 10.30 services are also now livestreamed via the church Youtube Channel: search for St Giles Ickenham on Youtube

This week at St Giles'

Tuesday 12 October

19.45 Finance and Fabric Committee meets in church

Wednesday 13 October

12.30 Funeral of Betty Portsmouth in church

Thursday 14 October

10.00 BCP Communion service

13.45 Mothers' Union meet in the church hall for a talk by Ken Tombs on Travelling the Way of St James.' All welcome.

Notices

The funeral of Betty Portsmouth will take place in church on Wednesday 13 October at 12.30pm.

Harvest Appeal – last week we celebrated Harvest and this year we are supporting the Hillingdon Food Bank. If you would like to make a financial contribution to our Foodbank Harvest appeal you can do so via the yellow button on the home page of the church website. If you are unable to give online, please use one of the special Foodbank envelopes available in the centre of the church. You will be able to donate until the end of October.

Messy Church is Back! Saturday 23 October at 4pm in the church hall. Get ready to get Messy! This next event will use the Disney story 'Frozen' to explore the fact that Jesus knows us and cares for us. (From November Messy Church will revert to third Saturday of the month.)

Message from the Holy Mowers - we need to replant and add to our bulb planting in the Garden of Remembrance and churchyard this autumn. We rely on our annual coffee morning to raise funds but due to the pandemic we have not been able to do this for 2 years. If you would consider donating £2 to purchase 5 daffodil bulbs it will help us to ensure that the churchyard will have it's usual delightful display in the Spring. Thank you. Patricia Lee

Service of Lament – as mentioned in this week's Rectors Rambling email, there will be a service of lament in response to the pandemic on Sunday 24 October 6.30pm in church.

New Email Address for Emma Taylor – now Emma has stood down from the Children's, Youth and Family Worker post, please note the new email address which should be used for contacting Emma is tigger_emma@yahoo.com
Email to the families@stgileschurch.co.uk address is now being diverted to the church office.

Memory Café – the restarting of Memory Café on a once-a-month basis from November is being considered. We are looking for helpers who would be willing come and chat to people once a month – please contact Stephanie in the church office on 01895 622971 or office@stgileschurch.co.uk if you feel you can help.

Pray for Willesden - Archdeacon Catherine, Revd Andrew Corsie and Revd Christopher Ramsay, would like to invite you to pray for Willesden with them. They are conscious that during the episcopal vacancy this is particularly important, but longer term it would be great to see us gather to pray for the mission of the church in Willesden. In the age of zoom it has opened up new possibilities for corporate prayer across our churches. They propose therefore a time of prayer on Zoom on the 1st Thursday of each month 9.15am-9.45am. All are welcome to come and it will have a theme each month to pray about, with a short starting and finishing liturgy. Join Zoom Meeting: Meeting ID: 823 425 1254
Passcode: stgeorge
Or contact Stephanie in the church office for the clickable Zoom link. Dates will be 4 November, 2 December, 6 January.

The Real Advent Calendar - Behind each window is part of the Christmas story, a delicious festive shaped Fairtrade chocolate and a 24-page Christmas story-activity book. £4.50 each – please order before 31 October from Joyce Arnold (joycearnold@blueyonder.co.uk).

There will be no news sheet on Sunday 24 October – any entries for the news sheet on 17 October covering events up to Saturday 30 October need to be with Stephanie in the church office by 12 noon on Thursday 14 October.

Vigil for COP26 – South Bank churches and the Diocese of Southwark invite people of all faiths to a prayer vigil for the success of COP26, the international conference on climate change. Saturday 23 October 2.00pm-3.45pm at Southwark Cathedral. Arrive 2-3pm and bring a "Letter for creation" to give to faith leaders involved in COP26. Book you place online at: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/prayer-vigil-for-cop26-climate-conference-tickets-152732774841>

Do you need more information?

Please complete this section if you require further information about any of the following, then fill in your details on the reverse and return to the box in the porch.

I would like to know more about: Please tick as

applicable:

Arranging a baptism	()
Children's activities	()
Youth Activities	()
Women's Groups	()
Men's Activities	()
Small groups for Bible study and prayer	()
Sport/leisure groups	()
Cleaning, flowers, & churchyard teams	()
Being part of the choir or worship band	()
Planned financial giving	()

I would like someone to visit me at home to talk about ways in which I use my time and talents at St Giles' Church ()

Livestreaming Sunday services – we are now live streaming 8am and 10.30 am Communion services. The live stream can be accessed via the church Youtube channel – see the red link button towards the bottom of the home page of the church website. **Please be aware that if you attend a service that is being live streamed your image may appear on the live stream** – we therefore require all those attending to sign our media release and consent form, and please also read our new filming in church privacy notice. If you have not already completed a form, these are available on entry into church or you can download them in advance from the home page of the church website. **If you do not wish to sign the consent form and do not want your image to appear in the live stream please avoid sitting in the front two rows in church where your image will be picked up on camera.** (Family Praise and All-age Service on the first Sunday of the month are not being live streamed.)

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