

St. George's Church

Newsletter Sunday 23rd September 18



We give you a warm welcome to church, we hope you are blessed as we praise and give thanks to God.

This morning we thank Rev. Pete Blackband from Adeyfield Free Church for bringing us God's word and Allan Meyers for leading us in worship.

If you would like to receive prayer after the service, please speak to a member of the prayer team who will be at the back of the church. Words to the songs, hymns and bible readings are projected onto the screen during the service, however, if you would like a hymn book or bible please speak to one of the welcomers, who this week are Stan & Mary Purbrick.

Please join us for refreshments in the hall after the service.

Duty Elder

Maggie Bradley

Adeyfield Elder

John Hand

Next Sunday

David Morgan, a Wycliffe Bible Translator.

Youth Groups

Children and young people are welcome to join their groups in the hall at about 11am. Please ensure the leaders know of any relevant health or allergy information.



'Murder at the Senior Citizen's Exercise Class' will be performed on Saturday September 29th at 3pm. Last chance to get tickets which are £6.50 or £5.00 concession for those over 65. This includes complimentary refreshments during the interval. Tickets can be obtained from Julie Buckland in the Church Office.

Proceeds will go to support Joshua Lee who will be representing Hertfordshire in the 24th World Scout Jamboree in the USA in 2019.

Good Book Company 'Explore' Bible notes

There are 2 further complementary copies of the 'Explore' daily Bible reading notes, available to a good home. The notes begin in October and last until the end of the year. If you would like a copy, please see Gill Griffin.

Harvest Festival Volunteers Needed – Andrew Masters is looking for helpers for the local schools Harvest Festivals. He needs people on the 7th October, after the morning service, to help set up and then Welcomers on Monday 8th and Friday 19th. Please see Andrew for times.

**“Making mature and active disciples of Jesus Christ,
who worship God and show God's love inside and outside the church.”**



Churches Together October Ramble

Come and enjoy a ramble with friends from churches across Hemel on Saturday 20th October. Meet at 10am outside the Baptist Church, High Street, Bovingdon for a 4 mile walk (roughly 2- 2 1/2 hours) around Bovingdon Aerodrome.

St Albans Cathedral Free Church Service in the Lady Chapel on Wednesday 3rd October at 11.00am: The Reverend Canon Kevin Walton, Canon Chancellor, St Albans Cathedral.

Thinking Lunches Thursday 4th October. 12.30pm - 1.30pm. At Marlborough Road Methodist Church, One World: Transforming Communities

Pray Hemel The next meeting will be on 6th October at St. Barnabas church, Queens Square, Adeyfield. 8am for breakfast followed by worship and prayer at 8.30am.

The Mix Youth Across Hemel's The Mix is back on Saturday 6th Oct from 7 -9pm at Belmont Road Baptist Church. The theme is Tumbling Walls and we have invited youth worker Jason Reynolds from Luton Christian Fellowship to share. Plus, the usual fun and games including an Escape room, bourbon biscuit domino challenge, sugar cube tower build and building a prayer wall. Entrance is FREE for youth aged 11-18, and there's hot chocolate and bourbon biscuits on offer.

HELP PLEASE

Do you have any spare DK wool in bright or pastel colours please? It is needed by Pensioner knitting groups who make children's jumpers for Africa and India, (Including for Ivy's IIMC), and hats for the premature babies at Watford hospital. Please see Denise Chennells. Thank you.

DENS Arts & Crafts – They are running Arts & Crafts Workshops for their service users at Open Space on Thursdays, but they're in need of more supplies to keep these going! If you have any of the following you could donate: Crayons, Felt, Ribbon, Lace, Beads, Costume Jewellery, Cardboard, Needles, Cotton embroidery thread, Acrylic paint, Watercolour paint, Magazines, Coloured paper, Old picture frames. Please bring them to the DENS Furniture Warehouse at: The Hub, Paradise, Hemel Hempstead, HP2 4TF (Open Mon-Fri 10am-4pm), Many thanks for your support.

DENS Bikes is looking for bikes to repair! They are starting up a bike repair programme with the aim of supporting people to develop work skills, and to get started they need adult bikes in need of repair. Please contact Tim on fundraising@dens.org.uk or 01442 275900 (Mon-Fri).

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