

18th July 2021



St Georges Church

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For your thoughts & prayers.

- That the prayer meeting each week will be full to overflowing
- For Jim as he leads the morning service that he will be inspired.
- Giving thanks for those who do practical work around the church such as cleaning, grass cutting, flower arranging, coffee making.
- For Judy and Jo as they stay connected with members and make plans to open Wednesday Welcome.
- That kindness underlies all that is done at St George's.
- For Carol and Sharon as they make plans to open Toddlers, next term.
- For the home groups, meeting via zoom, that they can support and encourage one another.
- For Justin as he talks this morning.

Today's Service. Guest Speaker. We welcome back **Justin Thacker** who will be leading our talk this morning. Justin is a former member of St George's, having worshipped there with his family for 12 years.

For the last eight years he has been in Chesterfield, primarily working as a lecturer in a theological college, but in the last few years for Church Action for Tax Justice and Christian Aid.

He'll be speaking though in a personal capacity on the theme of '**God with us**'. For more information on Church Action for Tax Justice, check out this web page. <https://www.catj.org.uk/>

This Week...

18th July – Jim Wignall – Church & Zoom (Guest is Justin Thacker).

Church Services to come.

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25th July – Bryan Cox & Jim Wignall – Church & Zoom.

1st August – Caryl Horscott – Communion Service – Church & Zoom

Click on or copy, the link below into your web browser to go to our **Online Sunday Services**.

<https://zoom.us/j/5181132409>

Stay in touch with us via our webpage. www.st-georges-urc-hemel.org.uk

Or the Church's Facebook page.
<https://www.facebook.com/St-Georges-Church-HH-687803111369184/>

Other Online Resources...

Online URC Services - Access the devotions here:

bit.ly/URCdevotions or

subscribe here:

bit.ly/URCDDsubscribe

These are short links, but they will take you to the website.

"Making mature and active disciples of Jesus Christ, who worship God and show God's love inside and outside the Church."

Fancy a career change? - C2C Community Worker working at Chesham Methodist Church - term time only. The Church require a part time Community Worker, to be based at Chesham Methodist Church.

The closing date for applications is Monday 02 August 2021, Interviews are scheduled to take place on Tuesday 10 August 2021.

For further information please contact Lu Gigg, Amersham Circuit Administrator via email amcircuitmethodist@gmail.com

NEW - St George's Church - "Drop in" Sessions. From Wednesday 4th August why not drop in to the Church Hall from 10:30am until 12 Noon.

Come and meet your friends, have a chat, tea and coffee will be available – maybe a biscuit or two and there will be a few surprises along the way. Want to come or know more then, contact **Denise 07808 442215**

Saturday 17th July - Would you like your kids to learn to pray? PRAYER ADVENTURE DAY is an outdoor, family event. It will teach aspects of prayer in the most fun and engaging way! There will be 8 stations each with a hands-on activities, each with a different prayer focus.

These activities will include obstacle courses, movement and flags, making beads, using stamps, making noisy instruments, making globes. Refreshments will be served.

When. Sat 17th of July. **Where.** St Lawrence Church, Church Street, Bovington, HP3 0LU. Come for a lovely family day out!

Book single session, either 9.30am OR 11.30am. (a session is 1.5hrs). **BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL** as there are limited spaces. **Please contact: Angela Hodkinson - prayeradventureday@gmail.com Tel: 07769 047637.** Suggested donation £2 per family

Adeyfield Free Church – New Alpha Course. Starting in September. Adeyfield Free Church are starting a new Alpha course in September. The course will be online via Zoom and will start on September 23rd at 8pm. If you want to know more then please contact Pauline in the admin office via email admin@adeyfieldfree.org.uk.

Contacts & Information

Pastoral Care: Please contact either **Josephine** or **Denise** via the office number **01442 212320**. Leave a message and they will call you back.

Church Office – admin@st-georges-urc-hemel.org.uk 01442 212320

Hall Hire – Contact the admin office - 01442 212320.

Lifts Co-Ordinator – denise.chennell@coolemail.co.uk - 07808 442215.

Please send newsletter items to - admin@st-georges-urc-hemel.org.uk

Website - www.st-georges-urc-hemel.org.uk

The church website has details of events, services, & recordings. The member's area includes up to date rotas & information. Please contact the office for the member's password. Articles for the website send to admin@st-georges-urc-hemel.org.uk

All meetings are currently suspended.

Reminder. When not in organised group sessions, children should be supervised by parents/carers at all times whilst on the premises.

Junior Church - (Term-Time) Sunday mornings 10.30 am.

- Cell Group 14+
- 7up – Year 7 (11+)
- Junior Church (5+)
- Creche
- Child Friendly services during Half-Term.

Pilots - (Term-Time) Thursday Meet in the church hall.

- Deckhands (Recp. to Year 2) 5.45 until 7pm
- Adventurers (Year 3-6) 5.45 until 7pm
- Voyagers (Age 11-14) 7 until 8.15 pm

All Meetings are suspended.

Toddler Group - (Term-Time) Thursday mornings 10-11.45 am - Please see Carol Edgeworth for details or the Church Facebook Page

Homegroups - Monday to Thursdays - See website for details.

All Meetings are suspended.

Wednesday Welcome - (Term time) Open to all. 10.15 am to 11.30 am Speakers, Activities & Fellowship.

All Meetings are suspended.

Prayer chain - Please speak to Josephine Sam.

Prayer Meeting - Wednesdays 7pm to 7.30 – meet online via Zoom.

<https://zoom.us/j/96361611856>