

25th April 2021



# St Georges Church

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**Church is reopening on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> April. Come along if you can. If not, continue to use Zoom.**



## For your thoughts & prayers.

- For our newly inducted and ordained elders.
- That we may continue to serve the local community, without the need for anything in return.
- Giving thanks for those who work as volunteers in local charities and organisations.
- For our current and past Elders and all those that have served this community by the work they have done in this Church.
- For the Foodbank during a time of extra demand for help.
- For the work of discovery in local schools.

**AGM**  
Annual General Meeting

**Church AGM. Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> May.** We plan to hold an **AGM on Sunday the 9<sup>th</sup> of May**; it will follow the Sunday morning service. It is anticipated that it will also be shown via Zoom. Please put the date in the diary.

**25<sup>th</sup> April. Church will be reopening this weekend.** The Church will reopen on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> April. Alongside opening the Church, we will also run the service via Zoom. You may, but hopefully not, experience some sound or other technical issues. Your understanding and patience would be greatly appreciated.

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

## This Week...

**25<sup>th</sup> April** - Caryl Horscroft – **Church & Zoom.**

## Church Services to come.

**2<sup>nd</sup> May** - Stan & Mary Homegroup – **Church & Zoom.**

**9<sup>th</sup> May** - Jim Wignall – **Church & Zoom** – **Our AGM** will follow this service.

**16<sup>th</sup> May** – Josephine Sam – **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](http://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](http://bit.ly/URCdevotions) or

subscribe here:  
[bit.ly/URCDDsubscribe](http://bit.ly/URCDDsubscribe)

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

**Church Giving & Pastoral Care Fund.** Can you continue to place your giving in your envelopes, then bring them in once you are happy to come back to Church again. Thank you.

**Open the eyes of my heart.** Last week Julia mentioned a clip she had seen on YouTube (Linked to the song – Open the Eyes of my Heart) – of a young, Autistic and Blind boy singing this song. You can find this here. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lkgbDu9iDqo> the young man is called Chris Duffley.

**Pictures from around the area.** I have been sent some lovely pictures by people who have been out and about. We may live in a town, but these clearly show we are also close to nature and the countryside too.



**Churches Together in Hertfordshire: Annual Forum, 7.30 pm, 5 May 2021 via Zoom.** Churches Together in Hertfordshire have sent the attached flyer about their Annual Forum. The link to the meeting will be sent nearer the time, as will the Agenda.

CT in Herts are looking for nominations for their Committee by 30th April. If anyone is interested, please contact Austin ([chair@cthh.org.uk](mailto:chair@cthh.org.uk)) or Heather ([secretary@cthh.org.uk](mailto:secretary@cthh.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](mailto:admin@st-georges-urc-hemel.org.uk) 01442 212320

**Hall Hire** – Contact the admin office - 01442 212320.

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Please send newsletter items to - [admin@st-georges-urc-hemel.org.uk](mailto:admin@st-georges-urc-hemel.org.uk)

**Website** - [www.st-georges-urc-hemel.org.uk](http://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](mailto: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 - (Term time)**  
Wednesdays 6.45 pm to 7.30 – meet online.