

8th August 2021



St Georges Church

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For your thoughts & prayers.

- **All the charities that we support**
- Tearfund
- Mercy Ships
- CAP
- Care for the family
- Liberty Tearooms
- Cornergate
- Alternatives
- For those leading and participating in the morning services, especially those operating technology.
- For Carol and Sharon as they make preparations for restarting the Toddler group in September.

Holiday season is here. As we approach the peak holiday period where many will be away for a while. Please take the opportunity refresh both your body & mind, especially as many of us will be getting ready for all the programmes that will restart in September. **Have a great time.**

Praise Him! AFC are running a praise event on Saturday 11th September. The event will take place at the AFCC which is located at Maylands Avenue – HP2 4GZ. There will be live music, singing too. Everything kicks off at 6:30pm and will finish around 8pm.

This Week...

8th August - Roy Brown & Denise Chennells – Church & Zoom.

Church Services to come.

15th August – Josephine Sam - Church & Zoom.

22nd August – Bryan Cox & Caryl Horscott – Church

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."

Drop in – Wednesday 4th August. Judging from the noise coming from the Church Hall this morning, the first Drop-in session that was a noisy success. The car park was full to overflowing. Great work from the team that put the effort into making this such a success.

Sunday Service. This Sunday Roy will be leading the service for the first time. Please give him your support as he leads and orchestrates the service.

Office Closure. The Church office will close on Thursday 12th August and will reopen on Wednesday the 25th of August. If you need any help during this time, please contact any member of the leadership team.

Ideas to make money. Given the state of our finances we need to come up with some innovative ideas that can help us make money. If you have an idea and what you think will need to be done to make it successful, drop it in an email to any of the leadership team. Alternatively send your ideas to me in the office.

Alternatives – Job Vacancy. Alternatives in Hemel Hempstead have a job vacancy for a Part-time Shop Supervisor. The main hours are: -

- Thursdays 9.30am -4.30pm.
- Fridays 9.30am – 4.30pm and
- Alternate Saturdays 10am – 4pm

To find out more and/or apply go to www.alternativeswatford.co.uk or contact the Alternatives Head Office for an application pack info@alternativeswatford.co.uk. **Alternative's mission** is to offer life-changing emotional and practical support for anyone facing pregnancy-related challenges. **The closing date is 21st August 2021.**

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. **Now suspended**

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