



The Parish Church of
Saint George the Martyr
Waterlooville

SUNDAY February 18th 1st of Lent

<p>Please welcome today's Celebrants</p>	<p>8.00am Fr Ray Chapman 10.00am Fr Ray Chapman</p>
<p>Please welcome Wednesday's Celebrant</p>	<p>10.00am Fr Adrian Harbidge</p>
<p><u>TODAY'S SERVICES</u></p>	
<p><u>Hymns</u> 63 65 357 74</p> <p>Motet "O God of Mercy" by Simon Lole</p>	<p><u>Acclamation</u> Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory. The Lord is a great God, *O that today you would <u>listen</u> to his voice. <u>Harden</u> not your hearts Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory.</p>
<p><u>Intercessor Today</u> Richard Spurgeon</p> <p><u>Next Week</u> Chris Gadd</p>	<p><u>Today's Readers</u> Andrew Clark and June Chapman</p> <p><u>Next Week</u> Marilyn Atkins and Audrey Linney</p>
<p><u>Liturgical Gifts</u> Today's liturgical gifts have been given today by Mark and Helen Orsmond in remembrance of Mark's father, Douglas, for his birthday on 17th. Fondest memories.</p>	<p><u>Wednesday Liturgical Gifts</u> The liturgical gifts have been given today by Jenny Higginbottom in memory of a very loved husband Bob. Also in memory of Jennefer's son Michael Higginbottom who died 18 months ago.</p>
<p><u>Happy Birthday this week to</u> Ellen Deal, Andy Graham and Len Palmer.</p>	<p><u>Parish Office</u> The Parish Officers today are Anne Morgan with Marian Haughton. Next week is Helen Wilkes and Lynn Winter.</p>
<p><u>Retiring Collection</u> The New Blendworth Centre</p>	

THIS WEEK'S DIARY

<u>Today</u> 8.00am Eucharist 10.00am PARISH EUCHARIST	<u>Monday</u>
<u>Tuesday</u> 10.00am Parent and Toddlers Group 7.00pm Help in Bereavement AGM Baptist Church Cosham	<u>Wednesday</u> 10.00am Said Eucharist 10.30am Refreshments in Church Hall 2.00pm Two Beeches Service 8.00pm PCC Meeting
<u>Thursday</u> 6.30pm Choir Practice 7.30pm Pop-Up-Cinema	<u>Friday</u> 10.00am Coffee & Cake in Church 12.30pm Stations of the Cross 7.30pm Tweenies Passage to India
<u>Next Sunday</u> Theme: Lent 2 8.00am Eucharist 9.45am Sunday School 10.00am PARISH EUCHARIST	<u>Next Week's Readings</u> Genesis 17: 1-7, 15-16 Romans 4: 13-end Mark 8: 31-end



Lent, Holy Week & Easter Lent has now begun. Each week during Lent there are Stations of the Cross on different days. Please make sure you take home the purple "Lent, Holy Week & Easter" leaflet which gives details of all the services.

Altar Candles Each week throughout Lent a new candle is added on the Altar to show how many weeks we are through the season. Today there is 1 candle.

Tweenies Passage to India is this Friday at 7.30pm in the Church Hall. Just to remind you that you need to let Rachel know if you are coming to the Indian night by this weekend so that she can plan food. Please feel free to come along and hear about her travels if you aren't wanting to eat, there are those who can't eat that late or have spicy things.

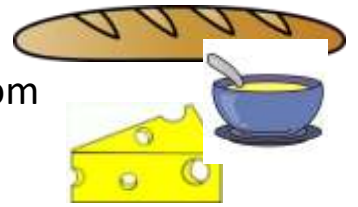
Please find below a list of priests celebrating at services in St. George's.

Date	Service	Celebrant
Sunday 18 th February	8.00 Eucharist	Fr Ray Chapman
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Wednesday 21 st February	10.00 Eucharist	Fr Adrian Harbidge
Sunday 25 th February	8.00 Eucharist	Fr Charles Howard
	10.00 Eucharist	Fr David Lindsay
Tuesday 27 th February	10.30 Funeral	Fr Ray Chapman
Wednesday 28 th February	10.00 Eucharist	Fr Ray Chapman
Sunday 4 th March	8.00 Eucharist	Fr Ray Chapman
	10.00 Eucharist	Fr Ray Chapman
Wednesday 7 th March	10.00 Eucharist	Rev Ruth Loveman
Sunday 11 th March Mothering Sunday	8.00 Eucharist	Fr Ray Chapman
	10.00 Eucharist	Fr Ray Chapman and Rev Sandra Edwards
Wednesday 14 th March	10.00 Eucharist	Fr Ray Chapman
Sunday 18 th March	8.00 Eucharist	Fr Ray Chapman
	10.00 Eucharist	Fr Ray Chapman
Wednesday 21 st March	10.00 Eucharist	Fr Charles Howard
Palm Sunday 25 th March	8.00 Eucharist	Fr Ray Chapman
	10.00 Eucharist	Fr David Lindsay
Monday 26 th March	10.00 Springwood Sch	Fr Charles Howard

Help in Bereavement are having their AGM on Tuesday 20th February at the Link Baptist Church in Cosham at 7pm for 7.30pm. We have a guest speaker Rev Carol Gully talking about her work at the Rowans Hospice, St Cuthberts and in the Community. If you would like to know more about this charity and the work we do in Havant Borough, Portsmouth, Fareham and Gosport then please come along, and also if you would like to find out about the training we do later in the year and about becoming a Visitor.

We have our monthly coffee morning here at St George's Church Hall, second Monday of every month, all are welcome and we now have a coffee morning in Portsmouth on the fourth Monday of every month. If you would like any more details please give Linda Smith 07834457284 a call.

Lent Lunches The next lunch is Wednesday February 28th – from midday. Come and enjoy soup and a roll and at the same time help Christian Aid.



Please sign up on the list at the back of the church if you are interested so that we have an idea of likely numbers. Thanks, Rosemary Monk

The Mayor and Consort of Havant Councillors Elaine and Gerald Shimbart request the pleasure of your company at their Coffee Morning supporting Fairtrade Fortnight on Wednesday 28th February 10.30am to 12 noon – The Sacred Heart and St. Peter the Apostle Parish Centre, Waterlooville. Proceeds in aid of the Mayor's Charity Appeal fund. All welcome. £2.50 on the door.

African Child Trust It's a big thank you to all of you who contributed to our annual sponsorship towards our four orphaned children in Africa. We raised the lovely sum of £800 which, when the gift aid is added will get nearly £1000. We have received an e mail from ACT thanking us for our generosity. If anyone reading this would like to know more and join the current list of sponsors Tony Rice-Oxley would love to hear from you. ACT Liaison

Coach Holiday to St. Ives, Cornwall 30th June – 7th July 2018. The Methodist Church in Petersfield is organising a holiday coach trip staying at Treloyhan Manor Hotel, one of five in the Christian Guild Hotel group. The price per person which includes return travel from Petersfield, 7 nights dinner, bed and breakfast in en-suite accommodation and 5 coach excursions is £675. (no single supplement) Many friends from Petersfield, Portsmouth, Havant, Alton and Basingstoke join them each year and they welcome new people. Bookings must be made direct with the hotel (01736 796240) but further information regarding the daily programme and coach pick up points, can be attained from Gordon Churchill (01730 260454)

St George's Mothers' Union members would like to thank all who supported their recent Coffee Morning. Apart from the sale of books, cards etc £ 79.70 was raised for the work of this Anglican charity and will be greatly appreciated by those who benefit either at home or abroad.

Two Beeches service on Wednesday at 2pm. You are welcome to come along.

CCTV System

We are pleased to announce that our long awaited CCTV System is now installed and operational. The purpose of the system is for the protection of people worshipping, working in, or visiting our church. It is also there for crime prevention. The management of the system is fully compliant with National CCTV Policies and UK government Data Protection Requirements. If you wish to know more about the system or how it works please see Dick Handy who will be happy to talk things through with you

Do you have any wool? The ladies at Easterly Nursing Home have been very busy knitting and are now on their third blanket. The first two have been delivered to the Two Saints Centre at Fareham. Double knitting wool is preferred and any colour would be great. Please pass to either Lesley Handy or Margaret Symonds. Thank you

George's Men Beer Tasting Evening - Please note the change to the original date, will be on Monday 26th February at 7.30pm at John Johnson's home. Bring bottles (or cans) of chosen beverage to sample; supper is included.



Waterlooville Events Team

Pop-Up-Cinema 22nd February at 7.30pm showing in the Church Hall this Thursday. The film being shown is "Lost in Paris."

Tickets on the door £6

Fiction for all tastes

Do you enjoy hearing about books and the writing process? Come and listen to the panel of three authors of different genres. Waterlooville library Tuesday 27th March at 7.30pm. £5

FIND YOUR PLACE AT THE LIBRARY

Fiction For All Tastes

at Waterlooville Library
Tuesday 27 March / 7.30pm / £5
Author panel with Annie Murray, Abi Oliver, Melanie Whymann and Helen Matthews

Do you enjoy hearing about books and the writing process? Are you an avid reader looking to discover new authors? Or perhaps you are an aspiring writer hoping to publish your own stories or novel?

Fiction for All Tastes is a panel of three authors, writing in very different genres, who will discuss their latest books and share their tips on the writing process, the ideas behind their books, using a pseudonym and getting published. Led by Angela Hicken, Literature Development Officer for the Hampshire Cultural Trust, there will be the opportunity for book signing at the end of the evening.

All Melanie and Helen are at award winning authors. Abi is one of the top 100 most borrowed of adult authors and both Melanie and Helen have had work broadcast on BBC Radio 4.

Places are limited so advance booking is essential
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Praying for those in need Please let us know if you need to have someone included on the prayer list. Also let us know if that person has got better so we can celebrate their recovery.

Remembering Those Who Need Our Prayers



Please remember in your prayers this week:

Malcolm Williams, Mark Langtry, Anna Chapman, Sarah, Stephen McMurdy, Gerry Shimbart, Malcolm Brewer, Lindsay Hood, Shelley Lazlett, Mary, Joan, Iain Renfrew and John Symonds

Remembering Those Who Have Died Recently



Please remember in your prayers this week:

Remembering Those Whose Anniversary of Death Falls At This Time



Please pray for the souls of:

Douglas Orsmond, Harry Ross and Bob Higginbottom

School of the Week



Please pray for the staff and students at:

The Waterloo School

PARISH DIARY	
Tuesday 20 th February	Help in Bereavement AGM – 7.00 for 7.30pm
Wednesday 21 st February	Two Beeches Service – 2pm
	PCC Meeting – 8pm
	MU: Quiet Day at St. John's Shedfield – Rev David Lindsay
Thursday 22 nd February	Pop-Up-Cinema - Lost in Paris 7.30pm
Friday 23 rd February	Stations of the Cross – 12.30pm
	A Passage to India – Cuisine: Rachel Palmer
Tuesday 27 th February	Book Club at Patricia Byrne's Home
	Funeral – 10.30am
Wednesday 28 th February	Lent Lunch in Church Hall – 12 midday
	Stations of the Cross – 7.30pm
Friday 2 nd March	Women's World Day of Prayer – 2pm at St. Wilfrid's Cowplain
Saturday 3 rd March	Annual Day Crib Cruise to France
Thursday 8 th March	Stations of the Cross – 12.30pm
Monday 12 th March	Help in Bereavement Coffee Morning – 10am
Tuesday 13 th March	Tweenies Quiet Reflection at Anne Morgan's – 7.30pm
Wednesday 14 th March	Lent Lunch in the Hall – 12 midday
	Stations of the Cross – 7.30pm
	Finance & Fabric Meeting-7.30pm
Thursday 15 th March	Mothers' Union – In the Steps of Mary Sumner: Pauline Wale
Sunday 18 th March	Taize Service – 6pm
Tuesday 20 th March	Stations of the Cross – 12.30pm
Wednesday 21 st March	PCC Meeting– 8pm
Thursday 23 rd March	Pop-Up-Cinema "Breathe" – 7.30pm
Saturday 24 th March	Servers Rehearsal – 10am
Sunday 25 th March	Palm Sunday
Tuesday 27 th March	Talk about fiction at the library – 7.30pm
Sunday 1 st April	Easter Day
Friday 6 th April	Walsingham Pilgrims leave for Walsingham 7.30am
Saturday 7 th April	MU: Diocesan Council, Cathedral House – 10.30am
Monday 9 th April	Help in Bereavement Coffee Morning – 10am
	Mothers' Union Deanery Lady Day Service – St. George's Church followed by tea in the hall
Saturday 14 th April	Memorial Service for Sylvia Gent – 12 Noon
Monday 16 th April	Tweenies Film Night at Lesley Handy's – 7.30pm
Wednesday 18 th April	MU: Deanery Committee Meeting – 10.30am Emsworth
Thursday 19 th April	Mothers' Union Craft Afternoon – Janet Johnson
Sunday 22 nd April	APCM Meeting and Parish Lunch
Thursday 26 th April	Pop-Up-Cinema "Goodbye Christopher Robin" – 7.30pm

NB Please email items for the bulletin to Lesley Handy at:
parish.office@stgeorges.church Alternatively leave a note in the admin pigeon hole at the back of church.

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME WITH YOU AND KEEP FOR REFERENCE

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