



Welcome to St David's Church

This Week's News
16th March 2025

**The 2nd Sunday of
Lent**

"An inclusive church, lifting the name of Jesus at the heart of the community."

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	This week (Safeguarding Sunday)	Next Week
Bible Readings	Psalm 91.1-4 (Chris O') Ephesians 5.8-13 (Pauline P) John 13.34	Isaiah 55.1-9 (Geraint L) 1 Corinthians 10.1-13 (Fran M) Luke 13.1-9
Meet & Greet Intercessor Chalice	Brenda H Jill M Jeffrey C + Paul	Elaine H Jenny S Jeffrey C + Jean S

What's on

Holy Communion	Sunday	10 am
Small World	Mon, Wed, Fri (Term time only)	9.30 – 11.15 am
Nifty Fifties	Bi-weekly Monday (10 th & 24 th Mar)	11.45 am – 2.45 pm
Craft Club	Tue	10 am – 12 pm
Prayer Meeting	18th March Cancelled	2 pm – 3 pm
Place of Welcome	Tue(18th March Cancelled), Thurs	10 am – 12 pm
Parkinson's Group - Extend	Bi-weekly Wednesday (19 th Mar)	1 pm -2.30 pm
Parkinson's Group - Dance	Bi-weekly Tuesday (11 th & 25 th Mar)	11 am – 1 pm
Trefoil	2 nd Tuesday (Monthly)	2- 4 pm
Midweek Holy Communion	Thursday	9.30 am – 10 am
Senior's Fitness Class	Thursday	10 am – 11 am
Uniform Groups	Mon – Thurs (Term time only)	Evenings
Curtain Call Theatre Co.	Friday	Evenings
Northfield SDA Church	Saturday	9.30 am – 6.30 pm

Please check the calendar here: <https://www.stdavidsshenleygreen.org/calendar>.

Notices

- Safeguarding Foundation Training – 16th March at 2 pm:** All **PCC members**, as well as members of the **Prayer and Pastoral Ministry teams**, who have completed the basic training, are required to attend this session. And all who are interested in the safeguarding are welcome.
- Steve and Rachel would like to thank the church family for the generous gifts and cards on Ezra's baptism.
- Confirmation at the Cathedral:** Please pray for **Joanna C** and **Tony S** who will be confirmed at the cathedral on **19th April**. Rehearsal will take place on Sunday 6th April at 5.15 pm.
- Home Communion for the Sick & Homebound:** To arrange Home Communion, contact the Vicar. Available mostly on Thursday afternoons — book early!
- Fifth Sunday of March:** There will be **no Bring/Share lunch** because it is **Mothering Sunday**.
- Bill Woodhouse:** The funeral will take place at St David's Church on Tuesday, **18th March, at 1.15 pm**, followed by the committal at the Lodge Hill Crematorium at 2.30 pm (family only). Please keep the family in your prayers. The wake will be held at the Church Hall.
- Place of Welcome/Prayer Meeting** on this coming Tuesday is **cancelled** due to the funeral of Bill Woodhouse.

8. **Win Rindl:** The funeral will take place at St David's Church on Friday, **21st March, at 1 pm**, followed by the committal at the Lodge Hill Crematorium at 2.30 pm (family members only). Please keep the family in your prayers. The wake will be held at the church hall.
9. **Electoral Roll Update:** Every six years, a new church electoral roll must be prepared for each parish. Further details will be provided by David Groombridge, our Electoral Roll Officer.
10. **PCC:** There will be a meeting immediately **after the Sunday service next week**. Please make every effort to attend.

There are many ways available to reflect or share the Word of God during Lent.

- **Living Hope** (Daily Lent reflection from 5th March) – you can download app here <https://www.churchofengland.org/faith-life/exploring-faith/everyday-faith>.
- **The Lord's Prayer @ Free Coffee with Jesus:** Mondays 12.30-1.30 pm @ **Merritts Cafe**, B31 1UJ. More information: Theresa Morton revdtheresamorton@gmail.com/07557 472096
- **Discipleship on the Frontline:** Mondays 7-8pm, **Zoom:** contact Janice Paine j.e.paine23@gmail.com for Zoom login details
- **The Prayer meeting** (Reflection on Lenten theme : Why Did Jesus have to die?) on Tuesdays at 2 pm and **the weekday communion** (Reflection on Romans) on Thursday at 9.30 am.

Please keep in your prayers those who are unwell: Adrian Abbott, Peter Abbott, Barry Shipman, Pam Jay, June Lowe, Margaret Scott, Peter McLuskie (and his daughter, Sue C) and Janet Yates. May they find strength, healing, and comfort in God's love. We keep praying for them at the prayer meeting. Please submit your prayer requests in the **Prayer Box** in the Narthex or texting the Vicar directly, or visiting our website (www.stdavidsshenleygreen.org/prayermeeting).

We're collecting **Easter treats** for trafficked children and the New Starts Centre. Please leave donations in the narthex or give to **Mandy H** to buy items on your behalf.



Paul will walk 200 miles to raise funds for a new church illuminating sign during Lent. Please support him with your prayers and generous donations.

[Vicar's Lent Project | St David's Church](https://www.stdavidsshenleygreen.org/lentproject) (<https://www.stdavidsshenleygreen.org/lentproject>)

"Place of Welcome" where everyone can come together for cheerful conversations and fellowship over coffee, tea, and snacks. Doors are open **on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10 am to 12 pm**.



Please check [here](#) or scan the QR code on your device.



Any donations are greatly appreciated.

St David's Church complies with the Safeguarding Policies of the Church of England Birmingham. **If you have any concerns about a child, a young person or an adult who may be vulnerable**, please contact our Parish Safeguarding Coordinator, Revd Pat Fleming T: 07857 975955 or The Diocesan Safeguarding Officer, Steph Haynes, T: 07342 993 844; Email: stephh@cofebirmingham.com

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Fri & Sat: Remote working

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