

DIARY OF EVENTS**Today**

8am	Quiet Communion (Acts 8:14-17, Luke 3:15-17, 21-22)
1030am	Family Worship (Acts 1:12-26)
6.30pm	The Beat Youth Event in church (years 7-13) guest from ONELIFE!

This week

Monday	2.30pm Thanksgiving for the life of Vida Madell
	7pm-8:15pm Emerge – First one back! For 11-14's
Wednesday	10.30am Midweek Communion
	All day - Visit of Discipleship Year students from SMB
Friday	9.30am Little Fishes Carer & Toddlers in the Hall

Next Sunday – 20th January

8am	Quiet Communion (1 Cor 12:1-11, John 2:1-11)
10:30am	Family Worship (Romans 8:14-16) with visitors from Tearfund!
7pm	Pulse for 14-18's - Extension

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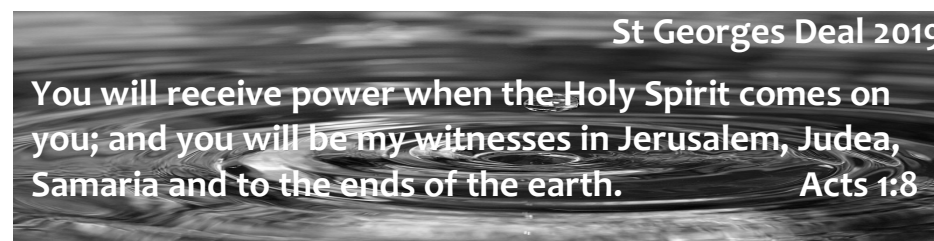
Sermons/Talks and cell notes on website: www.stgdeal.org

Happy New Year! Welcome to St. George's Deal

... especially if you are a visitor or with us for the first time today.

We hope you enjoy being here.

To find out more about us please speak to one of the service leaders or have a chat at the Welcome Desk by the front door.



At the end of our time together today, please remain in your seats and coffee & tea will be brought around to you. If you are upstairs, please help yourself at the 'drinks point' or come down to the servery. Children are invited to take a cup of squash from the table at the back of church.

Thank you Centrepont for making coffee today

Kids' groups today

Children and young people (0-14) leave part-way through the service to join various groups. If you're new, just go to the foyer when the group starts. All groups meeting off-site will be escorted by their leaders.

Paddlers (Age 0-2) in the crèche

Divers (Preschool, Reception, Yrs 1 & 2) will meet in the extension

Surfers (yrs 3-6) will meet in the foyer and go to the hall

Emerge Sundays - yrs. 7-10 meet in foyer and go to Hope House

TONIGHT!

The Beat youth worship event for yrs 7-13 - café, xbox, games, worship and guest speaker from OneLife- Helen Dunn! Don't miss it!

Emerge Mondays (School years 7-9)

Emerge Mondays start again **tomorrow** on the 14th January! 7-8:15pm Also this year we will be going to MayCamp again, a Christian youth festival held at Plumpton racecourse where many memories have been made! Anyone in years 7-9 can come for more information please ask Beth Keenan for a form ASAP.

Young Families budding Community

Parents of young families will be meeting together to chat through some new possibilities today. They will meet in the Vicarage while the children are in groups. If you are part of a young family and would like to join them please do.

Parenting for Faith

The Parenting for Faith course (from the Bible Reading Fellowship) is hosting an online community via Facebook starting Monday 14th January. Anyone who has an interest in discipling children and teens is welcome.

Find out more at www.facebook.com/groups/PFFWatchParty/ or ask Alison

Carols by Candlelight DVDs available

If you would like a copy please ask at the welcome desk - £2 donation invited to cover cost of production

Alpha – the place to explore and discuss

Alpha is a great opportunity to explore the Christian faith. The Alpha Guest Supper will be held on Wednesday 27th February at 7.30pm. If you would like to reserve a place, please sign up at the Welcome Desk. Invitations are also available on the Welcome desk for you to take and invite friends or family along. Please let us know of anyone coming by putting their name on the list and come along with them if you can.

Visiting speakers coming up

We have a speaker coming from Tearfund on Sunday, 20th January, then Chris and Veronica, our CMS link mission partners working in Spain and North Africa are here on 3rd Feb .

Equip training evenings

Following on from the RESET evenings we had before Christmas we have put 3 Equip evenings in the diary this term and a 'twilight' session on a Saturday. These are practical training events for everyone and intended to help us be more effective as witnesses for Jesus. The dates are Tuesdays 29th January, 5th February and 26th March at 7.30pm and the Saturday is March 16th 4-6pm. Please put them in your diaries- personal and Community

Thanksgiving for Vida's life - tomorrow

This will take place in church at 2.30pm on Monday 14th January. Everyone welcome. Committal is earlier at 1.20pm at Barham Crematorium.

New Wine United summer conference 2019

A number of St Georges families will be attending the New Wine summer conference at the Peterborough Showground (new venue) for week 1 this year- Saturday July 27th – Friday August 2nd.

Week 2 runs Sunday 4th – Saturday 10th August if that works better for you. Early bird booking discount until 3rd April.

You can camp, or find accommodation off-site, and enjoy great teaching, worship, encouragement and inspiration. For more info visit

www.united.new-wine.org or speak to Alison Kent

PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Give thanks for:

- Vida Madell – her life amongst us and contribution to St. George's Church over many years
- A new year and the new opportunities God is calling us to

Please pray for:

- The peace of Christ to reign in our hearts, homes and nation, and especially for wisdom for our government in Brexit decisions
- Opportunities to invite people to the Alpha Guest Supper
- God's leading in discussions about formation of new Missional Communities
- All those taking on leadership responsibilities
- Emma Found – beginning a 6-month Discipleship Training School with YWAM in Switzerland tomorrow
- Those suffering with coughs, colds and bugs
- Consultations this week on the choice of a new Bishop of Dover – public meeting on Weds 6.30pm at Cathedral Lodge for anyone!

Pray for our Mission Partners for January

Chris and Veronica – working with CMS in Southern Spain and Northern Africa, engaging in local mission and supporting leaders throughout the Middle East – and for their children Samara and Gabrio