

Prayer Ministry

Prayer Ministry is available under the Cross at the front right of the church today. If you would like someone to pray with you, the badged team would love to do that for you. If you would like to put in a prayer request via email, send to Rob and Sharon on prayer@stgdeal.org

DIARY OF EVENTS

Today – 9th February

8am Quiet Communion (Isaiah 58:1-9a, Matt 5:13-20)
 10.30am Family Worship (Matt 5: 13-16)
 5pm Alpha at the Vicarage
 6.30 pm Beat youth worship gathering for years 7-13

Wednesday 10.30am Midweek Communion (Genesis 1:1-2:3, Matt 6:25-end)
 Friday 9.30am Little Fishes Carer and Toddlers in the Hall

Next Sunday – 16th February

8am Quiet Communion (Genesis 1:1-2:3, Matt 6:25-end)
 10.30am Family Worship (Matt 5:27-32)
 5pm Alpha at the Vicarage
 7 pm Pulse for years 7-13

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

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.

Please remain in your seats at the end and drinks and biscuits 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 the church.

Children and young people (0-14) leave part-way through the service to join various groups.

Paddlers (Age 0-2) in the crèche

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

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

Emerge Sundays for Yrs 7-10 go to Hope House

Thank you to No Limits for making coffee today

Baptisms and Renewal of Baptism Promises – Easter Day 12th April

We will be opening up the pool on Easter Sunday evening. If you would like to consider being baptised or renew your baptism vows with immersion, please speak with Shiela or Chris. We will be organising a couple of preparation sessions in advance and would like to get the dates in the diary!

Tidal Zone (Club for years 3-6) – this coming Friday!

February 14th from 5pm-6pm in St George's Hall for fun, games, crafts, science experiments and snacks! If you have or know children in this age-group please encourage them to come along. This month's theme takes us all over the world!

New rota

The new rota will be available this week, but if you are on a regular slot such as Host Team, assume that will continue unless you've let us know. Anyone needed in this coming week or two will be contacted as usual.

New Wine United summer conference 2020

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 25th – Friday July 31st, or Week 2 runs Sunday 2nd – Saturday 8th August if that works better for you. Early bird booking discount until 8th 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

Brighter Evenings for Lent!

Many people have told us how much they appreciated having Nic Harding for our Refresh Weekend last September. Nic has written a short course on 'Sharing our faith' called 'BRIGHTER!' designed to help us grow in confidence in sharing the good news of Jesus. We are asking that you bring your midweek group along if you're in one, but this is for everyone. Four Wednesday evenings beginning on 11th March

PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Give thanks for:

- A positive and enjoyable start to Alpha and all those taking part
- An encouraging and challenging time for the Leadership and staff team at the Kairos Connexion gathering in Leicester this week

Please pray for:

- The Wednesday Congregation leadership team and James Archer
- Our children's team as they love and help to grow faith week by week and for a couple of new team members needed
- Watch This Space resuming their mission to connect with visitors as they open the church on Saturday mornings
- The Carpenter's Arms, Sandwich as they meet and seek to reach people in Sandwich
- Maxine, Lyndsay and Laura making sure there is a warm welcome for parents and little ones in the Creche week by week
- Our Government as it seeks to move on from Brexit and restore unity across our society
- James and Janet as James steps down from his role as Ministry Support Coordinator
- Ray and Yvonne Horton and family following the peaceful passing of Ray senior last week, funeral Weds 26th February
- Tommy and Tyler settling into a new foster family in Dover, and Pete and Julie adjusting to life without them.
- Chris as he picks up a role as Interim Area Dean for Sandwich Deanery until Easter

Please pray for our Mission Partner for February



Tearfund is a Christian relief and development agency called to follow Jesus wherever the need is greatest.

Pray for them as they work tirelessly to help communities around the world escape the very worst effects of poverty and disaster, and to bring the Good News of Jesus as they do so. www.tearfund.org