

## St Giles Church News



### Sunday 29th May 2022

Service 10am: Steve Kelly | Alf Cooper

**Reading:** Ezekiel 37: 1-14

Service 7pm: Steve Kelly | Alf Cooper

**Theme:** Holy Spirit - Can these dry bones live?

Apart from the first Sunday of each month, our morning services are livestreamed and can be accessed

here: [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCVLqKU\\_357NAwfRCqveKyVQ/live](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCVLqKU_357NAwfRCqveKyVQ/live)

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This Sunday **we welcome Alf and Hilary** and we continue to explore the Person and the work of the Holy Spirit. In Ezekiel we have a prophetic vision of God bringing new life, renewal, change and mobilisation. We believe God wants to renew St Giles and mobilise us to be an army of servants – serving Jesus and serving others. His anointing comes so that we can share good news with people who need Jesus more than anything else!

Last week Steve spoke about preparation. So **please come, prayerfully preparing your heart to hear God's word.** And come **ready to respond** to what the Lord asks us to do!!

After the morning service **next week (5th)**, we invite you to bring a picnic and share in the celebration of the **Queen's Platinum Jubilee** and spend time together over lunch. It would be helpful if you could let us know on [ChurchSuite](#) if you intend to come. And if anyone would like to be willing to make jubilee trifles or other desserts please let Nicola A or Helen G know: [office@stgilesnorthampton.org.uk](mailto:office@stgilesnorthampton.org.uk)

**Please note:** The parish office will be closed next Thursday and Friday. There is no evening service next Sunday, 5th and we will not be running the Wellbeing Cafe on Monday 6th June.

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### **Pray with Us**

*Saturday 28th May, 2.30pm*

Please join us on **Saturday at 2.30pm** in the Church Centre to pray together for St Giles and seek God's leading and direction.

You can come for as little or as long as you like. Everyone is welcome!

[June's prayer diary](#) is now ready and there will be a few copies available in church.



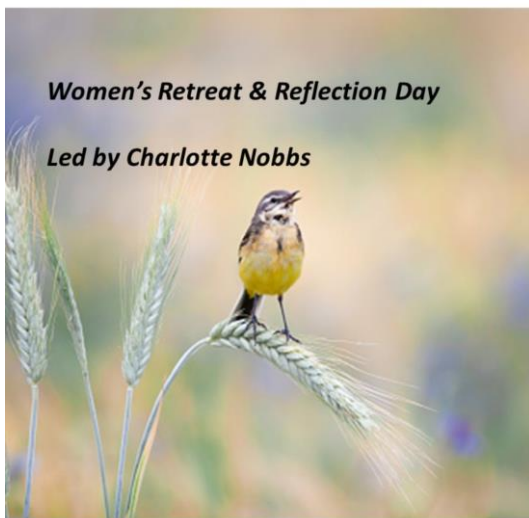
### **Thy Kingdom Come**

*26th May - 5th June 2022*

Steve sent an email to everyone earlier in the week to encourage us to 'up our game' and to be devoted to prayer in every aspect of church life. All across the world, in the 10 days between Ascension and Pentecost, Christians are being encouraged to pray:

- For a renewal and revival of the church
- For people to become Christians
- For the church to be stirred up in faith to share Jesus

A reminder of Steve's email, can be accessed [here](#).



**Women's Retreat & Reflection Day**  
*Sat 25th June, 9.30am to 3.30pm*

Ladies, do you need some time to rest, restore, relax and be encouraged?

We have just the thing for you on Saturday 25th June at St Giles.

**Charlotte Nobbs is our guest speaker.**

Tea and coffee will be provided but please bring your own lunch and if you can bring a cake to share that would be wonderful!

For more info and to book go to ChurchSuite or call the parish office on 01604 628623.



### Friday night LIVE

*Fri 10th June 2022, 7.30pm*

Join us for another Men's Ministry Night in the church centre. The evening will include games, fish and chips, some relaxed discussion and prayer. There is no cost to attend the event but donations would be welcome towards the fish and chips. Please book on ChurchSuite.

Any questions please contact Pete Day on 07845 247846.



### Big Church Day out

*Friday 3rd - Sat 4th June*

Last opportunity to book for the **Big Church Day Out** next weekend. A Christian music festival with an opportunity to join others for fellowship, teaching, worship, prayer and relaxing. Ticket prices are around £60 for the 2 days plus £20 for your camping pitch. It is being held at Wiston Estate, West Sussex.



### New Wine Sixty-one for Students and Young Adults

*Thurs 4th-Sun 7th August*

A brand new festival providing space for students and young adults to prioritise the presence of God, awakening deeper calling and confidence in life's next steps. Please book your place on the New Wine website and let Ruth Alexander know.

**You may be interested in...**

A **brilliant new book** - How to Hear God by Pete Greig. We will be sharing insights from the book during our Saturday prayer times over the next 6 months. You can order it from St Andrews bookshop [here](#).

**Mum's Night Out, 30th June (Leicester)** - Care for the Family "An unforgettable night of fun, that'll leave you feeling rejuvenated!" More info [here](#).

**St Columba, Collingtree 850th Anniversary Concert**, Saturday 11th June at 7pm with wine and refreshments. See poster on church noticeboard for more info or contact St Giles Church office. Tickets £10. Call Rod on 769407 or Selina on 769439 to book.

**Job Opportunity with Peterborough Diocese** - Property Office Administrator. More information [here](#). and application form [here](#).

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**Next Week:**

**Pentecost Sunday**

Service 10am: Ali Wagner, Steve Kelly I Maggie Kelly

**Theme:** When the Spirit comes

**Reading:** Acts 2: 1-21

There is no evening service

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**A House of Prayer for all Nations**

Jesus said....when you pray.....when you fast.....when you give.....not if (Matt 6)

Zoom meetings: 886 0781 8293/prayer321

*Every week-day morning at 8.30am and Thurs eve at 8pm*



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