

St Giles Church News



Sunday 21st January 2024

Morning Worship

Service 10am: Josh Thorne | Nicola Aylett

Reading: Matt 6: 16-18, Isaiah 58: 1-9

Theme: Fast Part 2 - How do we fast?

Service 7pm: Josh Thorne | Ruth Alexander

Holy Communion will be served during the evening service

Pray With Us this week: Zoom meetings: 886 0781 8293/prayer321
Every week-day morning at 8.30am and Thurs eve at 8pm - Click [here](#) to join

This Sunday we continue our series on 'Going Deeper' in our relationship with God. We'll be thinking more about fasting, and asking: What really matters to God? What should our attitude be? and What practical steps can we take?

Please remember to bring your own cup (with a lid, if possible) for refreshments after the morning service. Thank you!

If anyone has a four-slice toaster going spare could you let Beth Whaites know. Our current ones are not working to full capacity! Thank you.

Join thousands of others this year with the **RSPB Big Garden Birdwatch** and enjoy God's beautiful creation. Big Garden Birdwatch is the world's largest garden wildlife survey which helps to build a picture of how garden birds are faring. Pick an hour between 26-28th January, grab a snack and record all the different birds you spot. More information can be found [HERE](#).

To find out more about what's going on at St Giles go to Events on MyChurchSuite or [click here](#).

JOIN OUR YOUTH AND CHILDREN'S TEAM



Join our Youth and Children's Team

This is a very exciting time in our ministry to children and young people. This ministry is growing, and there are a number of areas in which more people are needed. They are:

Mid week groups - weekdays in term time, both daytime and evening

Schools work - Weekdays in term time, usually 9am-3pm

Sunday morning groups - during the Sunday morning service

Socials - Saturdays - daytime and evening

All roles require an enhanced DBS. For more information please speak to Beth



Join a Team!

Thank you to so many of you who have added your dates of unavailability onto ChurchSuite. The new rotas will be organised next week.

If you aren't currently part of a team, please sign up by contacting Helen in the office (office@stgilesnorthampton.org.uk). Its a great way to get to know others and helpful to those already serving.

Teams include: welcome and hospitality, production and worship,



Pancake Party


Tuesday 13th February, 5.15pm

Drop in between 5.15 and 6.30pm for our pancake party. Pancakes will be served until 6pm. There will be games, activities and a pancake treasure hunt for families with children in primary school. It's £1 per child.

We are meeting in the church centre and look forward to seeing you!

Prayer for UoN
Churches of Northampton coming together in prayer for students

25th January
7-8pm
Waterside Campus



'They are like a tree planted by streams of water which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither, whatever they do prospers.'
Psalm 1v3

If you would like to attend, please email Ruth at ruth@stgilesnorthampton.org.uk

Prayer for UoN

Thursday 25th January, 7-8pm

Join others to pray for the students and staff at the UoN on Thursday 25th.

Let Ruth know if you would like to attend.

Pray with us

Week days, 8.30-9.00am

Thursdays, 8-9pm

on ZOOM

886 0781 8293/prayer321

'Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances'

Pray with Us

Do join us at any one or all of our prayer zooms when we meet online to pray for the world, our nation, our church and ourselves.

We would love to see more people pray with us and to be encouraged as we come together to praise God and seek His wisdom as we pray.

You will be made most welcome!

You may be interested in...

Redeemed Relationships, Sat 24th Feb, Moulton Parish Church. More info [HERE](#)

Christian Grandparents, Sat 10th Mar, Moulton Parish Church. More info [HERE](#)

Rock UK Job Opportunity, Maintenance Technician, More info [HERE](#)

Sunday 28th January 2024

Morning Worship with Holy Communion

Service 10am: Bob Steele | Josh Thorne

Reading: Hebrews 4: 14-16, 1 John 5: 14-15

Theme: Why do we pray?

Service 7pm: Cat Nichol | Josh Richards

Every church without a prayer meeting condemns us; every Bible daily unopened condemns us; every promise of God unused condemns us; every lost person condemns us; L Ravenhill

There are many ways to give financially to St Giles. The preferred and most cost effective way to give is via the [Parish Giving Scheme](#). Details of all the options can be found [HERE](#). Please note, there is a small surcharge when giving via ChurchSuite.

Contactless giving is now available in church

Apart from the first Sunday of each month, our morning services are
livestreamed: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCVLqKU_357NAwRCqveKyVQ/live

(If you are unable to attend in person on the 1st Sunday of each month, please follow links to HTB, St Aldates, Oxford or All Souls, London for morning worship.)



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