



# PEWS NEWS

Luke 24: 13-35

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### Welcome to St George's - online or in church!

#### We're so pleased you could join us.

If you would like to join us for a service in church please see the website for Covid-safe instructions, and book your seat for each Sunday by emailing or calling the office by noon of the Friday before, so that we can ensure we have enough room for everyone attending to be socially distanced.

Over the next few weeks we will continue prerecording services for YouTube. On Sunday mornings we will show the music videos at church with the readings, prayers and sermon preached live. Our aim is to move through this transition period including everyone.

Please do continue to pray for wisdom for the PCC, and for energy and enthusiasm for the team as they produce video services!

### Video/Audio Service

If you are unable to access our weekly YouTube Church Service on line, please contact the Church Office (details on the back page) and Bob will be in touch with you to find a way in which he can help you either listen to or watch the service.

### Zoom Prayer Meetings and Home Groups

If you would like to join a Zoom Prayer Meeting or a Zoom Home Group please contact the Church Office for further information.

**Zoom Prayer Meetings** take place at 4pm on Friday afternoons. The next one will be on **Friday 23rd April**.

### St George's Annual Parochial Church Meeting

The date of the APCM and Election of Churchwardens has been changed to **Sunday 16th May** immediately after the morning service.

The date has been changed to allow more people to attend in person as further restrictions are gradually lifted.

### Prayer Requests

Members and friends of the fellowship in need of our prayers this week:

**Irene Daley; June Elphick; Hilary Ferris; Doris Richardson;  
Jeremy Robinson.**



**A message from Jeremy** - thanks to all who have been praying for an improvement in my health & wellbeing. Prayers are very well received, thank you & have clearly been answered as there has been a general improvement in the short term but still no clear diagnosis or prognosis, so please keep 'em coming.

Please also pray for **Kathryn and her teams** as the **Youth and Family Work** starts to resume face-to-face instead of online.

Newsletters from **Acorn Pregnancy Counselling** and **FSW** (the Chichester Diocesan Association supporting families in Sussex to overcome difficulties and prevent crisis). Please contact the Church Office if you would like copies of these.

### Youth Activities

**Young Followers** - are restarting next week, **Sunday 25th April**, in the Church Hall. The children will not be coming into Church but going straight to the hall. Kathryn will be contacting all the families concerned.

**Toddlers** - restarting **Thursday 29th April** with a booking in system and waiting list in place as spaces will be limited. The session will run from 9.30-10.15am.

**Youth Bible Study** - sessions (for school year 9+) online at 6pm tonight, Sunday 18th April. Then from **Sunday 2nd May** face-to-face meeting in the church hall on 1st & 3rd Sundays at 6pm will resume.

Details on how **Messy Church & Youth Club** will be restarting to follow soon.

Please contact Kathryn (details on the back of Pews News) about anything to do with the ongoing Youth Work at St George's, especially how the groups will run in a Covid-safe way.

Please praise God that these activities can now safely resume, and please pray for Kathryn and her teams - for safety, to put at rest any fears and anxieties at rest, and for enthusiasm and commitment from all concerned.

### Supporting St George's for free

Do you regularly shop online? Did you know that by signing up to Easy Fundraising and Amazon Smile you could be generating FREE donations for St George's Church?

Each time you shop online with retailers who have signed up to **Easy Fundraising** (including big names like Clarks, Aviva, Boots, Currys PC World, BT and many more), they make a FREE donation to St George's Church which is a % of the value of your order. And **Amazon Smile** works exactly the same but just for Amazon. Thanks to those who have already signed up, we've received £508.18 from Easy Fundraising and £42.77 from Amazon Smile so far.

You can find out more at [easyfundraising.org.uk](http://easyfundraising.org.uk) and [smile.amazon.co.uk](http://smile.amazon.co.uk) or contact the Church Office.

### Support the work at St George's

- If you use weekly donation envelopes please continue to fill them each week, then drop them through the church letter box on your daily exercise walk or stock-pile them for when you are next in church.
- Make a donation directly from your bank account using these bank details:  
Acc Name: St Georges PCC Worthing  
Acc Number: 00020048  
Sort Code: 40-52-40
- If you have a Smartphone you can scan this QR code to make a donation.



And for more details, and other methods, please see the Giving page on the St George's website <https://www.stgw.org.uk/giving/>

### Chichester Diocesan Evangelical Fellowship Spring Conference 'Called to re-build'

Bishop Ruth Bushyager, Bishop of Horsham, will be speaking at the DEF Spring Conference on **Saturday 24 April**, 10am on Zoom. She will be speaking on the theme 'Called to re-build'. Using the biblical example of Ezra, Nehemiah and the Israelites returning to the land after exile, Bishop Ruth will help us think about what God has to say to us and the lessons we can learn as we re-gather as Church communities following the Coronavirus pandemic. The conference is free and places can be booked using the Eventbrite link:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/called-to-re-build-tickets-145244952563>

or through the website: <http://www.chichesterdef.org.uk/spring-2021.html>