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# News@St.George's

*The weekly Newsletter of  
St George's Church, Nailsworth*

**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> 2019**  
**Fourth Sunday of Easter**  
**11.00am Holy Communion**

## **Readings for 12<sup>th</sup> May**

First Reading: Acts 9:36-end  
Second Reading: Revelation 7:9-end  
Gospel: John 10:22-30

## **This week at St. George's 12<sup>th</sup> May**

<b>Mon. 13<sup>th</sup> May</b>	9.30am Prayer Group 7.00pm W.I. meeting
<b>Tues. 14<sup>th</sup> May</b>	5.45 Minpins
<b>Wed. 15<sup>th</sup> May</b>	10.00am Holy Communion
<b>Thurs. 16<sup>th</sup> May</b>	10.45am Move it Exercise Class 7.30pm Bible Study(833315)
<b>Fri.17<sup>th</sup> May</b>	7.00pm Choir practise
<b>Sat. 18<sup>th</sup> May</b>	4.00pm Guitar Recital, Nailsworth Festival

## **Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May**

### **Fifth Sunday of Easter**

**11.00am Holy Communion**

## **Readings for 19<sup>th</sup> May:**

First Reading: Acts 11:1-18  
Second Reading: Revelations 21: 1 - 6  
Gospel: John 13:31-35

## This week at St. George's

Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	9.30am Prayer Group
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	5.45pm Minpins
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	10.00am Holy Communion
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	10.45am Exercise Class 7.30pm Bible Study (833315)
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	7.00pm Choir Practise 7.30pm Puccini's Heroines, Nailsworth Festival
Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup> May	

## **Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May Sixth Sunday of Easter 11.00am Holy Communion**

*A warm welcome to everyone. Thank you for being with us today. If you are visiting or new to this church, please make yourself known to Caroline, our Vicar; Sue, our Associate Priest, or Martin and Roger, our Churchwardens. **Do join us after the service for refreshments in the Parish Room** & please take this leaflet home with you or pass it on!*

### Please pray for...

**The Worldwide Church:** Our five overseas partner Dioceses. **Our Diocese:** Bishop Rachel and Bishop Robert of Tewkesbury; Archdeacons Phil Andrew and Hilary Dawson. **Our Deanery:** The Area Dean, Revd Pat Freeth, Our clergy, Revd Caroline Bland, Revd Sue Sobzak, Revd Laurie Smith and Revd Stephen Jarvis, the Churchwardens and the PCC Members. **Our Community: Those in residential care:**

Monica McLaren, Joyce Menzies & Irene Luccaroti. **Those who are ill:** Emma Bufton, Louise Cook, Tony Evans and John Humphrys. **Those living in:** Shortwood Road (12<sup>th</sup>), Ragnall Lane and the Rollers (19<sup>th</sup>) **Those who have died:** Dorothea Bickerton. **Our Schools.** Horsley CofE Primary School, Gary Price (Headteacher) and Nailsworth CofE Primary School, Vince Southcott (Headteacher) as they continue with their vision and challenge.

We give thanks and pray for God's blessing on Theo who is being baptised this afternoon, for his parents and his God-parents.

### **Prayer (12<sup>th</sup> May)**

Risen Christ,  
faithful shepherd of your Father's sheep:  
teach us to hear your voice  
and to follow your command,  
that all your people may be gathered into one flock,  
to the glory of God the Father.

### **Prayer (19<sup>th</sup> May)**

Risen Christ,  
your wounds declare your love for the world  
and the wonder of your risen life:  
give us compassion and courage  
to risk ourselves for those we serve,  
to the glory of God the Father.

### **Mothers Union dates for June**

Wednesday June 5th NO Mothers Union meeting

THURSDAY JUNE 13TH MOTHERS UNION DEANERY MEETING

We are joining the Stroud Deanery for their meeting in Randwick Village Hall at 2pm. Please contact Trissa a.s.a.p. if you would like to attend.

**Tea Together** - there was a great atmosphere at this event with over 60 people taking part. Thank you to everyone who came and a special thank you to:

Rob and Jacquie for the quiz and one of their infamous hat sheets

CAFE church ( members are also part of Club Pulse) led by Helene Grant, who provided us with mountains of Tiffin, Biscuits, Cup Cakes and Savoury swirls

The kitchen team led by Lyn Driscoll, and aided by CAFE church.

A few children helped to act out the story of Ruth from the Open the Book bible and we thought about the importance of friendship. Please pray for opportunities to build on new and strengthened relationships from this event.

**Children's Corner** - now on display are some plate faces and the hand wreath from Tea Together, rainbows drawn by Pulsar Club and potato printing from the last Messy Church when we thought about the Last Supper.

**Nailsworth Festival:** For those of us who missed hearing Megan Strachan sing on 6<sup>th</sup> April, there will be another opportunity on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm in St George's when Opera Anywhere will be performing 'Puccini's Heroines'

### **Anthem (12<sup>th</sup> May)**

I lift my eyes to the quiet hills, in the press of a busy day;  
As green hills stand in a dusty land, so God is my strength and  
stay.

I lift my eyes to the quiet hills, to a calm that is mine to share;  
Secure and still in the Father's will and kept by the Father's care.

I lift my eyes to the quiet hills with a prayer as I turn to sleep;  
By day, by night, through the dark and light my Shepherd will  
guard his sheep.

I lift my eyes to the quiet hills and my heart to the Father's  
throne;

In all my ways to the end of days the Lord will preserve his own.

### **Anthem (19<sup>th</sup>)**

I love the name of Jesus, King of my heart, he is everything  
to me.

I bless the name of Jesus, reign in my life, show the Father's  
love so free.

Spirit of love, spirit of power, shine through eternity.

I love the name of Jesus, light of the world, let me walk each  
day with thee.

I love the name of Jesus, risen above and he loves and prays  
for me.

I bless the name of Jesus, ruling on high with a glorious  
majesty.

Spirit of love, spirit of power, shine through eternity.

I praise the name of Jesus, Lord of my life for he died to set  
me free.

I love the name of Jesus, splendor of God and his face I long  
to see.

I bless the name of Jesus, shepherd of men, by his side I now  
can be.

Spirit of love, spirit of power, shine through eternity

I praise the name of Jesus for he is love and that love he  
gives to me.

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