

CHRISTCHURCH

EAST GREENWICH

Welcome to Christ Church on Sunday 15th March 2020.

Please note that we are following all the latest guidance from the Church of England in light of the current concerns of the spreading of Coronavirus.

TODAY

At **10am** John will preside and Michael will preach at our parish communion service, continuing our Lent sermon series: "Saying Yes to Life".

In our Lent series we are considering the fourth day of creation: "Let there be lights in the sky".



Sunday CYP this week:

- Sunday Huddle will remain in the service.
- Eagles are looking at *A Dark Night in the Garden*, led by Alex.
- Owls are looking at *Good Shepherd & World Communion* led by Olaitan.
- Sparrows are looking at *The Rich Farmer*, led by Sarah C.

After the service, there are people available in the prayer corner to listen and pray with you.

Please join us for drinks and a chat after the service and please say hello to the Vicar or Churchwardens if you are new to the church.

MOTHERING SUNDAY

Next Sunday, 22nd March, is Mothering Sunday. Join us for an All Age service to celebrate mothering in all its forms and give flowers to those who parent us and show love to others.

THIS WEEK



Monday – 6pm

Greenwich Winter Night Shelter in the church offering homeless people a hot evening meal, overnight bed and breakfast in the morning.

Tuesday – 8.30am

Morning Prayer in the chapel.

Wednesday – 10am to 11.30am

Connect Mums group meets in the church, pre-school children welcome.

Wednesday – 6pm to 7.30pm

Café Connect meets in the church.

Wednesday – 7.30pm

Film Night at St. George's – this month screening *Billy Elliott*.

Thursday – 10am to 11am

Praise and Play Group in the church for pre-school children and carers.

Thursday – 12noon service with lunch at 12.30pm

Holy Communion in the chapel followed by a light lunch in the church.

Thursday – 6.30pm to 8pm

Greenwich Foodbank in the church.

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Vocations Fair at St. Mary's, Lewisham – if you are considering a calling from God to ministry, talk to Margaret about going this fair.

Friday – 6pm to 7.30pm

The Huddle meets in the church.

Next Sunday (22nd March) – 10am

Margaret will preside and Dominic will preach at our All Age Mothering Sunday service.



COMING SOON

Lunchtime Concert: Thursday 9th April at 1.15pm, Christ Church
Violin and guitar duet with classical repertoire. All welcome.

Holy Week 2020

- **Palm Sunday: 5th April.**
- **Maundy Thursday: 9th April.**
 - 8pm: Maundy Thursday service of Holy Communion.
- **Good Friday: 10th April.**
 - 10am to 12noon: children's activity morning
 - 2pm to 3pm: an hour at the cross followed by hot cross buns.
- **Easter Sunday: 12th April – 10am All Age Holy Communion**

Thy Kingdom Come

Nine days of prayer between Ascension (21st) and Pentecost (31st May):

- Thursday 21st May – Garden Open Day, 11am to 3pm
- Thursday 21st May – Holy Communion in chapel, 12noon
- Saturday 23rd May – Parish Prayer Walk and litter pick
- Sunday 31st May – Pentecost All Age Worship Service, 10am

Christ Church Weekend Away: 18th to 20th September at Belsey Bridge

- All food, accommodation and coach travel included.
- Children and Young People programme provided.
- Everyone welcome: we want you more than your money!
- Please speak to Michael, Sussan or Margaret for more information.



Parish and Prayer Space Administrator Job

We are advertising for a new Parish Administrator – if you are interested in the role, or know someone who might be, please see the posters pinned in the church for more information and contact Margaret or Sarah (administrator@eastgreenwichparish.org.uk) for the job application pack. The deadline for application is 27th March.

CHRIST CHURCH

For Your Prayers: Maggie Baird, Amonia George, Mary Gwyther, William Hedley, Donna Holland, Helene Kydd, Simeon Oboba, John Mehmet, Joan Russell, David Thomson, Tracy White, Angela Whittlesea Reed.

Faithful Departed: Vera O'Brien – Vera's funeral will be on Thursday 2nd April at 11am at St George's.

Social Media: for photos and updates like our Facebook page Christ Church East Greenwich and/or follow us Twitter or Instagram @ChristChurchEG.

Mission Priorities: Please pray for our mission priority of **Loving Service to the Community** this week as we continue to host Greenwich Winter Night Shelter on Monday nights and East Greenwich Foodbank on Thursday evenings.

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