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Weekly update from St Giles Church

Greetings from St Giles! In this email you'll find the usual information about upcoming services at church as well as notices and other information that might be of interest.

Services this week

Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity

9:30am Eucharist

6:30pm Parish Communion at St Mary's Welwyn

Readings for this Sunday

Jeremiah 14.7–10, 19–22

2 Timothy 4.6–8, 16–18

Luke 18.9–14

Upcoming services

Sunday 2nd November

8am Said Communion

10am: Cafe church at the Peace Memorial Hall. Theme: Remembering

3pm All Souls Memorial Service at St Giles

St Giles Notices

Tuesday Morning Prayer Group - 28th October 11-12 noon. The group is relocating next week as there is a funeral in church at the same time. Contact Sylvia Green for details 07801 251372

Tots and Tinies - is taking a half term break next week (28th). We will be back again on Tuesday 4th November.

All Souls Memorial Service: This will take place on Sunday the 2nd of November at 3pm. If you would like the name of a loved one to be read out, please email Christie (rev.christiegilfeather@gmail.com).

Poppy Arch - We are very grateful to members of Codicote WI for making the beautiful poppy arch currently installed on the lychgate. Do stop and admire their handiwork, created from hundreds of crocheted and knitted poppies. It

will be there throughout Remembrance Season for this important commemoration.

Lunch Together - join us for a St Giles Family Meal on Thursday 30th October, 12:15 for 12:30pm in The Parish Centre. Sausage 'n' Mash will be on the menu followed by apple pie/crumble. Please speak to Sue or Frances if you have a dietary need and we'll do our best to help you. If you can, please sign up on the list at the back of church to help us with numbers. We ask for a small donation towards costs please.

Church Tidy-Up Day - Come along on Saturday 8th November to help give the church and churchyard an autumn tidy-up. We will be around from 9am-3pm. Join us for all or part of the day. Bring your own gloves and tools if you can. Refreshments and a light lunch will be served to helpers.

Notices from around the team

Our team of churches is made up of: St Giles Codicote, St Mary's Welwyn, St Peter's Tewin, St Michael's Woolmer Green, All Saints Datchworth and St Peter's Ayot Green. You can find information about the [team by clicking here](#)

New team curate - We are delighted to be able to announce that Sulu Pike, currently training on the Eastern Region Ministry Course, has been appointed to be full time Assistant Curate in the Welwyn Team Ministry from July 2026. We look forward to welcoming Sulu, and her family - Adam, and children Ferne, Jonty and Tessa, to our team. In the meantime, please hold them and the parishes of the team in your prayers.

Pattern of prayer

Each day, people gather to pray in one of our churches. All are welcome to join in with any of the following:

Monday 5pm Evening Prayer at St Peter's Tewin

Tuesday 8:30am Morning Prayer at St Giles Codicote

Wednesday 8am Bible study over breakfast followed by **9am** Morning prayer at St Mary's Welwyn

Thursday 5pm Evening Prayer at All Saints Datchworth

Friday 8:30am Morning Prayer at St Michael's Woolmer Green

For your prayers

Please do be praying for our whole church community at St Giles, as well as the following things:

- For the mission of St Giles, and how God is calling us to serve our community
- For the children and young people in our village
- For those among us who are unwell, or recovering from illness at this time. Especially: Jonny Thompson, Jan Raper, Barbara Hearn, Margaret Snowdon.

The prayer chapel at St Giles is open every day, and there is a basket which you may leave prayer requests in. These are prayed for at Morning Prayer every Tuesday at 8:30am, all are welcome to join us.

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