

### PRAYER FOCUS

- Staff and children at pre-school
- For the people of Minneapolis
- The ceasefire between Gaza and Israel
- Ukraine and the continuing peace and aid efforts in Syria
- Our vacancy process - **PLEASE SEE DATES ON FRONT PAGE**
- St Peter's, Glascote Heath and St Martin's, Stonydelph
- For the town of Tamworth and those who live in our parish
- All those known to us that are unwell, struggling or grieving for a loved one
- Protests in Iran

### PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for Steve Ryan, Geoffrey Beet, Pat Faultless, Steven Audley, Rob Lynock, Mary & Linda, Jenny.

Please remember the family and friends of the following who have sadly died: Keith Bartlett, Ralph Richardson, Paul Raven, Ray Allen.

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# Welcome!

## 1st Feb—7th Feb 2026

<b>Sunday 1st Feb</b>	<b>All Age Service</b>	<b>10.00am</b>
<b>Tuesday 3rd Feb</b>	<b>Worship Group</b>	<b>07.30pm</b>
<b>Wednesday 4th Feb</b>	<b>Holy Communion Service</b>	<b>09.30am</b>
	<b>Signing Group (Chancel)</b>	<b>07.30pm</b>
<b>Thursday 5th Feb</b>	<b>Sunbeams Stay &amp; Play</b>	<b>09.30am</b>
	<b>Girl Guides (Hall)</b>	<b>07.00pm</b>
<b>Saturday 7th Feb</b>	<b>Community Breakfast (Hall)</b>	<b>09.00am</b>

### VACANCY UPDATE DATES

**THURSDAY 19TH FEB - CLOSE OF APPLICATIONS**

**W/C 23RD FEB - SHORTLISTING OF APPLICATIONS**

**W/C 2ND MARCH - FAMILIARISATION DAY**

**WEDS 11TH MARCH—INTERVIEWS**

**“The Lord himself goes before you and will be with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged.” Deut 31:8**

### **Recent Charity Donations**

#### **Charity Christmas Card**

Thank you to all those who signed the large Christmas card in church and made a donation in lieu of sending individual Christmas cards. This raised £147.50 for Christian Aid, which aims to end poverty and injustice worldwide.

#### **Christingle**

Thank you to all those who made a donation to the Children's Society at the Christingle Service. This raised £131.60 to help support children struggling with their mental health, living in poverty, and those in danger from exploitation or abuse.

We would also like to thank ALDI for donating half of the oranges for the Christingle Service.

#### **Charity Donations in Memory of Sarah Slater**

St George's DCC donated £25 to each of Sarah's chosen charities, Tamworth Wellbeing Cancer Support Centre and St Giles Hospice. In addition to this, a collection of donations from St George's Church members raised £70, as well as many individual donations.

#### **Donation to York University Week of Christian Outreach**

The DCC has made a donation of £25 towards a week of Christian Outreach in York from 16<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> February. As part of the Christian Union at the University of York, Lowri Jones will be helping in a range of outreach activities throughout the week. She is excited about the opportunities that the events provide for her and fellow members of the Christian Union to witness to others. Please pray for Lowri and the other Christian students running this outreach event, and that lives will be changed.

### **ADVANCED NOTICES:**

**Neville St Fellowship** (Chancel) Mon 9th Feb—2pm

**Preschool AGM** - Weds 11th Feb 10.15am (Chancel)

**Deanery Synod Meeting**—Tues 10th Feb (Church Hall) - 7.30pm

**Safeguarding Training** (Basic Awareness) - Sat 14th Feb 10.30-1.30pm

**Morning Praise with Baptism**—Sunday 15th Feb 10.00am

**Ash Wednesday Service** (St Georges) - Weds 18th - 7.30pm

**Home group leaders meeting** - Mon 23rd Feb—06.00pm

**D.C.C Meeting** (Chancel) - Monday 2nd March 07.30pm

### **PRESCHOOL NOTICES**

We have **spaces available**

Please contact preschool for more details

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#### **Spring Term 2026—**

**Half Term** Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February

**Term Ends** Friday 27th March

**Easter Holiday** Monday 30th March – Friday 10th April

#### **Summer Term 2026**

**Term Starts** Monday 13th April

The new starters, have all settled in well and we have more due to start with us in February. We have an exciting term ahead with planning themes such as Chinese New Year, Pancake day, Valentines day, St Patricks Day, Winter and Transport. We are hoping to book in a parents stay and play this term. Watch this space for dates and times.

### **SAFE GUARDING TRAINING**

14<sup>th</sup> February starting at 10:30am aiming to finish by 1:30pm.

The module is for 'Basic Awareness', and it will be followed by the next module of 'Foundations' at an agreed date afterwards.

### **CHURCH ROOF REPAIRS**

The works are finished! We covered our costs! Praise the Lord!

We started with an expected cost of works £65,992 + 5% architects fees £3,300, both + vat.

Actual works done cost £71,954.70 + 5% architects fees £3,597.74

Thanks to everyone who gave.

### **HOME GROUPS**

Not in a **HOMEGROUP?**

The start of a new year is a great time to join one!

We have groups meeting mornings, afternoons and evenings so there's bound to be one that suits you.

We study the bible, ask questions, worship & pray.

We also share refreshments and have fun.

If you think you might like to join a group see

Neil Geddes (Homegroup Coordinator)

