

19 April 10.00 United Sung Communion. St George.
 26 April 10.00 United Sung Communion. St George Patronal Festival.
 12 noon Baptism. All Saints.



PARISH DIARY		
Sat 18 April	10.00 -12.00 10.00 -12.00	Coffee and Chat. HCN. Field View. Hall Hedge tidy up- can you spare some time to help?
Sun 19	10.00	United Sung Communion. St George. Revd David Callard. Jacqui Brown. LWL. Luke 24 v 13-35 Acts 2 v 14a, 36-41
Tues 21	09.00	Morning Prayer. All Saints Churchyard.
Weds 22	09.00	Morning Prayer. St George.
Thurs 23	14.00	Mothers Union. Field View.
Fri 24	12.00 15.00- 16.30	Meditative prayer and Taize. St George side chapel. Parish Office open.
Sat 25	10.00-12.00 10.00-12.00	Coffee and Chat. HCN. Field View. Sharing Table begins. Parish hall field.
Sun 26 St George Patronal.	10.00 12.00 12.30	A special service of United Sung Communion at St George. Revd Becky. Matt Stone LLM preach. Baptism. All Saints. Revd Sophie. Special Patronal Lunch. Parish Hall. With thanks to the Mother's Union celebrating 150 years. Donations to Support South Sudan.
Tues 28	09.00	Morning prayer. All Saints Churchyard.
Weds 29	09.00 10.00 -12.00	Morning prayer. St George. Coffee and Chat. HCN. Field View.
Fri 1 May	10.00 12.00 12.00 15.00- 16.30	Funeral. Marie Bird. RIP. Crematorium. Revd David Callard. Funeral. Geoffrey Wheeler. RIP. Crematorium. Revd Sophie. Midday Meditation and Taize. St George. Parish Office closed as Bank Holiday weekend.
Sat 2 May	10.00 -12.00	Coffee and Chat. Field View. HCN
Sun 3 May Mission through...	10.00 16.00	United Sung Communion. St George. Harnham Mothers Union introduce their hopes for fundraising for Sudan. Assembly Bangers. Old Mill Hotel. Come and sing some classic assembly songs old and new. Live music whilst eating a hot dog!!!! Bank holiday vibes! Revd Sophie and Team.

In our prayers ...

Church: Guernsey Deanery. HMP Guy's Marsh. The Church of the Province of Myanmar (Burma) The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) Rt. Revd Isaac Ephraim Bangisa. Bishop of Ezo, South Sudan.
Harnham: Residents of Harnham Croft and Willowcroft. Old Street and Watersmeet Road. All who visit St George church. Bishop Stephen and his family.
Growing in Faith and Action: That the name of St George would be used for inclusion not exclusion. Greater understanding between all ethnicities and of the needs of the poor.
Wholeness & healing: Ceasefire between nations. Revd Simon, Margaret R, Mary C, William A, Tracey G, Anne P, Sandra P, David and Ann P, Stella L.
RIP: Toby Dodd. Charles Bartlett. Geoffrey Wheeler. Jean Bunsell. Marie Bird.

COMING SOON! We welcome **Monica Wilson** in May, **contracted as Parish COORDINATOR**. She will be in the Parish Office on Wednesday and Friday from 9.30am for six hours each day. More to follow.....

Electoral Roll Revision: We are revising the roll for the APCM. Please enrol or encourage others to enrol using the forms available in both churches, Field View and downloadable from the website.

Keep the dates in April and May

Weed the new hall hedge. THIS Saturday 18 April. 10-12 noon. All Welcome to help out...drinks provided.

Gardeners' Sharing Table, Saturday 25 April, Parish Hall Field, 10 - 12 noon HCN's annual opportunity for the sharing of plants, seeds, seedlings, gardening tools. Bring what you can spare, take what you can use. All free - just sharing. Contact information, harnhamcommunity@gmail.com Charles Woodd 07962 213494.

St George Patronal Festival Lunch 26 April 12.30-14.00 Parish Hall. The Mothers Union invites everyone to this delicious homemade Soup and Desserts Lunch. Generous donations are requested to help South Sudan's urgent appeal to buy an ox plough to help feed hungry families.

Baking Fundraiser 27 April 11.00 to 13.00 Field View. Treat yourself & help Jenny (see poster on website).

Ascension Day walk. Thurs May 14. Meet All Saints. 18.00. Climb Harnham Slope for Ascension day prayers for the city. Led by Jacqui Brown. Four legged friends welcome.

Concern for Palestine? Friday May 15. Lamentations for the Nakba Lady St Mary, Wareham - 7pm on - with a reflection by the Dean and Middle Eastern food afterwards.

Annual Parish and Annual Parochial Church Meeting. May 31 after the 10.00 united service in the Parish Hall. 11.15 for approx. 45 minutes.

Your Parochial Church council needs you and your help:

- People who enjoy **governance**, with an overview of the mission of the parish. Six meetings (2 hours each) of PCC per year with reading time of documentation beforehand. Volunteer.
- Two Churchwardens - St George and All Saints. Our thanks to Jane and Robert who are stepping back. **Churchwardens** with a focus on governance. People who can delegate roles. The role includes preparing, with others, the standing agenda for PCC. Liaising with the new Parish Coordinator on rotas, ensuring that nothing from the churches that is moveable goes missing! Volunteers. Could you volunteer ?

Volunteer

NEEDED FOR FUN DAY AND PARISH FETE Saturday 25 July, 14.00-17.00.

Can you help bring fun and fundraising to Harnham for this afternoon?

Volunteers are needed for stalls, sideshows, refreshments, welcome, set up and clear away. Last year around 800 people attended, so we need lots of volunteers! Please complete the contact form (available in both churches, Field View and website) and return it to Emma Wilson in person, give it to Charles Woodd to pass on, or post through the parish office door. Thank you.

Salisbury Diocese Volunteer Day now! 5 June 2026 Emmaus House, Wilton, SP2 0FG. Are you a volunteer in a church or parish? We would love for you to join our Volunteers Day, with resources and sessions to help you in your context, as well as a celebratory lunch. This day is for anyone who volunteers and serves regularly in their church, in an official or unofficial capacity. Book to grab your space: <https://buff.ly/luPO7Wy>

Chair of fundraising Could you lead the development of a new FRIENDS of Harnham Churches to invest in necessary projects for the church and hall buildings. Volunteer. *Roles are safely recruited. Please contact Richard Scott or Revd Becky for more information.*

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