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3pm  Tues, Wed, Fri: 10am - 3pm    Thurs 10-12 |  |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_    Don't forget to complete an **Electoral Roll** form *even if you have previously been on the roll*.  It's a *complete revision* this year!  You need to have been attending St Giles regularly for 6 months or more.   Being on the roll enables you to vote in our Annual Parochial Church Meeting in May.  **Deadline is 18th April**.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  [**Mission in Touch**](https://mcusercontent.com/e45c62b51effcdbbeb9ee180e/files/c705c430-f71b-959f-a44c-9438aa85a835/MiT_MarApr.01.pdf) - Alf and Hilary look back over 50 years in ministry and now look forward to retirement!   Also, find out more about Christian summer camps.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **Car Parking** - if you wish to park in the Church Centre car park, please ensure you display a permit which can be obtained from Serena in the Parish office.  As it is such a small car park it would be helpful if spaces could be used primarily for those taking part in the morning/evening service.  The Ridings car park, next to ours, offers 2 hours free car parking on Sundays.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **Accommodation**- If anyone has a room available for renting in Northampton for 20 weeks per year, for a professional Christian married man working away from home, please contact the church office.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  To find out more about what's going on at St Giles go to Events on MyChurchSuite or [click here](https://www.stgilesnorthampton.org.uk/full-width-page-1).  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [https://mcusercontent.com/e45c62b51effcdbbeb9ee180e/images/a87a8afb-ab9a-e20d-2063-be765116b0f0.png](https://www.stgilesnorthampton.org.uk/easter) |  |  | | --- | | **Celebrate Easter**  You can pick up an invitation to our Easter services in church and invite someone you know who might like to come to one of our Easter services.  Please be praying for one person to invite.   We would love to see a full church as we share the wonderful message of Easter.    **If you can serve on team during this season, please let Helen** know: office@stgilesnorthampton.org.uk | | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [https://mcusercontent.com/e45c62b51effcdbbeb9ee180e/images/1e0818aa-e7d3-36a6-0d65-c14d25792bfa.jpg](https://www.stgilesnorthampton.org.uk/lent-project) |  |  | | --- | | **Lent Project 2025** *Help us to 'Raise the Roof'*  One of our mission partners, Ann Fursdon, invites us to share in building a new church in a town called Tuum in Chad.   If you are able to donate you can do so by **cheque** (St Giles PCC - Lent Project) or **cash** and putting it in one of the offering boxes in church using a labelled envelope provided, or you can donate on **ChurchSuite** (make sure you scroll down and click on 'Lent Project'), through the **Parish Giving Scheme**or by**bank transfer**(please let our treasurer know if you are donating via the PGS or bank transfer).   Click on the image to find out more! | | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [https://mcusercontent.com/e45c62b51effcdbbeb9ee180e/images/f9390743-b48e-f5d0-5c77-1a1cb2ccba01.png](https://www.broadmead.org.uk/alpha/) |  |  | | --- | | **Alpha!** *Wednesday 23rd April, 7pm*  We are delighted to be joining Broadmead Community Church to run Alpha this Spring.  The Launch date is **Wednesday 23rd April at 7pm**and weekly sessions will be held at Broadmead.  Please be thinking about who you could invite who may curious about the Christian faith.   You can sign up by clicking on the image.  If you have any questions, please speak to Josh Thorne. | | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [https://mcusercontent.com/e45c62b51effcdbbeb9ee180e/images/387f9679-aeaf-2cdb-54c7-5922174d2d79.jpg](https://stgilesnorthampton.churchsuite.com/events/fbygolp0) |  |  | | --- | | **Men's Ten Pin Bowling Night** *Thurs 24th, 7.30pm*  Come along for 2 games of ten pin bowling at 7.30pm, Tenpin, Sixfields Leisure, Weedon Road, NN5 5QL.  The cost is only £10 each and includes a burger and chips!  Spaces are limited so please book on ChurchSuite (click on image) so we know if we need to adjust the booking.  Any questions, please contact Pete Day. | | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [https://mcusercontent.com/e45c62b51effcdbbeb9ee180e/images/7585c17a-da2b-d16c-d4e4-89bca0b3ecf3.png](https://mcusercontent.com/e45c62b51effcdbbeb9ee180e/files/aaf9aa57-e202-cb55-e21d-3ad386c2604f/Baby_Basics_List_of_items.pdf) |  |  | | --- | | **Baby Basics Support** *Can you donate?*  We have just celebrated mothers with Mothering Sunday and would like to remind you of this wonderful charity dedicated to supporting new parents and newborns in vulnerable situations.  There is a donation box by the door in Church, near the kitchen area.  Click on the image to find out suitable items to donate.  Thank you! | | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | https://mcusercontent.com/e45c62b51effcdbbeb9ee180e/images/8714815a-796c-08c6-2902-4d2cef78f9c5.jpg |  |  | | --- | | **Litter Picking and Planting** *St Giles Churchyard, Sat 5th April*  Come and join Rocky and the local community in making our area a nicer place to live, work and worship!  They will be litter picking and planting on Saturday morning from 10am-12 noon.   It would be great to have your support.  Please bring some gardening gloves and litter pickers (if you have any). | | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [https://mcusercontent.com/e45c62b51effcdbbeb9ee180e/images/27281d91-71ac-54c7-1e0a-de1a0750aa3f.png](https://mcusercontent.com/e45c62b51effcdbbeb9ee180e/images/1e8a4515-3ff3-03d8-8a8b-25daa22467cb.jpeg) |  |  | | --- | | **24 Hour Prayer** *Sat 12th - Sun 13th April, 10am*  St George's Church in Wootton are opening the church for 24 hours of prayer and inviting anyone to come and use this time to pray. There will be different prayer spaces that are suitable for all ages.  There will also be a time of focused prayer and worship.   Click on image to see the full programme. | | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [https://mcusercontent.com/e45c62b51effcdbbeb9ee180e/images/c7f2d633-fff9-87ba-9278-66a7b47a0a57.jpg](https://stgilesnorthampton.churchsuite.com/events/da28x4rt) |  |  | | --- | | **Save the Date**  *Sunday 11th May,*Annual Parochial Church Meeting | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_    **Sunday 13th April 2025** **Morning Worship** (all age) PALM SUNDAY Service 10am: Josh Thorne I Beth Whaites  **Reading**: 1 Thessalonians 5: 16-18  **Theme**: Practicing God's Presence Service 7pm: Ruth Alexander I Josh Thorne  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_      The church will suffer defeats today if you and I do not pray– Selwyn Hughes 1998 | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Church Wardens:** David Lidbetter and Stephen Hewitson churchwardens@stgilesnorthampton.org.uk **Safeguarding Lead:** Louise Whaites safeguarding@stgilesnorthampton.org.uk **Treasurer:** Duncan Halliday  treasurer@stgilesnorthampton.org.uk | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **There are many ways to give financially to St Giles.  The preferred and most cost effective way to give is via the**Parish Giving Scheme**.  Details of all the options can be found**[HERE](https://www.stgilesnorthampton.org.uk/giving/)**.   Please note, there is a small surcharge when giving via ChurchSuite.** Contactless giving is now available in church | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | Apart from the first Sunday of each month, our morning services are livestreamed:   https://www.stgilesnorthampton.org.uk/sunday-service-videos .   *(If you are unable to attend in person on the 1st Sunday of each month, please follow links to HTB, St Aldates, Oxford or All Souls, London for morning worship.)* | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [https://mcusercontent.com/e45c62b51effcdbbeb9ee180e/images/3379d0c6-3f27-c5f8-312b-b8068e95ffc1.jpg](https://www.stgilesnorthampton.org.uk/) | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | You can view our Data Privacy Notice [HERE](https://d3hgrlq6yacptf.cloudfront.net/5f1b15721a62f/content/pages/documents/1597338117.pdf)  Want to change how you receive these emails?  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