

St Giles Church Newsletter

Lives being changed by the power of Jesus one person at a time



Vicar: Revd Josh Thorne

Sunday 20th July 2025



Pray With Us

Meet us on Zoom
Week day mornings
8.30-9am

Thursday evening
8-9pm

ID: 886 0781 8293
p/w: prayer321

Meet us in person
Church Centre
Sat 26th July
2.30-4.30pm

Sunday 20th July

MORNING WORSHIP and Baptisms

10am: Alison Steele | Bob Steele

Reading: Acts 4:1-13

Theme: Boldness

7pm: Josh Thorne | Ed Churchill
with Holy Communion

Mid-week Holy Communion Service

Thursday 11am, Church Centre

What's on at St Giles in JULY?

Baptisms and Newcomer Welcome Lunch
Sunday 20th July 12 noon

Summer Series and Breakfast
starts 27th July

The full calendar can be viewed on our [website](#)

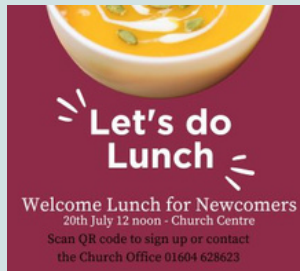
Many congratulations to Evie Beale and Harry Hunt who will be getting married on Saturday 19th July, 11am at St Giles Church. You are welcome to come along to the ceremony in church (please be seated by 10.45am) to celebrate this special day with them. Please pray for them both as they start this exciting journey.

CMS Summer Gathering on 2nd August. It was great to have Alf and Hilary with us last week. If you want to hear more from them you can join them at the CMS Celebration day. More info and booking details are [here](#).

The love of God is unconditional, but a move of God is not; Josh Green, 24-7 Youth

WELCOME LUNCH

This Sunday after the morning service we will be having a Newcomer Welcome Lunch so if you are newish please do come along. It's FREE!



There will be an opportunity to get to know others and find out more about St Giles. Please contact the office (01604 629623) or **sign up [here](#)**.

ACCOMMODATION Please speak to Ruth Alexander if you have a single, private room available for a female.
ruth@stgilesnorthampton.org.uk

Prayer for UoN

Churches of Northampton coming together in prayer for students

29th July
7-8pm

Multi-Faith Centre, Waterside Campus



"They are like a tree planted by streams of water which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither, whatever they do prospers." Psalm 1v3

If you would like to attend, please email Ruth at ruth@stgilesnorthampton.org.uk

NEW ROTAS

The new rotas will be out next week so do check your emails. If you are not currently on a rota and would like to join a team, please let the office know.

Sunday 27th July

Summer Series Breakfast 9.30-10am

MORNING WORSHIP with Holy Communion

10am: Helen Lidbetter | Josh Thorne

Reading: Esther 7:1-7

Theme: The Armour of God - The Belt of Truth

7pm: tbc | Dan Blight

You may be interested in...

Prayer Spaces in Schools Training event. More info [here](#)

Theatre Production: The Lion, the Witch & the Wardrobe. More info [here](#)

Christians Together Cherishing Creation, Abington Park Museum, 27/7, 2-4pm

SUMMER BONANZA & BBQ

We need a team of volunteers to run this popular annual event on **Sun 31st Aug, 11-1.30pm**. Typical jobs will include setting up and packing away, making cakes, running games etc. Please get in touch with Beth if you can help. Thank you!

Please also let us know if you can attend, by booking on [ChurchSuite](#) or contacting the office T: 628623.

TAKE-A-BREAK

Take-A-Break starts next Wed 23rd in the church centre and every Wednesday during the school holidays (in church). It will include crafts, games, activities and lots of cake! **We still need help to run this each week. For more information please contact Beth.** You will require an enhanced DBS check.
beth@stgilesnorthampton.org.uk



SUMMER SERIES AND BREAKFAST!

Our summer series starts on **27th July** and we will be looking at the **Armour of God** together.

During the summer our services will look slightly different. We will have **breakfast together** before the services every week from 27th July to 24th August, and will be meeting around tables for the service. We will **share breakfast from 9:30-10am**, followed by a short, simple, service from 10-11.

Tea and Coffee will be served with breakfast, so there will be **no refreshments after the service**.

UNITY GATHERING

Sat 26th July 12-4pm

We are hosting an afternoon of prayer and worship organised by Glory Church. All are welcome. More info and to book [here](#).

Church Office Hours

Monday: 1-3pm,
Tues - Thurs Fri: 10-3pm

Staff days off
Josh: Friday
Beth: Saturday
Ruth: Saturday

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