

This week at St. Matt's

Sunday 10th	2.30pm	Time2Talk Hub
Monday 11th	3.30pm - 5pm 7.30pm - 9.30pm	NO DEEPER (staff away) Knitting Hub
Tuesday 12th	8am - 9am	Prayer meeting in church
Wednesday 13th	6pm - 7.30pm 8pm - 9.30pm	Ignite (for school years 7 - 13) Equip (for school years 10 - 13)
Thursday 14th	9.30 - 11.15am	Matt's Monkeys Toddler Group (for pre-schoolers & parents / carers)
Friday 8th	8.30 - 10.30am 8pm - 9.30pm	Friday Breakfast Café Gardening Hub
Saturday 9th		
Sunday 10th	8am - 9am	Mission Prayer Breakfast

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If you would like to place a notice in this notice sheet, please email Hannah in the office.

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10th March 2019

Welcome to St Matt's

We hope you enjoy being with us today.
Our church is informal and family-friendly, and we serve tea and coffee at the back of church throughout the service, except during prayer.

During our 10am service (except our family service on the 1st Sunday of the month) we have groups for babies, children and teenagers - please see inside for more information or ask a member of the Welcome Team.

We also have a more traditional service at 5pm and a gathering with more space to worship at 7pm.

If you are here for the first time, please introduce yourself to one of the Welcome Team- we would love to get to know you.

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Sunday Services

Our Sunday Services are held at 10am, 5pm and 7pm.

On the first Sunday of the month there is also a Book of Common Prayer communion service at 8am.

10am: informal and friendly, with groups for the children, except for the 1st Sunday of the month which is our family service. Great coffee is served!

5pm: traditional and welcoming, tea and cake is served from 4.30pm.

Seven: space to focus on Jesus and worship Him. No formula, just authentic relationship. 7-8pm in church, and then drinks at The Brick Works.

Sunday 10th March

10am	Prophecy 101	Katie Powney
5pm	Facing weakness	Mark Gabriel
7pm (communion)	Facing weakness	Mark Gabriel

Sunday 17th March

10am	Seeing the big picture	Chris Wicks
5pm (communion)	Facing an uncertain future	Matt Taylor
7pm	Facing an uncertain future	Matt Taylor

Sunday 24th March

10am (communion)	A gift or a ministry?	Chris Wicks
5pm	The danger of fruitlessness	Martin Franklin
7pm	The danger of fruitlessness	Martin Franklin

Children & Youth on Sundays

During term time, we run groups for children, except for the 1st Sunday of the month when we have our family service.

Shine	pre-schoolers	in the church centre
Glow	reception to school year 2	leave by the church centre door
Bright	school years 3 to 5	leave by the main church door
Encounter	school years 6-11	leave by the office door

Children will be brought back into church at the end of the service, and in time for communion on the 4th Sunday of the month.

Be a SMARTIE and support our local mission link *Life & Soul!*

Life & Soul are inviting us all to support their work during Lent:

- in prayer [there are prayer topics for each day on the special bookmark]
- by giving a donation [buy one of their 'smartimes' tubes, enjoy the contents then fill it with £1 coins and/or 20 pence's during Lent!]

All the details are on the Lent bookmarks including ideas for being smart with your time during Lent. **Full tubes can be put into our giant Smartimes Tube on any Sundays from now until Easter! [If you could sign a special gift aid envelope & we'll number your tube with the same number, that would be great!]** Thank you!

Hubs this week

Time2Talk meets today (10th March) at 2.30pm at Dunorlan Park.

The aim is to have time to chat and get to know each other.

Please see Ruth Dearlove for more details, or sign up through the website.

Knitting Hub meets next on Monday 11th March, 7.30pm - 9.30pm in the church centre. Everyone is welcome, whether you want to learn how to knit or just want to come and be sociable while you knit!

Gardening Hub has its first meeting on Friday 15th March, 8pm - 9.30pm at Chris and Carole's house (72 Powdermill Lane). The hub will meet once a month, and this week will be about making plans for the new season, so bring along any spare veg seeds you have to swap with others.

Lou Fellingham is in concert at All Saints Church in Crowborough

on Saturday 16th March at 7.30pm.

Tickets are £10 for adults and £5 for under 15s and are available from www.allsaintscrowborough.org or loufellingham.com/tickets

Unlock sponsored walk - Sat 27th April

A few members of the congregation will be doing the Unlock Walk again this year, in memory of Duncan Oakley. This year the walk will be around Morton, Merton and Wimbledon. Please see Liz Johnson for more details.

Electoral Roll 2019

In the Church of England, being on the Electoral Roll is essentially being a member of the church. This year the Electoral Roll needs to be completely revised. If you wish to remain on the Roll or would like to be included for the first time, please complete a form and return to Lesley Clare (Lesley.clare2@btinternet.com) or your church administrator by 31/03/19.