

13th October 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 service 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.

Sunday 13th October

10am Journey through the wall		Chris Wicks	
5pm	The good Shepherd	Martin Franklin	
7pm (communion)	The good Shepherd	Martin Franklin	

Sunday 20th October

10am	Disc	cover rhythms of rest & Sabbath	Suzanne Owen
5pm (con	nmunion)	The resurrection and the life	Mark Gabriel
7pm		The resurrection and the life	Mark Gabriel

Sunday 27th October 10am (communion)

		Linde Horseman
5pm	The way, the truth and the life	Chris Wicks
7pm	The way, the truth and the life	Chris Wicks

Enlarging your soul through grief and loss

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 6-9	leave by the office door
Engage	school years 10-13	2nd & 4th Sundays in youth office

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.

Dear Church family, thank you Lord for the wonderful send off you gave me, and also for your kind gift of The Apocrypha which I am using already. I have spent over 21 happy years at St Matts and my prayer for you is that you continue to be the vibrant welcoming and united church you have always been. Thank you again. Helen Steven (Nen)



It's quiz time!

Saturday 16th November 2019, 7.30pm

We are going to be holding a quiz night in church - £10 per person including fish and chips, soft drinks, and lots of fun!

Any profits from the evening will go to Tearfund.

Teams of 6-8 people, but if you haven't got a team, we can add you to one. You can book your tickets on the website

or sign up on the sheet at the back of church.

Revive Christmas Event

Friday 6th December, 7.45pm - 10pm.

Tickets are now available for our evening of Christmas craft making! £10 per person - you can take home whatever you make and there will be mulled wine and Christmas nibbles during the evening.

You can book your tickets on the website or get them from the church office. If you are able to run a table or help at all, please let Carole or Hannah know.

Hubs this week

Time 2 Talk - today 2.30pm at Dunorlan if dry and Clip 'n' Climb if wet
Knitting Hub - Monday 14th Oct, 7.30pm in the church centre
Worship & Prayer Hub - Saturday 19th October, 7.45pm at 26 East Cliff Rd

TVs wanted

We are looking to get a couple of TVs to use in children's and youth groups on Sunday mornings, and thought we would see if anyone has one they are not using anymore before we buy new ones! They need to be about 32" with an HDMI connection port. Please let Hannah know if you have one that you'd be willing to donate to us.

A service of Choral Evensong

St. Luke's Church Sunday 20th October at 4pm

Everyone is welcome to join St. Luke's in celebrating their patronal festival.

This week at St. Matt's

Monday 14th October	3.30pm - 5pm 7.30pm - 9.30pm	Deeper (for school years 3 - 6) Knitting Hub in church centre
Tuesday 15th	8am - 9am	Prayer meeting in church
Wednesday 16th	6pm - 7.30pm	Ignite (for school years 7 - 13)
Thursday 17th	9.30am - 11.15am	Matt's Monkeys toddler group
Friday 18th	8.30am - 10.30am 7pm - 9pm	Breakfast Café Unite youth service (TW Christian Fellowship)
Saturday 19th	7.45pm - 9.30pm	Worship & Prayer Hub (26 East Cliff Rd)
Sunday 20th	8am - 9am	Mission Prayer Breakfast

If you would like to receive the notice sheets by email each week, please email Hannah on office@stmattschurch.org.uk

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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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