

Silvia will be dancing in what promised to be a wonderful evening. Book your tickets now!!

Hand Made Greetings Cards: Jan Turner will be selling some more of her lovely cards in the hall after the service today.

Fairtrade Advent Calendars

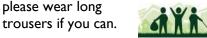
See the order form at the back of church for details, To see more, please see www.MeaningfulChocolate.co.uk. Any discount we secure will go to the Annexe



Fund." The closing date for orders is **31st Oct.** Our thanks to Andy Bebington for organising this.

A Date for Your Dairy

The next Eco Group litter pick is scheduled for Saturday October 19 10am - meet at the Bywood Ave entrance to Long Lane Woods. Bags and litter pickers etc provided but please wear long



Wanting to make an offering?

St George's Church bank details are: Sort code 60 - 23 - 22 Acc number: 44558422 Please put your name as a reference. You can also use this QR code which will enable you to make a donation to Church Funds.





The Parish of St George the Martyr Shirley



★ Following Christ ★ Serving Community ★ Welcoming All ★

Sunday 13th Oct. 2024 20th Sunday after Trinity **Black History Sunday**

10.00am All Age Eucharist Followed by drinks & cakes in the hall.

Monday 14th October

9.00am Morning Prayer on Zoom only. Please contact Hilary thefifes 9@gmail.com if you would like the link. 9.30—11.30 Little Dragons toddler group 10.30-12.00 Pop-In Seniors Club 7.30pm Bible Study Group on Zoom. Contact Brian McGinnis for the zoom link and study notes dunaigh2@btinternet.com **Tuesday 15th October** 9.00am Morning Prayer on Zoom. 7.00pm Baby Loss Awareness Week Service of Light. Wednesday 16th October 9.00am Morning Prayer on Zoom. 11.30am Said Eucharist in the Lady Chapel today 3.00pm Men of George's (MoGs) meeting today

Thursday 17th October

9.00am Morning Prayer on Zoom.

Friday 18th October

9.00am Morning Prayer on Zoom.



Sunday 20th Oct. 2024 **21st Sunday** after Trinity

10.00am Sung Eucharist



Please remember in your private prayers during the week...

... all those who live in

Kaine Close; Kelvington Close; Kempton Walk

... those who worship at one of the Churches Together in Shirley

W. Wickham & Shirley Baptist Church; Our Lady of the Annunciation (R.C.)

... those in acute need; among them:

Bishop Christopher; Verity Johnson; Ian Cordery; Margaret Ziolek; Alison Stiff; Mike Wilkins; Jill Hollamby

...those whose need is ongoing, among them:

Karen & Andy Dovey; Louise Maurer; Pauline Russell; Dawn Barrett; Helen McMullan; Helen Aylward; David Lawn; Sonia; Christine Lutman;

Lindsay Morgan; Brian Jacobs; Livingston Dallas; Maureen Fenner; Dan Pretty; Bill Gibson; Garth Smith; Elizabeth Lovell; Sheila Dennis; Julie; Brian; Dave & Shirley Ashdown; Viv Barracliffe; Ellen Maden; Paul Oates; Selvin Paulwell; Andy Hamilton; Ann Hobbs; Sue Moore; Jean; Mark Hare.

...those who are no longer able to attend church: Yvonne Harris, Pam Purkis; Yvonne Sussex; Heather Orton; Jean Wells

... any who have died recently:

Graham Hollamby

...those whose anniversary of death falls soon:

John Kelly; Edith Violet Nelson; Sam Ventham; Russell Arthur Hobbs; Charles Edward Jones; Rose Jefferies; John Beaumont; Doreen Boswood; Anthony Marshall Whincup.

If you would like the name of a friend or loved one included in the prayer list, please let the staff team know at vicarstgeorge@gmail.com or 020 8776 0185

The flowers in the sanctuary have been arranged by Jan Payne





From Rev Jenny Walpole, Priest in Charge

Thank you all for your warm welcome to St George's. I look forward to meeting you all in the coming weeks and months. If you would like to be in touch to arrange a visit or simply say hello, please do. Here are my contact details: Mobile: 07947 585 326 Email: rev.jennywalpole@gmail.com

A chance to meet Jenny: Fay and Steve Westray are hosting an Open House offering a chance to meet lenny on Saturday 26th October from 6.30pm (16 Pinewood Close).

Please bring a food and/or drink donation with you to help with the catering

Baby Loss Awareness Week

The Lady Chapel will be open from 7.00-8.00pm on Tuesday 15th October for the Wave of Light when we will unite with bereaved families across the world in memory of every baby who has died.



Today: Do join us in the hall after our Black History Sunday Celebration, led by our young people, for drinks and Caribbean cakes and biscuits,

Shrublands Trust Foodbank—Most Needed Items

Conditioner	□ Fruit in juice / dried	🗆 Pasta Sauces
□ Custard	□ Herbs	Peanut Butter
Deodorant	□ Meatballs	Toilet Rolls
Drinking Chocolate	🗆 Pasta	□ Treats

If you would like to make a cash or cheque donation (payable to St. George's Shirley PCC), please place it in an envelope marked "Foodbank" and place it in the offertory bag during the collection. Thank you.

EcoTip 2024 No: 91—Enjoy your seasonal drinks sustainably!

Seasonal drinks in autumn come in a wide variety of flavours, from pumpkin spice lattes to hot apple cider. Rather than using single-use cups that end up in landfills, use reusable mugs or travel tumblers. In fact, 16 million disposable coffee cups are used each year! Do the earth a favour and start taking your mug to your coffee shop! You can find various options for reusable coffee cups to buy as well.

