

Welcome to our Sunday Services

The 6.30pm service is [livestreamed](#)

8.00am - 8.45am
Luke 22:39-44 -

Holy Communion (Refreshments 2nd Sunday only)
Sam Shearn

10.00am - 12.00pm

GENEROSITY SUNDAY
Morning Worship followed by APCM
(Refreshments after service)

Romans 10:9-14 -

Steve Rees

10.00am - 12.00pm ASK Groups (6 months to school year 5) normal rooms.
ASK Youth (school year 6-8) will join the service but meet in the Picture Room afterwards for Donuts and Discussion.

4.00pm - 5.00pm
Luke 22:39-44 -

Evensong (Refreshments after service)
Sam Shearn

5.45pm - 6.15pm

24/7 (school years 9-13) in The Stables

6.30pm - 8.00pm
Luke 24:1-6, 36-43 -

Evening Worship (Refreshments after service)
"How can I be confident about the future?"

Nick Ashton

- ♦ **Safeguarding** - *All Saints is determined to ensure a safe church culture for all, which reflects the love and care of Jesus.* Jane Brackpool is the Parish Safeguarding Officer. Contact her at safeguarding@allsaintscrowborough.org or for the Diocesan Safeguarding Adviser call 01273 421021 or at safeguarding@chichester.anglican.org
- ♦ **Accessibility:** All Saints is committed to being an accessible church. If you have a learning disability, dyslexia or a moderate sight loss and would benefit from a specially designed, easy-to-read Bible, please pick up the Accessible Bible at the back of church. If you or someone you attend with has any additional needs please speak to Sarah Thrift sarah@allsaintscrowborough.org

Discover Jesus - Discover Life.

Now this is eternal life: that they know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent.

John 17:3

Prayers for our Mission Partners

- Pray for **Edward and Lerato** as they continue their wedding planning even though it is difficult to do it from afar and to not be together for a long time.
- Pray for **Ruslan** to be able to buy another car as his has done 235,000m on mountainous roads. This is needed for his ministry in supporting other pastors in isolated areas, some of whom are giving up and moving away. Life is tough for Christians in the countryside where restrictions are severe.
- Give thanks for the many people from different countries who have been supported and mentored by **Ron and Nan**. Pray particularly for our brothers and sisters in Afghanistan for their safety and financial needs to be met.

Pray for our preachers on Sunday 25th May

8.00am (Mark 6:53-7:23)	David Buck
9.15am (Mark 6:53-7:23)	David Buck
10.45am (Mark 6:53-7:23)	Nick Ashton
10.45am St Richards (Mark 6:53-7:23)	Mark Rapley
6.30pm (Psalm 13)	Adam Thrift

Church Family Prayers

- For our APCM as we meet to give thanks for God's goodness to us at All Saints and St Richard's. Pray for God's continued blessing on our ministries as churches.
- Give thanks for the ministry of our Safeguarding team. Please pray for God's protection and wisdom as we seek to make Christ known in Crowborough.
- It is National Dementia Awareness week. Please pray for understanding and support for all those in the church family affected by dementia.

Prayer Support is available for anyone in the church. If you or someone you know might benefit, contact Sue Potts.

Foodbank

Longlife Whole Milk	Shower Gel
Longlife Fruit Juice	Adult Toothpaste
Instant Mash Potato	Children's Toothpaste 3-5 years
Sponge Puddings	Baby Top to Toe Wash
Dessert Whips	Baby Bath Wash
100g Instant Coffee	Baby Wipes
Marmite	Kitchen Bin Bags

Church Family News

1. It is National Dementia Awareness Week. Please support the **Barnabas** fundraising morning on Wed 21st May 10am-12pm.
2. **Thirsty Pop-up Praise** Friday 23rd May. An evening of praise, worship and reflection. 7.30pm for 8pm. Everyone is welcome to join us
3. The **Life Series** is for anyone who wants to look into life's big questions, whether you consider yourself sceptical, religious, or anywhere in between. It's a series of evenings, starting 2nd June, where we discuss questions like why are we here and what's it all about? As we do that, we will also examine how the life and teaching of Jesus speak into our questions, and our lives, today. We'd love to have you join us. Book here: <https://bit.ly/4iSwc3N> More info from Nick Ashton.
4. **FEST**, our annual Church Family camping weekend, is 4th-6th July. Book now for Adults (including day ticket) and Kids and Youth.
5. **Crowborough Foodbank** is recruiting a Volunteer Project Coordinator. Speak to Bertie Pearce or Mike Cooke if interested.

This Sunday 18th May is **Generosity Sunday** — a moment for us to reflect on God's goodness and how we can each play a part in supporting the life and ministry of our church.

We are currently facing a **£33,000 shortfall** in our finances. It's a challenge, but one we believe we can meet together - with prayer, faith, and generosity.

We encourage you to take some time before Sunday to consider how you might respond - whether through a one-off gift, a regular commitment, or simply by standing with us in prayer. However you feel led, we are deeply grateful for every expression of support.

Let's step forward together, trusting in God's provision and in the strength of our community.

It's also the **Annual Church Parochial Meeting (APCM)** and the **Meeting for Election of Churchwardens, beginning at 10am, combining 9.15, 10.45 and St Richard's.**

Please arrive early and ensure you have parked considerately and not on the double yellow lines in Church Road, The Glebelands or Gordon Road. Cones will be in place as an extra reminder. Please consider walking. Thank you.

The **Annual Reports and Accounts**, together with the **Report of Ministries** are attached to the Newsletter email and copies are available at the back of church.

Meetings in the Week

please pray for them

<u>Sat 17th</u>	<u>Hope Café with Fay & Greg</u> in Hope Café at 10am.
<u>Mon 19th</u>	<u>Young@Heart</u> in the Downstairs Rooms at 2.30pm.
<u>Tues 20th</u>	<u>Chat@Hope Café</u> in Hope Café 10am-12pm.
	<u>Tuesday Bible School</u> in the Downstairs Rooms at 10am.
	<u>Children's & Youth Clubs</u>
	* <u>Heroes</u> 4.30pm - 5.30pm.
	* <u>Adventurers</u> 4.30pm - 5.30pm.
	* <u>ASK Youth</u> 6.30pm - 8pm.
	<u>Music Group</u> in the Main Worship Area at 8pm.
<u>Wed 21st</u>	<u>Barnabas Fundraising Morning</u> with music and cake sale in the Downstairs Rooms at 10.00am - 12pm.
	<u>English Classes</u> in Hope Café at 11am.
	<u>Craft Group</u> in the Coffee Bar at 2pm.
	<u>PCC</u> in Hope Café at 7.30pm.
<u>Thurs 22nd</u>	<u>Women's Connect Bible Studies</u> in Hope Café at 9am.
	<u>Trebles</u> in the Music Room at 4.30pm.
	<u>Women's Connect Bible Studies</u> in The Vicarage at 8pm.
<u>Fri 23rd</u>	<u>Church Family Prayers</u> in Hope Café at 9.30am.
	<u>Noah's Ark</u> in the Downstairs Rooms at 9.30am.
	<u>Hope Café with Grove Park School</u> in Hope Café from 10am.
	<u>Choir</u> in the Music Room at 7.30pm.
	<u>Thirsty Pop-up Praise</u> in Hope Café from 7.30pm.
<u>Sat 24th</u>	<u>Hope Café with Fay & Greg</u> in Hope Café at 10am.

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