

## Welcome to our Sunday Services

Our services are [livestreamed](#)

**9.15am - 10.15am Morning Service** (Refreshments after service)  
2 Timothy 2:14-26 - "Character Matters" Adam Thrift

**10.45am - 12pm Morning Worship** (Refreshments after service)  
2 Timothy 2:14-26 - "Character Matters" Adam Thrift

**ASK-Y** (yrs 7-9) in Morning Service followed by  
Discussion & Doughnuts in the Picture Room.

**5.45pm - 6.15pm 24/7** (school years 9-13) in The Stables

**6.30pm - 8.00pm Holy Communion** (Refreshments after service)  
Ecclesiastes 1:1-11 - "God is at work in you" Nick Ashton

Breeze Translate gives real time translation of the service into many languages as well as English. <https://allsaintscrowborough.breezetranslate.com/>  
If you are a 2nd language speaker or have difficulty hearing in the service this could help you. Instruction video <https://bit.ly/4tHbLgK>

- ◆ **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](mailto:safeguarding@allsaintscrowborough.org). Nina Stewart is now the Lead Recruiter, [leadrecruiter@allsaintscrowborough.org](mailto:leadrecruiter@allsaintscrowborough.org). For the Diocesan Safeguarding Adviser call 01273 421021 or [safeguarding@chichester.anglican.org](mailto: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. Large print words for the 9.15 service are also available. If you or someone you attend with has any additional needs please speak to Sarah Thrift [sarah@allsaintscrowborough.org](mailto:sarah@allsaintscrowborough.org)

**Discover Jesus - Discover Life.**

"Your word is a lamp for my feet, a light on my path."

Psalm 119:105

## Prayers for our Mission Partners

- Please give thanks for our visit by Edward and Elle last week, particularly for the opportunity to hear about what they are doing and their plans. Pray for Elle as she learns to teach English as a second language and for her need for funding. Pray for the opportunity they have to speak at the African Inland Mission conference in Scotland.
- Please pray for Alice Cornes as she prepares for her sabbatical in a month's time when she is off to Izmir (biblical Smyrna). May this be a blessing for her personally and for her work when she returns to Liverpool.
- Pray also for Adam Thrift, now one of our Mission Partners with a great deal of change in the next month. Moving house, going on sabbatical followed by starting his new job.

## Pray for our preachers on Sunday 10th May

9.15am - Guest Service (John 11)	Richard Cunningham
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10.45am St Richard's (Philippians 2:1-11)	Steve Rees
6.30pm with Baptisms - Guest Service (John 9)	Richard Cunningham

## Church Family Prayers

- Praise God for his faithfulness to our churches! Join us on Thursday for our Annual Meeting as part of our monthly Praise and Prayer.
- Give thanks for Young at Heart and the amazing team that leads it. Pray for those who are not yet following Jesus to come to know his love and hope.
- Give thanks for our Church School and the amazing opportunities we have to take assemblies and welcome the whole school into church each month for their school service.

If you or someone you know might benefit from prayer support contact Sue Potts.

### **Foodbank Requests**

NB: no fresh items, tinned or longlife only

Longlife Milk	Longlife Fruit Juice
Instant Mash Potato	Sponge Puddings
Tinned Rice Pudding	Tinned Cold Meat
Pasta Sauce	Tinned Vegetables
Marmite or Peanut Butter	Chocolate Spread
Brown Sauce	Treats
Antibacterial Surface Spray	Washing Up Liquid
Bleach	Toilet Rolls

## Church Family News

1. **Ecclesiastes Series** at 6.30 service starts 3rd May. To prepare, read through Ecclesiastes a few times or listen to David Suchet reading it to you [here](#)
2. Response to the 'Going for Growth Stage 2' appeal for the future of St Richard's has been very encouraging. Sunday 3 May is the last day for financial pledges. See leaflet or online at [www.tinyurl.com/g4gstage2](http://www.tinyurl.com/g4gstage2). Questions to David Buck at [thecwgtrust@btinternet.com](mailto:thecwgtrust@btinternet.com) or 07831 424008.
3. **Tony Hurdle** died earlier this month. Funeral Tues 5th May, 11.30 am at Kent & Sussex crem.
4. Join us at our fun monthly groups and hear an amazing true story about Jesus . Tues 5th May at 4.30pm. **Heroes** (yrs F-2) pirate party. Book [here](#) **Adventurers** (yrs 3-6) Pizza party Book [here](#).
5. **Men's Curry Night** - Tues 19th May 7.30pm Rose of Bengal with after dinner speaker, Terry O'Toole. £18 booking essential. Book [here](#)
6. **Prom Praise** 6th June Royal Albert Hall. Sing in the choir or come on the coach to watch the concert. More info & sign up here <https://bit.ly/40Kd2GL>
7. FEST, our annual Church Family camping weekend, is 26-28th June. Book now for Adults [here](#) and Kids and Youth [here](#). Make a donation to support others or contribute to Sunday [here](#).
8. As **Adam** leaves the staff team on 22nd May to prepare for a new post at GYD, we'd like to bless him with a gift . Please donate <https://bit.ly/4dNIDPE>
9. Bishop Martin retires at the end of May. Have your say in the appointment [here](#) until 26th May. All responses welcome. Find out more about the process [here](#)

### Guest services 10th May

Particularly designed to bring friends and neighbours along to. We are delighted to welcome Richard Cunningham to speak on the questions 'How can I live without fearing death?' (9.15 & 10.45am) and 'Where can I find hope?' (6.30pm), where there will also be baptisms. Please pray and bring people to hear the best news in the world.

### Celebrating God's Faithfulness - Praise and Prayer with Annual Meeting Thurs 7th May 7.30pm.

Zoom Link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81072468933>

Meeting ID: 810 7246 8933 Passcode: 240822

Join us as we give thanks, look forward and pray together as two churches, as well as conduct some business and look at our **accounts**. These are displayed at the back of church along with the revised Electoral Roll (those able to vote). Contact Suzanne [suzanne.hall@allsaintscrowborough.org](mailto:suzanne.hall@allsaintscrowborough.org) for nomination forms for churchwardens, PCC Members & Deanery Synod Reps.

## Meetings in the Week

**please pray for them**

Sat 2nd

**Hope Café with Fay & Greg** in Hope Café at 10am.

Mon 4th

**Bank Holiday**

Tues 5th

**Chat@Hope Café** in Hope Café 10am-12pm.

**Tuesday Bible School** in the Downstairs Rooms at 10am.

**Children's & Youth Clubs**

\* **Heroes** (yrs F-2) pirate party Book [here](#) 4.30pm - 5.30pm.

\* **Adventurers** (yrs 3-6) Pizza party Book [here](#) 4.30pm - 5.30pm.

\* **ASK Youth** in the Main Worship Area 6.30pm - 8pm.

**Song Writing Group** in the Coffee Bar at 7pm.

**Music Group** in the Main Worship Area at 8pm.

Wed 6th

**Craft Group** in the Coffee Bar at 10am.

**Craft Group** in the Coffee Bar at 2pm.

**Wednesday Worship** in the Prayer Chapel at 2.30pm.

**Prom Praise rehearsal** in the Main Worship Area at 7.30pm.

**Women on Wednesday Bible Study** in the Vicarage at 8pm.

Thurs 7th

**Women's Connect Bible Studies** in Hope Café at 9am.

**Trebles** in the Music Room at 4.30pm.

**Praise & Prayer with APCM** in the Main Worship Area at 7.30pm.

Fri 8th

**Church Family Prayers** in Hope Café at 9.30am.

**Noah's Ark** in the Downstairs Rooms at 9.30am.

**Hope Café with Acre Wood Academy** in Hope Café from 10am.

**Choir** in the Music Room at 7.30pm.

Sat 9th

**Hope Café with Fay & Greg** in Hope Café at 10am.

### **Contact:**

**Deadline for newsletter is Tuesday at 10am**

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