

This week—Holy week Services

Monday: 7.30pm Home Communion at 8 Norton Road, Letchworth, SG6 1AB.

Tuesday: 8pm Said Compline at St Georges.

Wednesday: 10am Holy Communion at St Georges.

Maundy Thursday: 6.30pm Maundy Thursday Meal in Clulow Room. (Please sign up on the sheet today at the back of church).

8pm Holy Communion in St George's Church & followed by Stripping the Church and Vigil to 10pm.

Good Friday: 1pm Good Friday Reflections in Lady Chapel.

2pm Veneration of the Cross and Holy Communion.

Next Week - Easter Sunday

8am Holy Communion at St Nicholas' Church.

10am Combined Easter Communion Service.

Messy Church

Thank you to all who helped in any way to make our Messy Church on Thursday such a successful time.

Monthly Prayer meeting

Our next prayer meeting is on Wednesday 30th April at 7pm in the Clulow Room. The theme is Peter. Come and join us in praise and prayer.

Wednesday Mornings:

10.00 am **Holy Communion** in the Lady Chapel

10.00—11.30 am **Norton Coffee Shop** in the Clulow Room

Next week's readings are Acts 10:34-43 and John 20:1-18.

Parish contacts:

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Please submit notices by **Wednesday** for inclusion in the next pew sheet .



Palm Sunday Sunday 13th April 2025 Combined Service



HYMNS (NEH)		
Entrance		Ride on, Ride on
Offertory	509	All Glory Lord and Honour
Communion	95	When I survey the wondrous Cross
Final	Sheet	We want to see Jesus

Reading

Philippians 2:5-11

Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death — even death on a cross.

Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Gospel

Our Passion Gospel reading today is:

Luke 22:14 - 23:56

Foodbank

Thank you to those who give to the foodbank. This month they have a special need for the following:

Cereals (not Porridge)	Tinned Fish
Tinned Fruit	Jam
Sponge Puddings	Tinned Rice Pudding
Tinned Custard	Tinned Tomatoes
Bags for Life	

Please note that we are unable to use out-of-date food.

Aspire group (For 10s-14s)

Recycling collection: Please support Aspire by bringing items for recycling with Terracycle. Biscuit, cracker and cake wrappers, tea and coffee flexible packaging. Pick up a leaflet from church if you don't yet have one. Thank you! Please contact Angie (amcaldwe@yahoo.com) or Liz (lizbeardmore53@gmail.com) for more details about Aspire.

Daily Bible Reading booklets

If you do not already regularly read your bible, we have a selection of items available for getting into the habit of learning from daily bible readings. **UCB Quarterly 'Word for Today'** daily reading booklets for May—July can be found at the back of the church, as well as the **30 day 'Word for Today Just For You'** booklet which is more for those interested in or new to faith. Both of these are free, so please help yourself.

The **Bible Reading Fellowship daily reading** booklets can be ordered, at a small cost, through Martin and Christine Walker. There is a shorter version as well as an in-depth one, and large print booklets are also available. To find out more please speak to Martin or Christine (martinwalker1951@gmail.com).

Friends of St Nicholas AGM.

Friends of St Nicholas AGM is taking place in St Nicholas Church on **Saturday 26th April at 10.30 am.**



Today Coffee in church

After our service this morning coffee will be served in the church so do stay behind and enjoy fellowship together.



Easter Flowers

Any one who wishes to donate £2.50 for an Easter Lily in memory of a loved one or make a contribution to the flowers please see Michelle, Fiona or Ros. Anyone is welcome to join us and “have a go” on Saturday 19th April at 9:30am (hot cross buns and a cuppa provided). Michell 01462637874, mmrigby@googlemail.com

Decorate an Easter Egg

This year we are running a 'Decorate an Easter Egg' competition. All welcome to enter. Collect your egg today. Decorated Easter Eggs can be given to Ros today or to St George's on Monday to Friday this week between 5-6:30pm. There will be a prize for the 'best egg' in 5 and under, primary, secondary and adult categories! The entry fee is £1 per egg, with all proceeds going to church funds.

Electoral roll

Electoral Roll 2025 - IMPORTANT!

This year there is a completely new electoral roll - NOT a revision. Everyone who wishes to be on our electoral roll needs to complete a form by **next week (20th)**. Please note if you do not fill out a form, you will no longer be on the electoral roll.

For anybody not on the electoral roll yet, it is a list of our church members - so, if you feel you belong to our church, please complete a form if applicable. (You are not committing yourself to anything else by joining the electoral roll!) You must be over 16 years old and baptised and live either in or outside the parish, but have habitually worshipped with us for the past 6 months.

Please give any completed forms to me, Tracey Nicholls, or to Susan Taylor or a Church Warden. Any questions, please ask and I will be happy to help. *Tracey Nicholls - Electoral Roll officer.*