

This Week at St Giles.....

Sunday 14th July	8.30 am	Holy Communion
	10.00 am	Holy Communion & Junior Church
	12.30 pm	Love in Action Lunch
	6.00 pm	Healing Service
	6.00 pm	Link Up & Engage
Monday 15th July	9.30 am	A Team
	7.30 pm	Bellringing
Tuesday 16th July	9.15 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Wellbeing cafe
	7.30 pm	Band Practice
Wednesday 17th July	10.00 am	Holy Communion
Thursday 18th July	2.00 pm	Tiny Tots
Saturday 20th July	10.00 am	Open Church
Sunday 21st July	8.30 am	Holy Communion
	10.00 am	All Age Worship
	6.00 pm	Link Up

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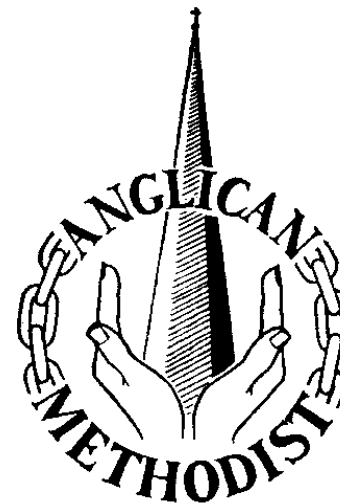
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St Giles Church

Desborough

A community rooted in Christ, sharing God's love with all

WELCOME

Sunday 14th July 2019

www.stgilesdesborough.org

COME AND SEE

If you would like to know more about Jesus, who was he, why did he have to die, and can we believe in the resurrection, then you might like to come and see. This is a 10 session course that gives the chance to explore how Jesus and the Christian faith might be relevant to your life! No questions too small, and we guarantee you'll make new friends. This course starts in September meeting on alternate Wednesdays at 7.30pm. If you want to know more please either ring Steve Heygate who is leading the course, on 764106 or 079811536335. Or e-mail stephenheygate@btinternet.com. All are welcome!



Photos from the last 50 years! If you have any photos from the last 50 years at St Giles we'd love to see them! We are putting together a display of the life of St Giles for our 50th anniversary as an Anglican Methodist Partnership. Please place any photos (or copies of) in an envelope marked 50th anniversary and post through the CC letter box asap. If you are giving an original and would therefore like it back, please be sure to include a note so we know who to return the photo(s) to.



Afternoon Tea Service at Central on July 14th at 3.00pm. Service followed by afternoon tea - an opportunity perhaps to bring those who are elderly or lonely or feel isolated in any other way or perhaps can't make it to the morning service as well as friends who don't usually attend on a Sunday morning.

!News from the Pews!

Greenbelt 2019

On Sunday 25th August come and join in with 100s of other Christians in worship. Once again we're cancelling our main 10am service, and Mini Church, so we can all go together to the communion service at Greenbelt Festival. If you are able to go please sign up on the list at the back of church (lifts can be provided). Why not invite others to go with you? It costs £5 to park but entrance is free.



Welcome to Sophie our new curate!

Today at 4 pm, Sophie will be ordained at Peterborough Cathedral.

Sophie's first service with us will be at the 10am service on 21st July – do come to welcome her and the family! Could you bring some cake to make it more of a celebration? Sophie's email is rev.sophiecowan@gmail.com
Please amend your directories!



St Giles Holiday Club presents

Polar Explorers

22nd – 26th July 2019

10 am – 12 pm, Ages 7 – 11 years

Games, crafts, stories, songs, videos, drama, prizes, puppets and more!

Registration forms are in Inspire and at the back of church. Please see Neil or Pauline for more details. Helpers always appreciated.



Flower Festival "It's a small world"

Friday 30th August – Sunday 1st September

Come and taste some New Wine....an amazing transformative experience that will bring your faith alive! For two weeks every summer 1000s gather at Peterborough Showground to celebrate all God has been doing and continues to do in our lives. To give you a taste this year why not book a day off on August 8th and come for a day. Although day tickets don't give access to the children's groups, you can still bring children with you. Speak to Katie Steel or Hannah if you'd like to join us. Please come if you can – New Wine really is amazing, but you have to taste it to find out!
Day tickets cost £36



There will be a **retiring collection** for Martin Swan, our superintendent minister, at the back of church. He will soon be retiring and his leaving service will be on 28th July at Rothwell Methodist Church. We will welcome Andrew, his replacement, on 31st August at Central Methodist Church.



Ride & Stride. Saturday 14th September. Walk or cycle around different churches in Northamptonshire to raise money for the Historic Churches Trust. Forms available from Carolyn Rice.



Please purchase a **quiz** for £1 at the back of church, to support the band who are raising money for new equipment. Prizes to be won!