

**Working with Children Northeast:** Thank you to all the generous people, from St George's and the wider community, who, since the end of March, have helped to fill the CNE Box again with knitted items and have shopped for clothes, nappies, baby formula, toiletries and sanitary products. Everything has been delivered and received with grateful thanks, as always. The need for our help increases. The box is empty. Please help to fill it if you are able.

*'What you do for the least of my brothers and sisters...'*

**Are you a baker? Friday Café needs you!** Any contributions of cakes, scones, or other baked goods would be greatly appreciated.

### Service Details

Readings: Acts 16: 9-15 (NT p. 132); Revelation 21: 10, 22 - 22: 5 (NT p. 257)  
John 14: 23-29 (NT p. 106)

Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia. I am the first and the last, says the Lord, and the living one; I was dead, and behold I am alive for evermore.

Psalm 67 (the congregation is encouraged to join in the singing of the response)

**Response: Let the peoples praise you, O God, let all the peoples praise you**

God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us, that your way may be known upon earth, your saving power among all nations. Let the peoples praise you O God: let all the peoples praise you. **R**

O let the nations rejoice and be glad: for you will judge the peoples righteously and govern the nations upon earth. Let the peoples praise you O God: let all the peoples praise you. **R**

Then shall the earth bring forth her increase: and God, our own God will bless us. God will bless us: and all the ends of the earth shall fear him. **R**

### 8.00am Eucharist

President: Brian Hurst                      Preacher: Brian Hurst

### 9.30am Parish Eucharist

President: Brian Hurst                      Preacher: Stephanie Keates

Deacon: Ollie Dempsey

Sidespeople: Jon & Jean Davies

Readers: Caroline Field, David Cullingford

Intercessions: Bryan Vernon

Motet: Ave, verum corpus - Elgar

Voluntary: Cantique - Elgar

### Hymns

201

613

246

710

Notices for the sheet and additions/removals for the prayer list need to be sent to [office@stgeorgesjesmond.org.uk](mailto:office@stgeorgesjesmond.org.uk) by 9.30am on a Thursday for inclusion. Initial enquiries about weddings, banns and baptisms should be directed to the Parish Office.

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# St George's Parish Church, Jesmond

*A worshipping community: inclusive, nurturing, engaged*

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22nd May 2022 - The Sixth Sunday of Easter



You are warmly invited to refreshments after the 9.30am service, served in the hall by Janet Wilson, Jean & Jon Davies, Jenny Redgrave, and Barbara Gardner.

Smarties meets in the vestry after the gospel and will be led by Alison & Jerry.

Covid: we still encourage you to be considerate to those who are most vulnerable or anxious regarding the lifting of all restrictions. If you wish to wear a mask that's fine.

During the distribution of Communion at the 9.30, there are two stations - one on the south side and the other at the chancel step. For those who are sitting in the centre of church, please follow the directions of the churchwardens and don't move forward until invited to do so. **There will be the option of receiving from the chalice but please don't feel pressurised to if you do not wish to; simply receive the bread and return to your seat.** The bread is still pre-intincted so all can partake in both bread and wine.

### This Week (at St George's unless otherwise specified)

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday      8.45 Morning Prayer

Tuesday      8.45 Morning Prayer (St Hilda's)  
9.30 Parish Eucharist (St Hilda's)

Thursday      9.30 Holy Communion



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**Little Saints:** every Monday 2-4pm in the church hall, except bank holidays.

**Tuesday Group:** Tuesday Group meets each week at 9.30am for gardening, grounds and DIY maintenance. Coffee at 10.30am. All welcome.

**St George's Lunch Club:** there are tentative plans to resume this. More info to follow in due course.

**Friday Café:** is held from 10am-12pm in the Winkell Room.

**Friday Singing Group:** meet at 11am in Middleton Room.

**Choir Practice** (children and adults) is Thursdays 7pm-8.15pm. Please speak to Drew (Director of Music) if you'd like to join.

**Bell Practice:** Tower & handbell practice, Fridays, 7.30-9pm.

**Book Group:** *Greenvoe* by George MacKay Brown. Wednesday 8th June, 7.30pm in the Winkell Room.

**Parish Walk:** 14th May - see notices.

**Cycling Club:** next date to follow. Meet outside the church hall for 10am. All abilities welcome and main roads avoided.

**Prayers for Sick** and other concerns. Every Wednesday 10am at 3 High Laws, NE3 1RQ

**Next Sunday services (29th May)**

**8.00am** Holy Communion

**9.30am** Parish Eucharist

**The Parish Office**  
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### Clergy

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### Pastoral Care

Any Pastoral concerns or commendations should be made to Joan Grenfell or a member of the clergy.

### Parish Secretary

Jonathan Richards - 281 1659  
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The office is open Mon-Fri 9.45am-12.45pm

### JUBILEE BIG FRIENDLY GATHERING on Saturday 4th June, 2-5pm:

- Another request for scones! Please bake scones for the cream teas to be served.
- Make a gift for the Queen... a card, a picture, a photo montage, write a prayer or poem. Bring to the Office by Wednesday 1st June. All 'gifts' will be displayed in church for Jubilee Weekend.
- Drew is asking for your requests which he will play in church on afternoon of the Gathering. Hand your request to him, email him, or hand to Joan Grenfell by Sunday 29th May.
- Are you a trained First Aider? Please let me (Joan) know. I have 3 high viz jackets to be worn on the day!
- **Eco Crafts at the BFG** – Materials needed! Please bring clean 2 litre plastic bottles, hollow bamboo canes, straw and pine cones to the back of church (blue IKEA bag) or give to Hilary Cullingford or Kay Plumley. Thank you!

**The Spring Fete final total** stands at £6480.37! Huge thanks to all who contributed.

**Ascension Day** is this week and there will be a celebration of the Eucharist at 7.30pm (as well as the usual Thursday morning Eucharist) on 26th May.

**As Helen Young approaches her ordination** at Petertide, we continue to uphold her & her family in our prayers. If you would like to contribute to an ordination gift for Helen, please leave any contribution with Jonathan in the Parish office, or put it through the office letterbox in a labelled envelope **by the end of the month**.

**Nathanael Hayler** is also looking forward to his ordination as deacon. There are some Ember Cards at the back of church for anyone wanting a prompt to hold him in prayer, do help yourself to one.

**The next PCC meeting** will be held on the evening of Tuesday 31st May. Any questions or issues, please contact Janet [pccsec@stgeorgesjesmond.org.uk](mailto:pccsec@stgeorgesjesmond.org.uk).

**Jesmond Festival, Friends of St George's Trail:** Trail questions in Church for adults and children. Answer them and discover features of our Church. 16-20 and 23-27 May, weekdays 9-12 noon. No prizes, just for fun!

**Enquirers Course:** On Saturdays 28th May and 11th June, Ollie and Stephanie will be running this course which looks at how we live, relate, act and remember, and has typically been offered to wedding couples and baptism families. This time around, we're opening it out to anyone in the congregation, meeting at 4pm in the Church Hall. Do speak to Ollie or Stephanie if you'd like more information.

**FOSG Annual Lamplight Dinner** is on the horizon! Friday 10th June at 7pm in the Church Hall. Tickets £35 per person for a fabulous evening with the best of food and company. Tickets from Barbara P or from Jonathan in the Parish Office. Don't delay!

**Loose Ladies** are pleased to announce the first event after a two year break. The People's Theatre - Office Suite by Alan Bennett (a double act of comic plays about office life in the 1970's) Wednesday 15th June 7.30pm Tickets £15/13 concessions. If you would like to come please let Alison Mattinson or Jonathan in the office know.

**Christian Muslim Prayers for Peace** will be held on Saturday 25th June. There will be prayers at St Mary's Chapel in Jesmond (Reid Park Road) at 2.30pm, followed by refreshments in Holy Name Parish Hall.

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