

Week beginning 11th February 2019

Mon 11 Feb	7pm	Older Youth Night (years 9-13)
Tues 12 Feb	9am	Church Prayers, St Stephen's
Weds 13 Feb	9.30am	Little Bears
Thurs 14 Feb	7pm	Younger Youth Night (years 6-8)

All events at St Thomas' Church unless otherwise indicated.
Youth Nights are at St Stephen's Church, Weir Road.

Dates for your diary

1 to 3 March	Church weekend at home 'Enjoying God'
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The Parish Office is open 9-1 pm Monday to Thursday.

We implement 'A Safe Church Procedure' to ensure all are protected.



Sunday 10 February 2019

10.15 am	Holy Communion
Reading	1 Corinthians 6: 9-20; John 7:53-8:11
4 pm	Transform, St Stephen's 4pm

Welcome to our services.

If you are new, we would love to meet you at the welcome desk at the end of the service. Please fill in a blue 'Get Connected' card.

Please ask one of the welcome team if you would like a large print copy of the service words.

During communion please indicate if you would prefer a wafer.
Non-alcoholic wine is available at the front on the right-hand side

We offer prayer after the service, in the sofa area at the front.

We do not take a regular collection during the service. If you are a visitor, please do not feel obliged to give. If you do wish to give, there is a collection box at the back and Gift Aid forms are available.

We hope you enjoyed the service.
Please stay for refreshments afterwards.

Notices

Transform, TODAY, St Stephen's 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Transform is our termly gathering of local Christians working together for mission in the Clapham Park area. We meet for an hour to encourage one another, worship and pray together. This Sunday, we welcome Miles and Charlie who will speak to us about faith across the class divide.

February family fun - Tues 19 and Weds 20 Feb

Come along and join during half term for some February family fun. We will be opening St Thomas' church on Tuesday 19 and Wednesday 20 February, between 10 and 12 pm. With activities for kids, crafts, a family movie and a toddler play area, there will be plenty to do for everyone aged 0-10 and teas and coffees for grownups. All children must be accompanied by an adult. If you are able to come and help during the sessions and join the team do get in touch with Susie.

Vocal workshops at St Thomas'

Do you like to sing? Would you like to sing better? Would you like to sing more confidently and know more about how to get the best out of your voice? If so, put these dates in your diary: Saturday 23rd February 10am-12noon and Saturday 23rd March 2-4pm. Each workshop is at St Thomas, led by a different coach at each session, so the approach, content and emphasis will likely be very different on each day. Do come and join us on either or both days - and it's free! Contact James or Eunice for more information.

Church Weekend at Home 1 - 3 March

You are all invited! To a weekend of teaching, worship, prayer, eating and social time for the whole church family. We would love for as many people as possible to come, whether you've been with us 5 minutes or 50 years. The theme of our weekend is Enjoying God. Sign up online or at the church weekend table in church.

Highlights tour of the British Museum - Sat 16 Feb 2-4.30pm

To fundraise for ICC, we have planned a tour of the British Museum led by Leila Redpath, a Blue Badge Tour Guide. We will start with the most famous objects and after a tea break move on to the recently unveiled Hotung South Asia galleries. See the information sheet in church for more details. To register your interest or book a place please see Fiona Carnegie fiona_carnegie@yahoo.co.uk. Suggested donation of £20 pp.

ICC Circle of Hope Dinner - 26 Feb, 7.30pm

After the success of last year's event, there will be a charity 'Circle of Hope' dinner on Tuesday 26 Feb at Emmanuel Church, Marsham St Victoria, SW1. Members of STwSS are invited to book individual tickets (£40) or table of 10 (£350). Includes a full Chinese buffet, updates from China and speakers from ICC. To book go to their website.

Weekly Email - Make sure it reaches your inbox!

To ensure that our weekly email reaches your email inbox please add office@stwss.org.uk to the contact list on your device or computer. This will ensure that it doesn't go straight to trash/spam and you don't miss out on news or events.

Prayers

- That many from the community would come to February Family Fun and for volunteers to help out
- For Vera Reed's rehabilitation at Queen Mary's Roehampton
- For Shaun Knox's recovery and rehabilitation from leg surgery
- For Glenn Bee's full recovery from an appendix removal.
- For our upcoming church weekend at home, 1-3 March
- For us to grow in prayer as a church