

## BLOOD DONING

**Monday 25th November**

Charmandean Centre, Forest Road  
2 - 4.30pm & 5.30 - 8pm  
Call 0300 123 23 23 to book an appointment or just walk in to give your armful.

*Blood supplies drop dangerously low over the Christmas period. The National Blood & Transplant Service need a minimum of 200,000 donations to cover the festive season, especially blood type O.*

*If the above session is not suitable for you go to [www.blood.co.uk](http://www.blood.co.uk) and click on 'session finder' to find an alternative time to donate. Or call 0300 123 23 23*

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Office open Monday, Thursday & Friday  
9.3am - 12.30pm

**The office will be closed Thursday 30th October to Friday 7th November**

Please get items for Pews News to the office by noon on Thursday

## Safeguarding Representatives:

Children: June Elphick  
Adults: Morag Hardinge  
DBS Checks: Hilary Ferris

More info at: [www.thinkyounow.co.uk](http://www.thinkyounow.co.uk)

## WHAT'S ON

### Sunday 16th

8.00am Holy Communion  
10.30am Morning Prayer  
Young Followers  
2.45pm Celebration Singers

### Monday 17th

10.30am Monday Nomads  
7.30pm Monday Group

### Tuesday 18th

11.00am Funeral - Dss Sybil Webb  
6.00pm Brownies  
7.45pm Goring Home Group

### Wednesday 19th

10.30am Vicarage Morning Group  
10.30am East end Home Group  
7.30pm WCHP Prayer Meeting  
7.30pm Vicarage Evening Group

### Thursday 20th

10.30am Toddlers

### Friday 21st

5.30pm Rainbows  
7.00pm Guides  
7.30pm Music Group

### Saturday 22nd

8.00am Acorn Prayer Breakfast  
12 noon Wedding:  
Nathan Wright &  
Sarah Lewis  
7.00pm WCHP Quiz Night

### Sunday 23rd

8.00am Holy Communion  
10.30am Morning Prayer -  
Crosslinks  
Young Followers  
2.45pm Celebration Singers

# PEWS NEWS



Ecclesiastical Parish of St George,  
East Worthing.  
Registered Charity No 1131206

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*knowing Jesus and making him known*

SUNDAY 16th November 2014

Trinity 22

8.00am Holy Communion

10.30am Morning Prayer

## STEWARDSHIP MAKES SENSE

Today's 10.30am service will include a short Stewardship presentation giving details of the progress we are making to increase our Giving and so reduce the financial gap of low income verses high expenditure to run our Church. Progress this year is an encouraging start and we want to build on it to reduce the annual deficit last year of £30,000, equivalent to £577 per week. Convenient ways to turn this around will be explained, including regular (gift aided) Giving through the Parish Direct Giving Scheme, or envelope scheme. Leaflets will be available for you to take away and the Stewardship Team are on hand to answer your questions in confidence. For more information on best ways to Give, speak to one of the Stewardship Team today, or on another occasion: Laura Preston, Brian (Vicar), Keith Calver, Peter Rhodes. Together we can make this deficit disappear.

*We make a living by what we get;  
we make a life by what we give.*

## Not a new situation...

*In 1897 it cost an average of £4 a week to run St George's Church East Worthing, but only £2 12s was being collected from parishioners over the same period.*

*Worthing Journal November 2014*

## SYBIL

Deaconess Sybil Webb's funeral will be on  
**Tuesday 18th November** at 11am in St Georges' Church,  
followed by refreshments in the Church Hall.

*Please take PEWS NEWS home with you and use as a Prayer and Information Guide throughout the coming week*

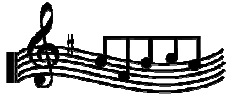
## PRAYER NEEDS

Members and friends of the fellowship in need of our prayers this week: Mavis Brown; Maureen Charlesworth; Joan Craig; Joyce Daley; Maureen Dawson; Barbara Hayes; Michael Jones; Mary Kershaw; Joy Russell; the family of Sybil Webb.

*Please feel free to join us every Sunday morning at 9.45am in the Vicar's Vestry for a time of prayer before the morning service.*



## ORGANIST'S NOTES



The Voluntary after the service today will be the Et resurrexit from the Credo of Haydn's 5th Mass as arranged for organ by Vincent Novello (1781-1861), who arranged several of Haydn's and Mozart's masses for the organ. Played today in memory of Sybil, the setting concludes with a vigorously rhythmic fugue and the whole work is overflowing with profound joy and optimism.

*Many thanks to those who attended John's recent organ recital; a small but enthusiastic audience was boosted by no fewer than four local organists, and everyone gave generously, the total raised being £75.70 towards the parish weekend away at Ashburnham. Many thanks to Sue and Brian for serving refreshments, and to Hilary and Lucy for the delicious cakes.*

## HOMEMADE JAM

There are still just a few jars of Helen's homemade jam available in the church office Monday, Thursday & Friday mornings. Strawberry & Apple, Apricot, and Blackberry & Apple. Proceeds towards the Ashburnham weekend.



## This week's HOME GROUPS

### Monday

- Monday Nomads  
10.30am at 30 Ophir Road

### Tuesday

- Goring Group  
7.45pm at 48 Aldsworth Avenue

### Wednesday

- Vicarage Morning Group  
10.30am at 14 Pendine Avenue
- Vicarage Evening Group  
7.30pm at 14 Pendine Avenue

*Please speak to one of today's Greeters, the Vicar or a Warden if you are interested in joining one of our informal Bible study groups.*

## WCHP PRAYER

The next prayer meeting for Worthing Churches Homeless Projects is on **Wednesday 19th November** at the Friends Meeting House in Mill Road at 7.30pm

The next **ACORN** bi-monthly Prayer Breakfast is on **Saturday 22 November, 8-9.00am**, at Acorn House, Stanford Square, Off Warwick Street, Worthing. Breakfast will be provided. The latest **Acorn Prayer Letter** is available at the back of the church.

## Posh Nosh & Natter

**Wednesday 19th November**

**12.30pm for 1.00pm in the Church Hall**

A quality 2 course lunch for everyone

### On the menu this month:

**Fish Pie with Broccoli & Carrots**  
*(vegetarian option available, please mention when booking)*  
**Hot Pudding or Fruit Salad**  
**Tea & Coffee**

Cost: Suggested voluntary donation of £4.00 per person

### **BOOKING is ESSENTIAL**

Sign the list in church or *phone*:  
Worthing 219672  
*or email*:

*office@stgeorgesworthing.org.uk*

**Bookings must be received by noon tomorrow, Monday 17th November**

## MONDAY GROUP...

will meet tomorrow, **Monday 17th**, at 7.30pm in the Church Hall when a representative from Link to Hope will be talking about their work in Eastern Europe. The following **Monday, 24th**, the Group will be meeting at Pat Hill's home to pack shoeboxes for the organisation. For more information please speak to one of the members of Monday Group.



## MEN'S GROUP CHRISTMAS MEAL

Christmas evening meal at Ye Olde House at Home, Broadwater Street East, Worthing on **Monday 1st December** at 8pm. Cost £15.95 per person. £5.00 deposits to Brian Masters by **Monday 24th November** please.

## FORTHCOMING EVENTS...

*more details at the back of the church...*

**Saturday 22nd November**

- Quiz Night  
River of Life Church, Broadwater Road. 7.00pm. Raffle, Supper, Bar. For WCHP

**Saturday 29th November**

- Christmas Coffee Morning  
Koinonia, 4 Winchester Road, 10am - noon

**Tuesday 2nd December**

- Faith in the Fog  
An evening with Jeff Lucas & Searchlight Theatre Company. Worthing Baptist Church 7.30pm

**Saturday 13th &**

**Sunday 14th December**

- Christmas Tree Festival  
St Botolphs Church, for WCHP

## COFFEE

Helen A is drawing up the new Coffee Rota for 2015. If you can commit to helping with this important part of our fellowship once every 6 - 8 weeks please have a word with her as soon as possible. The new rota will be available next month.



## BIBLE READING NOTES

It's the time of year to order your Bible Notes for 2015. There are lots of styles available including notes for very young children - it's never too early to start your child reading the Bible. To place an order or for more information please speak to **Robina Edser** as soon as possible. **Orders with payment must be received by 1st December.**