

BLOOD DONING

Tuesday 14th March & Thursday 30th March

1.30 - 4.30pm & 5.20 - 8pm

Charmandean Centre, Forest Road
Worthing.

Call 0300 123 23 23 to book your appointment or walk in.

Visit blood.co.uk for more information including alternative local donating

SAINSBURY'S ACTIVE KIDS 2017

Do you shop at Sainsbury's? Drop your unwanted Active Kids vouchers in the basket at the back of the church. They will be divided between Lyndhurst & Chesswood schools at the end of the scheme.



CONTACT INFORMATION:

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Office opening hours:

Monday, Thursday & Friday

9.30am - 12.30pm

Items for PEWS NEWS should reach the office by noon on Thursday.

What's On This Week...

Sunday 5th

8.00am Holy Communion

10.30am Family Service

Monday 6th

Tuesday 7th

6.00pm Brownies

7.00pm START

8.00pm Goring Home Group

Wednesday 8th

10.30am Vicarage Group

11.00am East Worthing Group

7.30pm Vicarage Group

Thursday 9th

9.15am Toddlers

Friday 10th

5.30pm Rainbows

7.00pm Guides - **FUNDRAISER**

7.30pm Music Group

Saturday 11th

9.30am All Saints

Men's Conference

Sunday 12th

10.30am Holy Communion

Safeguarding Representatives:

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SUNDAY 5th March

Lent 1

8.00am

Holy Communion

10.30am

Family Service

PEWS NEWS

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

Dear Everyone

Thank you very much for bringing the yummy cakes and donating so generously that we raised a massive **£201.47** for Ashburnham! Really happy that we raised so much money and had lots of fun. Hope you enjoyed it too.

love from Susannah, Ella, Chloe and all the children

*Has this inspired YOU to raise funds for the Ashburnham Weekend?
Have a word with Margaret Davey.*



ELECTORAL ROLL

The Electoral Roll is the basic list in every parish of all those entitled to vote on elections within the Church of England. Those entitled to have their names on this roll have to be 16 years of age or more, baptised, and reside in the relevant parish or be regular worshippers in the church whose roll they wish to join.

The Electoral Roll for St George's Parish has opened for revision and will close on **Sunday 19th March** after which date no amendments can be made.

Please check YOUR details on the list and then make any amendments or additions using the forms provided.

*You have to be on the roll in order to be eligible to vote for the PCC at the **Annual Parochial Church Meeting** which this year is on **Sunday 9th April** immediately following the 10.30am service.*

Any questions? Please see Helen A.

knowing Jesus and making him known

PRAYER NEEDS:

Members and friends of the fellowship in need of our prayers this week:

**Jean Carter; Irene Daley; Margaret Harris-Ross; Charlotte Hay;
David Marrow; Fiona Wareham**

- This week please pray for the people working and living in -
Dawes Avenue, Dawes Close and Devonport Road

*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.*



ST GEORGE'S HOME GROUPS...

Tuesday 7th

- **Goring Group** 8.00pm at 14 St Raphael Road (off Wallace Avenue)

Wednesday 8th

- **Vicarage Morning Group** 10.30am at Flat 3 Churton Court, 2a Navarino Road
- **East Worthing Group** 11.00am at - see Shirley Green
- **Vicarage Evening Group** 7.30pm at 31 Park Road

Please have a word with a greeter, a Warden or the Vicar if you would like to find out more about joining one of our informal Bible Study Groups.

CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE CO-ORDINATOR

We have started advertising for our Children's and Young People's Co-ordinator (please note the change of job title!). The closing date for applications is **7th April** and interviews will happen on **7th May**.

Please pray that the right person will come forward and for the team involved in appointing them.



Thanks to everyone who supported the Big Pancake Party last Tuesday.

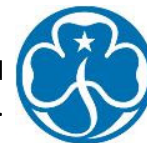
£80.00 was raised for the Church Urban Fund's Together Network, working against food poverty in the UK

OUR CHURCH ACTION PLAN 2017

At the beginning of this year our PCC (Church Council) agreed certain 'Aims & Objectives' to work on during the next 12 months. A sheet listing these objectives is now attached to the notice board at back of the Church. Also on this sheet is a summary of our Vision Statement for next 3 years. Do take a look and if you have any comments or questions please talk to a PCC member. We would welcome more involvement to achieve these targets so if you are able to help, please let us know. Peter R

16th WORTHING (St George's) GUIDES...

are currently fundraising to attend WS2017, an international Guide and Scout Camp which happens every 4 years at the Ardingly Show Ground. They need new tents and cooking equipment. They are holding an Events Evening, including a quiz, games and a cake sale, this **Friday, 10th March, 7 - 9pm** in the Church Hall. Please go along to support them.



THE ELEPHANT IN THE ROOM

Many of us live with challenging issues, such as divorce, being married to an unbelieving spouse, depression, growing older, etc. At the Diocesan Evangelical Fellowship Spring Conference on **Saturday 11th March**, we shall explore how our faith engages with such issues. The main input will be through Bible teaching and in seminars led by a person living with the issue. Further information see the leaflets at the back of the church or phone Robert Monroe on 07754 888630

CPAS MINISTRY AMONG WOMEN - Worthing Area...invite you to Offington Park Methodist Church for a workshop day - 'Preparing for Easter'. **Friday 17th March** 9.15am - 2.30pm. To book call 01903 265319. Cost £6. All ladies welcome.

Posh Nosh & Natter

Wednesday 22nd March

12.30pm for 1.00pm in the Church Hall

On the menu this month:

Boeuf Bourguignon with Root Mash & Broccoli

(vegetarian option available - please mention when booking)

Apple & Mincemeat Strudel and Cream or Fresh Fruit Salad

Tea or Coffee

Cost: Suggested voluntary donation of £4.00 per person

BOOKING is ESSENTIAL

Sign the list in church or phone: 01903 219672

or email: office@stgeorgesworthing.org.uk

Bookings must be received by noon Monday 20th March

NEW HOME NEEDED...

for a small, white and gold, 4 drawer chest of drawers on castors. May suit a child's room. See Linda Brooks for more details or call her on 235543

BIRTHDAY CAKE

The Birthday Cake for March will be on Sunday 26th (Mothering Sunday) and for April it will be on Sunday 16th (Easter Day). May remains unchanged