

"Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all people, especially to those who belong to the family of believers." Galatians 6:9-10

WELCOME to St Richard's News & Resources

Sunday 9 Nov – Remembrance Sunday

Lord's Supper - 10.45am

Romans 8:35-39

(Pete Winstone preaching and leading)

while St Richards doesn't have an evening gathering we are welcome to join All Saints from 6.30pm

Notices

Friendship Hour Monday 10th November, 2.30pm. Do come and join us and be entertained by 'The Ukulele Band'

Christmas Craft Evening Remember to book your place now for this event on Saturday 15th November. <https://allsaintscrowborough.churchsuite.com/events/ilue4let>

What's on in the week

MONDAYS

- **Southern Crowborough Café - First Monday of the month – 10am-12pm.**
Come for your morning coffee and meet folk from our local community.
- **Men's Sausage Roll Club - most Monday mornings**
If you're free on Monday mornings and would benefit from good company and conversation, then why not join this group. They currently meet in Waitrose at 10.30am. For more information have a chat with John Wayte.
- **Southern Crowborough Craft Group - 2-4pm every Monday.**
A craft group for anyone who likes to chat over coffee and crafting - meets in the lounge at St Richard's. For more info chat to Rosemary Longley.
- **Friendship Hour - second Monday of each month from 2.30pm.**
This is our companionship group for senior men and women. We have a great team of helpers, and where possible also try to provide transport for anyone who may need it. Please contact Dorothy (or Frances) for more details.

TUESDAYS

- **Little Seeds Toddler Group 10am till 12pm**

Meeting during term time, this provides a welcome meeting place for local parents and carers to socialise and bring their little one to enjoy playing and organised activities. First timers are welcome to come for a taster session just give Sarah a call to let us know you're coming.

WEDNESDAYS

- **Midday prayer at St Richard's – every week 12noon till 1pm**

Join with us as we think through what we heard on Sunday and to pray for our church, the community of southern Crowborough, the churches in Crowborough, the CofE and the world. **Just turn up, if you're the only one why not go on a prayer walk.**

- **The Barnabas Support Group - 10.30am – 12noon (usually every third Wednesday)**

Meeting in the Downstairs Rooms at All Saints Church to bring together those with dementia or memory loss problems and their carers for encouragement, sharing together, and information. All are welcome to come and join in these Coffee Mornings. For more information, please speak to Frances Sadd.

THURSDAYS

- **Monthly Church Family Prayer meeting – Evenings 7.15 for 7.30pm**

Come and join us to pray for our world, our nation, our community, our church, and ourselves! Come when you can go when you must. We finish by 9pm.

FRIDAYS

- **Ladies bible study – during term time at St Richard's 10:15 -11.30am**

An hour together to enrich our bible knowledge and grow in faith. Contact the church office if you think you'd like to join us!

- **Table Tennis – 7.30-9.30pm at St Richard's every week**

For beginners onwards – Just turn up! £2.50 per person. Bats, balls & a drink included. For more info contact Andrew Gibson

Opportunities to serve others

Crowborough Foodbank

St Richard's is a Foodbank collection point, for a list of acceptable items check out their [website](#)

Crowborough Pantry



This is open to anyone, regardless of circumstances, and aims to help both the planet and the community, by sharing donated food which would otherwise likely be wasted. You'll find them around the corner in Beechview Parade, Open:
Mondays: 10am until 11am Tuesdays: 2.30pm until 4pm,
Wednesdays: 10.30-11.30am

Thursdays: 6pm until 7pm Saturdays: 10am until 11am Sundays: 7pm – 7.30pm

Looking Ahead - Dates for your diary!

November Saturday 15th

Christmas Craft Evening

December Sunday 14th

Carols for all the Family 4pm. TBC

December Sunday 21st

Scratch Nativity 10.45am TBC

December Wednesday 24th

Christingle Service – 4pm TBC

December Thursday 25th

Christmas day All age Celebration service – 10am TBC

Sunday 16 Nov

Morning Service – 10.45am

Matthew 10:31-42

Steve Rees preaching and leading

Church Family Prayers

Sun 9 Nov – On this Remembrance Sunday, pray for our Communion Service with Pete Winstone, giving thanks for all the sacrifices made for an end to war.

Mon 10 Nov – Our thoughts are with Pat Hoyle, who has been too poorly for her operation to proceed. Pray for her recovery and a prompt reschedule.

Tues 11 Nov – Following hurricane Melissa, pray for the people of Jamaica and surrounding islands. May our Lord bring comfort to the bereaved and encouragement to clear and rebuild.

Wed 12 Nov – Pray for the changes taking place in St Richard's Church. "Ask and it will be given to you." Matthew 7:7.

Thurs 13 Nov – When doubts come to us about our future be it at home or church; "Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding". Proverbs 3:5.

Fri 14 Nov – A prayer of thanks to all involved with providing refreshments on Sundays and special occasions.

Sat 15 Nov – Pray for our brothers and sisters in war torn countries around the world, where there is no medication to relieve the suffering, and give thanks that we have here a continuing offer of the Flu and Covid inoculations.