

"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 14 Dec

Morning Service – 10.45am

Revelation 7

David Buck preaching and Dorothy leading

Carols for all the Family – 4pm

Adam Thrift preaching

followed by Bring & Share Afternoon Tea

Notices

- **CHRISTMAS SERVICES**

Nativity Service Sunday 21st 10.45am

Christingle Wednesday 24th 4pm

Christmas Day Celebration Thursday 25th 10am

- **Licensing Service** for Revd Pete Winstone as Associate Vicar with special responsibility for St Richard's, will take place at St Richard's Church on Wednesday 21st January 2026 7.30pm.

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!

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!

Sunday 28th December

10.45am Joint service at All Saints

Thursday 8th January 2026

Monthly Church Family Prayer Meeting
7.15pm for 7.30pm.

Wednesday 21st January 2026 7.30pm

Licensing Service for Pete Winstone

Sunday 21 Dec

Nativity Service – 10.45am

Luke 2: 8-15

Steve Rees preaching and leading