

St Richard's News & Prayers 18th – 25th Oct 2026

Sunday 18th October – Morning service – 10.45am

Genesis 5 Foundations – Death spreads to all

Pete Winstone preaching and leading

Notices

Bring hope to the streets of Crowborough this Halloween with *Streets of Light*. Decorate a window at home or work, including the words hope, light or love and light it up from 26 Oct – 01 Nov each evening to shine a light in the darkness. Register your window online to appear on the interactive map by **October 18th**. <https://www.streetsoflight.co.uk/>

Life series at Wetherspoons pub Monday 19th October, 7:30-9pm. A series of evening sessions discussing the bigger questions of life. There will be time to hear each-others opinions and examine the life and teaching of Jesus with an opportunity to ask ANY question. Book here <https://tinyurl.com/lifeOct26>

What's on this week...

Monday 19th October

Men's Sausage Roll Club, 10.30am at Waitrose Café.

Good company and conversation. For more information talk to John Wayte.

Southern Crowborough Craft Group, 2-4pm in the Lounge

Chat over coffee and crafting. For more information chat to Rosemary Longley

Life Series, 7.30 – 9pm at Wetherspoon's pub

An opportunity to discuss the bigger questions of life, hear others opinions and examine the life and teaching of Jesus.

Tuesday 20th

Little Seeds Toddler Group, 10am - 12pm

Come for a taster session, just give Sarah a call.

Wednesday 21st

Midday Prayer, 12pm in the Lounge

An informal time to reflect on the Sunday sermon and pray together.

Friday 23rd

Ladies bible study, 10:15 -11.30am in the Lounge

An hour together to grow in faith. For more information contact the church office.

Coming Up....

25 th Oct	Genesis 6:1-8	Foundations: The heart problem
1 st Nov	Genesis 6:9 -8:19	Foundations: God saves through judgement (Holy Communion)
8 th Nov	Genesis 8:20-9:17	Foundations: God's covenant commitment (All Age Service)
15 th Nov	Genesis 9:18-29	Foundations: Sin defeats even the best

Foyer refresh – over the next few weeks work will begin on the foyer. This will take place primarily during the half term break to ensure as little disruption as possible.

Save the date - Prosecco & Paint evening on Saturday 28th November, 7:30-9:30pm.

Isabelle will give a step by step workshop to create a Christmas picture to take home or give as a gift. There will be a short Christmas talk from Sarah Winstone and light refreshments. All materials provided. Please be thinking about who you could invite. Speak to Marilyn for more information. Booking is now open - <https://tinyurl.com/proseccopaint26>

St Richard's Church Family Prayers

Sun 18 Oct. Give thanks for opportunities to share fellowship with one another over refreshments after the service and at church family lunches. Pray for a deepening love for one another and unity in our congregation.

Mon 19 Oct. Pray that 'streets of light' will be both thought provoking and comforting in these dark October evenings. Pray that many people will take part and that the light of Jesus might be shown in Crowborough.

Tue 20 Oct. Thank God that he gives the gift of eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord. Pray that we would strive side-by-side to see this gift shared in our local community.

Wed 21 Oct. Give thanks for the opportunity to partner with All Saints for the Prom Praise weekend and other future events. Pray for mutual support and encouragement as we serve alongside our brothers and sisters who attend All Saints.

Thurs 22 Oct. Give thanks for the access we have to our heavenly Father through personal prayer. Ask that we will continue to grow in the areas that we find more difficult, such as adoration of God or persistent prayer.

Fri 23 Oct. Pray for the Ladies Bible Study as they meet today, asking that the Holy Spirit would reveal truth in the word.

Sat 24 Oct. Give thanks for the faithful endurance that the Lord has given our mission partners Alan and Jane Hutt at BeeHive Africa. Pray that they would continue to find strength in God and his unchanging word.

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