

St Giles Church

Newsletter

Lives being changed by the power of Jesus one person at a time



Vicar: Revd Josh Thorne

Sunday 12th October 2025



Pray With Us

Meet us on Zoom
Week day mornings
8.30-9am

Thursday evening
8-9pm

ID: 886 0781 8293
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Saturday 25th October
2.30-4.30pm
Church Centre

Sunday 12th October
Giving Day & International Lunch

MORNING WORSHIP with Holy Communion

10am: Ruth Alexander | Josh Thorne

Reading: 2 Corinth 9: 6-15

Theme: Giving

7pm: Ruth Alexander | Josh Thorne

Mid-week Holy Communion service

Thursday 11am, Church Centre

What's on at St Giles in OCTOBER?

Alpha
Wednesday evenings

Giving Day & International Lunch
12th October

Pray with Us, Church Centre
25th October, 2.30-4.40pm

Pumpkin Heroes Party
31st Oct (tbc)

Please check the calendar on our [website](#) for full details

THANK YOU!

Thank you to everyone who donated supplies on Harvest Sunday in support of the Food Bank, Weston Favell. Thank you Ann for transporting these. We pray that those in need will continue to be blessed during this coming season.

There is a wealth of difference between missions or campaigns at their best and genuine revival. In the former man takes the initiative, it may be with the prompting of the Spirit; in the latter, the initiative is God's- Arthur Wallis In the day of Thy Power

GIVING DAY AND INTERNATIONAL MEAL

Sunday 12th October

Join us on Sunday as we give thanks for all that God is doing amongst us and as we pray and give towards the vision that God has given us here at St Giles. We want to celebrate God's goodness by sharing an **International-themed lunch** in the Church. Please sign up on [ChurchSuite](#) as soon as possible.



Last chance to sign up. If you've missed the launch and week 1 you can still join us on week 2 when the topic will be: "Why did Jesus die?" Book your place on [ChurchSuite](#)

Please note:

St Giles car park will be reserved for Alpha guests every Wednesday evening until 10th Dec and on Sat 15th Nov. Thank you for your understanding.



Speak to Beth for more information.

OPEN DINING ROOM

We have now been running Open Dining room every Friday during the winter for three years offering a safe warm space, activities and a free hot meal. **There are two ways we would love you to be involved**, firstly you can **pray** for Open Dining Room and secondly you could **volunteer**. Volunteers for various roles are needed in two shifts (4-6pm and 6-8pm) on Friday nights from November - March (incl the School holidays). Role descriptions are available. You can sign up for as few or as many Fridays as you wish.

PUMPKIN PARTY

The Pumpkin Party is always lots of fun, but to run them we need a team who are able to host games on the evening or mingle and chat with the families who come to the party. If you might be able to help please speak to Beth.



YOUTH GROUP

We would love to be able to **re-start a youth group** for our young people on a Wed eve in the church centre. If you would be **interested in helping** with this please speak to Beth. This role will require an enhanced DBS.



I know it's early but...

Sign up for the choir or orchestra for our Carol Service on 21st Dec (speak to Stephen H)

Sunday 19th October

MORNING WORSHIP

10am: Josh Thorne | Peter Angus
Reading: Philemon 1-7
Theme: Partnership in the Faith
7pm: Josh Thorne | Dan Blight
Holy Communion will be served during the evening service

You may be interested in...

Vacancy PA to Director of Education, Peterborough Diocese. More info [here](#)
Vacancy Parish Administrator, Kingsthorpe. More info [here](#)

Church Office Hours

Monday: 1-3pm
Tues - Fri: 10-3pm

Staff days off
Josh: Friday
Beth: Saturday
Ruth: Saturday

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