

Dates to remember:

25th April 6pm: Quiz Night

10th May 11:45am: Annual Parochial Church Meeting

12th & 19th May 7pm: Catholic & Reformed: How did we become Anglicans?

16th May 11am: Parish Quiet Day

27th June: Parish Trip to Rochester

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Please take this notice sheet away with you. There are copies available to give to a friend or neighbour who is not able to be in church.

Items for the newsletter should be notified to Fr Daniel via email by Tuesday morning.

St Stephen Norbury & Thornton Heath Newsletter

19th April 3rd Sunday of Easter

Sun 19th Apr 3rd Sunday of Easter	8am: Said Eucharist (Fr Daniel Burton) 10am: Sung Eucharist with Admission to First Communion & Anointing (President – Fr Daniel Burton; Preacher – Mthr Joyce Forbes)
Wed 22nd Apr	10am: Said Eucharist (Mthr Joyce Forbes)
Thu 23 Apr George, martyr & Patron of England	10:30am: Pegasus Community Choir Rehearsal
Sat 25th Apr Mark the Evangelist	10am: Festal Said Eucharist (Fr Daniel Burton) 6pm for 6:30pm: Quiz Night!
Sun 26th Apr 4th Sunday of Easter	8am: Said Eucharist (Fr Daniel Burton) 10am: Sung Eucharist (President & Preacher – Fr Daniel Burton)

PRAYING FOR THE PARISH. This month we are praying for all those who live in Beechwood Avenue and Warlingham Road. Our thanks to Helen Doe who carries out this important ministry. As we pray for those who live in our parish, it's good to use our own gifts and personal contacts to invite our neighbours to come to St Stephen's for a visit or a service.

THE BREAD AND WINE. For £5.00 the elements can be dedicated to a loved one or to mark a special occasion. Please speak to Andrea Anderson if you would like to make a dedication.

If you would like to receive these newsletter digitally each week, please email Fr Daniel via vicarnth@gmail.com to let him know.

Fr Daniel will be doing two talks (similar to the talk last year on the Nicene Creed) on 12th & 19th May at 7pm called '**Catholic and Reformed: How did we become Anglicans?**'. The 1st talk will look at the history of the Church of England from 1533-1714; the 2nd will focus on the history of Anglicanism from 1714 until today, including Anglicanism's journey around the globe. All are welcome – this will be a great opportunity to learn more about the history and beliefs of Anglicanism.

After a very successful concert last month, the **Pegasus Community Choir** will be re-starting rehearsals at 10:30am on Thursday 23rd April, with rehearsals on succeeding Thursdays at the same time. All are welcome!

There is a sign-up sheet for our **Quiz Night** which will be on 25th April, doors open 6pm, quiz starts 6:30pm. Tickets for adults are £15, for children £8, which includes fish & chips. There will be a bar serving drinks too. Please sign up for our quiz night! **The last day to book for the quiz will be Sunday 19th April!** Please pay in advance by giving cash to Coral Martin, or by bank transfer to: St Stephens PCC 40-35-01 61059572 with reference QUIZ.

Our **Annual Parochial Church Meeting** (where we review life at St Stephen's over the past year and elect Church Wardens) will be on Sunday 10th May directly after the 10am Sung Eucharist. If you would like to join our **Electoral Roll** (which means you can vote at the meeting) please speak with either Jennifer Brathwaite or Fr Daniel. **Sunday 19th April will be the last Sunday you can join the Electoral Roll.**

At the APCM, we will be **electing new Parochial Church Council and Deanery Synod members**. There are 4-5 (depending) places on the PCC, as well as 3 places on Deanery Synod up for election this year. Please find application forms to be elected to the PCC and Deanery Synod at the back of church – you will need a proposer and seconder. If you have any questions, please give Fr Daniel a call.

Aileen Ross will be leading a **Quiet Day in church** on Saturday 16th May from 11am. All are welcome. This is an excellent opportunity to deepen your prayer life and spirituality.

Fr Daniel will be away on a residential training course organised by the Diocese for incumbents from 20th-23rd April. He will be swapping his day off this week to Friday 24th April.

Our parish church relies upon your financial donations to survive and flourish. You can give by standing order on a regular basis, with cash or card on a Sunday, or via QR code. Please scan the QR code below to make a donation:

