

ST GODWALD'S CHURCH, FINSTALL

SUNDAY March 21st 2021

Fifth Sunday of Lent

Passion Sunday

Alternative Collect for today:

Lord Jesus Christ,
who hast taught us
that what we do for the least of our brothers
and sisters
we do also for thee:
give us the will to be the servant of others
as thou wast the servant of all,
who gavest up thy life and didst die for us,
yet livest and reignest, now and for ever.

TODAY'S SERVICES:

10.30 am Morning Worship (zoom)

- Rosemary Sumner

This service joining details are:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6255825148>

Meeting ID: 6255825148

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4.00 pm Celtic – Rosemary Sumner (zoom)

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SUNDAY SERVICES for rest of month

28th March: Palm Sunday

10.30 am The Liturgy of the Palms with Holy
Communion – Rev David Ford & Team



We remember **George Barrett** who
died on the 10th of March.

He was a regular member of our

Wednesday morning services and will be
missed.

Our Rector David is now on sabbatical for six
weeks returning for Palm Sunday on
28th March. Please direct any enquiries to
either Ray Khan or Bev Robertson, to one of
the churchwardens at All Saints or
St Godwald's or to Heather Evans, Parish
Administrator as appropriate. If David needs to
be contacted in an emergency, one of the
below will do this. Thank you!

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Heather's hours are 9.30am-1.30pm on
Tuesdays and Wednesdays. In order to
provide Heather with a COVID19 safe
environment, the parish office, Ruth Heald
Room, toilets and kitchens at St Godwald's are
now to be considered 'out of bounds' please.
Heather welcomes visitors but please arrange
this in advance and all visitors must wear a
face mask.

ONLINE COURSE on the BIBLE

St John's is
hosting an
online
course, on



the Bible starting on **Thursday 4th Feb 7pm;**
the following sessions will be on Thursday
evenings at 7pm ending on 25th March and
lasting about an hour.

If you are interested then please email Ray
Khan rev.stjohns.bromsgrove@gmail.com

BIBLE STUDY COFFEE MORNING

Bible Study will meet by zoom on **Thursday 11am to 12 noon.**

Everyone is very welcome including new members.



The **JOINING INSTRUCTIONS** for Bible Study are: **Meeting ID: 886 7177 6384**

Passcode: ix723S

THE FINANCIAL IMPACT OF COVID-19

As you know, the financial impact of COVID-19 on the church is enormous. Please keep setting aside your weekly offerings. Ask for envelopes if this would help.

If you can make a one-off gift to the church at this time, or take out a standing order in favour of

St Godwald's, this would be very much appreciated.

Our bank details are:

NatWest, 124 High Street, Bromsgrove, B61 8HJ

Account Name: St Godwalds PCC

Sort Code: 60 04 05 Account No: 03326136

If asked, this is a business account.

Thank you!

100 Club

Thanks to all those who have renewed their membership of the 100 Club. Your support is appreciated.

If you haven't already done so, it is not too late
Pat Archer

A message from St Basil's:

Judith's kind donations to St Basil's from the sale of her books

I would like to take this opportunity to share with you how the residents at St Basil's will benefit from the money that Judith has donated from the sale of her poem books. The money has been a huge benefit to our young people and the project as we are able to purchase items that would not normally be an option.

As you all know it has been a difficult 12 months for everyone and residents at the project have found the restrictions extremely challenging.

Due to Covid restrictions there has been less face to face contact with residents and staff felt all young people needed to know they hadn't been forgotten.

Although resident's bedsits are fully equipped with cooking facilities, from donations we received we were able to offer a home cooked hot meal to all residents on a weekly basis and part of Judith's donations were included in this.

Other items purchased were:

- Puzzle books
- Art and craft items
- Chocolates and a goody bag for each resident at Christmas

As restrictions are slowly lifting I have had conversations with residents about spending time outside in the projects garden making flower beds and vegetable plots, to enhance their mental well-being as well as teaching them gardening skills.

- A summer picnic, sports competitions are other ideas that have recently been talked about, which Judith's donations will contribute towards.
- Easter eggs will also be purchased for each resident as a little treat.

Donations also help our residents if they are in crisis and need help to purchase any essential items.

All donations are extremely appreciated and help our young people to achieve small goals and increase their health and well-being.