



This Sunday 28 February

Join us online for our Sunday services.

You can watch these services by visiting stpaulsealing.com and scrolling down to the 'Sunday Online' section on the homepage, or click on the livestream button on our app. The services are also streaming on our YouTube channel for those who are watching via Smart TV and there is a St Paul's Ealing app on AppleTV.

9.15am & 11am Morning Worship / Lessons from the wilderness - Exile / Ruth, Faithfulness under pressure / Ruth 1:1-22
6.30pm Evening Worship / Promises for Life / Lover never fails / Romans 8 / 35-39

At 10am, watch our Kids online service by visiting https://www.facebook.com/stpaulskidsealing

Sunday Ministry on Zoom

There is an opportunity for prayer ministry after our 9.15am, 11am & 6.30pm Sunday services have finished. If you would like someone to pray for you then straight after the service you can click on the Zoom link next to the Livestream on the St Paul's website. This will take you into a Zoom call where you'll be connected with two members of the prayer ministry team who will pray for you for a few minutes. For more info please contact either jacqui@stpaulsealing.com or lindsay@stpaulsealing.com

Sunday Coffee & Community on Zoom

After our Sunday services we'll be gathering for coffee and community time via the Zoom links on the Sunday Online page of the St Paul's website. We look forward to welcoming you. The call will last 30 minutes and breakout rooms of 4-5 people (depending on numbers) will be set up.

Church Life

Besom

Besom is a ministry at St Paul's that seeks to make a difference for households who are most in need. Over the past few weeks we have delivered a bed to a young girl who was rehomed after being homeless.

We have given curtains and blinds and baby clothes to a multi occupancy home of several single mums and their children as well as DVD players & DVDs to families with children at home whilst the schools have been closed.

We do this via our weekly van runs where each Thursday we collect items from those wanting to give and deliver them to those most in need. There is a tremendous need in our community at the moment and we're always looking to grow the team. If you would be interested in joining the van run team perhaps once a month on a Thursday evening then please do contact Jo Smith via jo@stpaulsealing.com or you could join our Besom Team Meeting this Monday evening at 8pm via zoom. You can get the link by emailing Jo.

New Book Club

Wednesday's during term time / 1-2pm / zoom

Tim Radcliffe would love to invite you to join this midweek book club that he will be running, weekly during term time on a Wednesday between 1pm and 2pm on zoom. It will start on Wednesday 10 March. What we read will reflect the interests of the group and the primary goal will be to enjoy gathering together for a chat and a chance to discuss a couple of chapters from a book that we have committed to read during the week. Ideally, you will be able to source the agreed book(s) yourself.

If this sounds like your kind of fun, then please express your interest by emailing Tim on tim@stpaulsealing.com

Weekly Lent Reflections - 'Journeying towards the light'

Join us this Lent as we 'journey towards the light' from Ash Wednesday through to the joy of Easter Sunday. Each Wednesday, starting from 17 February (Ash Wednesday), an email will be sent to your inbox with a 5-7 minute reflection and prayer from Simeon Thorne which can be accessed either as a video or simply read through as text. Our prayer is that as we do this together we will draw closer to Jesus and know more of His hope in our lives. To sign up for these reflections go to stpaulsealing.com

Contact / Simeon Thorne / simeon@stpaulsealing.com

Sustainability Interest Group

Last Thursday Evening of each month

A new interest group is started last month and is focused around sustainability. They will next meet tonight, 25 February, at 7pm on zoom, and will be discussing why, we as Christians, should be caring for our planet and how we can help each other do this. If you are interested visit our website or contact Jack (jack@stpaulsealing.com) or Anusha (anusha.couttigane@gmail.com)

Life Groups

At St Paul's we have a number of Life Groups that meet during the week. They are a place where we can develop relationships; sharing life together, exploring & growing in faith together and praying together. We have Core Life Groups that meet throughout the year, Interest Life Groups that are focused on a particular activity usually for a term at a time, and Courses. There are some new Core Life Groups starting soon. To find details about them do visit our website. If you have a particular interest that you think could run as a life group this term then please do contact Monica Backes (lifegroups@stpaulsealing.com) with the details.

If you'd like to find out more or join a Core Life Group then you can find more details on stpaulsealing.com or you can contact Guy & Kari Loureiro via lifegroups@stpaulsealing.com

Wednesday Communion

We will be live-streaming our 9.30am Wednesday Communion service this via the St Paul's website (stpaulsealing.com) or click on the livestream button on our app. The service will also be streaming on our YouTube channel for those who are watching via Smart TV and there is a St Paul's Ealing app on AppleTV.

Young Adult Social

Bingo with a Twist

Thursday 4 March / 8pm / Zoom

Join us for an evening of Bingo like you've never played before! Hosted by Izzy Cole, we'll be playing normal bingo with the chance to breakout into teams & go head to head in challenges. Why not come along with friends for an evening you're yet to have in lockdown! Sign up on the Young Adults page at stpaulsealing.com

Contact / Ben Strain / David Cervera / Izzy Cole

Women

Connect for women

Connect is happening on zoom of course (sigh) on Thursday mornings. This coming Thursday, 4 March, we'll be in session 5 of a series looking at the book of Romans. Zoom link on the website or from your group leader. Join at 9.45am with a coffee for chat and get ready for a 10am start. Our programme is on the website too, just next to the 9.45 zoom link. Looking ahead to Thursday 18 March, Connect will be taking part in projects for the community and if you'd like to take part you'd be so welcome. More info from your group leader or if you're not in Connect and you'd like to be, contact me and I'd love to arrange it for you.

Lindsay Melluish, lindsay@stpaulsealing.com

Children's Ministry

Great and Small

Join us for Great and Small on Wednesday (3/1) on Zoom. We will be learning about a Bible story, sing some songs, do a craft and hear from Ruffy. Sign up online. https://stpaulsealing.com/group/kids/

Online Family Worship

Join us for our Online Family Worship on Sunday mornings, we are continuing our series on the life of Jesus. You can watch on Youtube from 8am and we will be live on Facebook at 10am. Tamlyn has also emailed activity sheets to go along with the lesson, to all parents. We hope to see you there!

Life Groups

Life Groups are starting this coming week on Zoom from Nursery - Year 6. Sign up online to receive the Zoom link. https://stpaulsealing.com/group/kids/

Contact / Tamlyn Carshagan / tamlyn@stpaulsealing.com

Youth News

Quiz Night

Join us in a few weeks time as we gather to answer questions about music, sports, pop culture, history & much more. Great opportunity to invite friends!

Year 7 - 9 / Wednesday 17 March / 7-8pm

Year 10 - 13 / Tuesday 16 March / 7-8pm

Socials

Among us

Sunday / years 10-13 / 6pm / Zoom

Each week we play Among us. Join us as we play the popular game together! You can find the link on the website.

Midweek

Lifegroups

You can join our small groups throughout the week. It's a great opportunity to make friends and ask questions about faith. For more information contact Izzy Cole

Wednesday Night Youth

Every Wednesday / Years 7 - 9 / 7pm / Zoom

With our younger youth we compete in fun challenges, chat about the bible & this term we're looking at the Beatitudes in Matthew 5

Sunday

Younger Youth

Sunday / years 7-9 / 5pm / Zoom

We play games, catch up with friends and hear all about our favourite Psalms

Upper Room

Sunday / year 10-13 / 6.30pm / Zoom

We're interested in what you're watching on Netflix, YouTube & TikTok. Join in with us each week to chat about your favourites.

Social Media

Follow us on Tiktok & Instagram @ealing_youth

You can find all the links you'll need on the website https://stpaulsealing.com/group/youth/

To sign up to the mailing list, for support or information please email Izzy Cole - izzy@stpaulsealing.com

St Paul's Wholeness Centre

Counselling and Therapy Opportunities

We have currently ceased to offer all face to face therapy and counseling until restrictions ease, which we hope will be in the not too distant future.

We are pleased, however, to have been able to move to a 'remote' counseling and therapy service (telephone/other internet-based platforms) for those who are currently receiving support through the Centre and this is working well for many of our clients.

If you are looking for therapeutic support at this time and are interested in exploring whether this remote way of working might suit you, then an initial appointment would help you decide. We are interested in exploring whether this remote way of working might suit you, then an initial appointment would help you decide. We are interested in exploring whether this remote way of working might suit you, then an initial appointment would help you decide. We are interested in exploring whether this remote way of working might suit you, then an initial appointment would help you decide.

Wholeness Centre Administrator, Jacqui Hawkins via wholeness@stpaulsealing.com. You will then receive an application form to complete, and once we have reviewed your referral and deemed it suitable for our service, we will contact you to offer an initial appointment.

Prayer

Please pray for..

Climate Action - As we see more extreme weather conditions across the planet causing destruction and loss of life, pray for action to tackle climate change. Pray for leaders and influencers in government, business, and large organisations across the world. Pray for populations to embrace change.

Endurance - After the recent 'roadmap' out of lockdown from the Prime Minister, ask the Holy Spirit for the strength and peace to endure to the different dates of restrictions easing. Pray for those for whom life is especially difficult or dull.

Vaccine - Give thanks for the progress made so far from the vaccine being rolled out. Pray for everyone to feel confident and safe to have the vaccine, especially in communities where there is skepticism.

Sports men and women - Give thanks for all the professional sport that can be enjoyed at the moment. Pray for those who live in bio-bubbles in order to be able to play professional sport whether that's abroad or in the UK. Pray for them and their families - for peace and their mental wellbeing.

Thursday Morning Prayer Meeting

Our Thursday morning church prayer meeting is from 7-7.45am, so why not join us next week from your home via Zoom. Follow the button on the website homepage and Mark will let you into the call.

For more information contact Mark Melluish via mark@stpaulsealing.com

Ealing Foodbank update

The Foodbank is needed more than ever at this time. Foodbank cafes are currently closed, and they are only distributing food for those with food vouchers from St Mellitus Church between 10-12am on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday.

They have set Wednesday, 10am-4pm, aside as a day for delivery of donations. This month they are looking for the following: UHT Milk, semi-skimmed or full-fat, not skimmed • Long Life Fruit juice or squash • Tinned Fish • Savoury biscuits and crackers • Ready Made Custard, Cans or Cartons • Vegetarian Chilli or Curry • Tinned Tomatoes • Peanut Butter • Shaving Gear - Foam & Razors • Sanitary Towels (not tampons or panty liners)

So if you are able, please drop these to the warehouse (St Mellitus Church Hall, Sevenhills, W7 3BB) on Wednesday (10am-4pm). If you are unable to volunteer help in any way, please contact Janet Fletcher on 07769 759756 or email info@ealing.foodbank.org.uk.

Ealing Foodbank Vacancy

Deputy Manager (fixed term contract) for Ealing Foodbank

We are looking for someone to cover maternity leave from April 2021 to (at the latest) May 2022.

The successful applicant will have a passion to help those who find themselves in food crisis, share our vision to work for a future where foodbank's are not needed and have excellent admin skills.

This is a paid, full time post, based in our office in Hanwell, and the closing date is tomorrow, Friday 26 February.

The application form, full job description and person specification are available on our website https://ealing.foodbank.org.uk/2021/02/12/deputy-manager-mat-cover/

Giving

Giving at St Paul's Ealing

If your usual practice is to give to the ministry and mission of St Paul's by putting money in the collection or using the weekly envelopes did you know you can give via bank transfer (St Paul's Ealing PCC / Lloyds Bank / Account number: 00802540 / Sort Code: 30 92 82) or for those coming physically coming there will be a basket by the exit for an offering. If you have started, or intend to start giving in this way please let our treasurer, Vicky Read know via vicky@stpaulsealing.com