



St Margaret's Church, Frizinghall

It is the desire of this fellowship to live out and give out the good news of the love of Jesus Christ

January Newsletter

If this is your first time with us or are visiting, we're happy you are joining us today! If you have any questions or would like to find out more about St Margaret's then please speak to a member of our welcome team, Churchwarden or Service leaders. We hope you will join us for after-service refreshments (we make a great cup of tea!)

Church News

Happy New Year to everyone at SMCF. We are grateful for all the ways God carried us and blessed us in 2019, and we expect that He will do great things among us in 2020! The Leadership and PCC are excited to share with you all what we sense the Lord has said to us about who we are and where we are going as a church. The service on the 2nd February will be our official Vision Sunday, and we would love for all members of St. Margaret's to be part of that service. We believe that the Lord has given us a vision for the church, but how that vision will be realised over the coming years will be shaped by every member of the church. The Vision Sunday is therefore designed to give every member of the church a voice in the future of St. Margaret's. So do put 2nd February in the diary - we would love to see you and hear what ideas the Lord might bring through you.

The next work session for the guys to improve the outside space at church is coming up on the 19th January. We will start right after the service, and it is a great opportunity not only to look after our garden and building, but also to build stronger relationships with each other.

Services

Sunday 12th January - 10am: Holy Communion "Jesus forgives - anointing in the house of Simon the Pharisee"

Speaker: Archdeacon Andy Jolley

Sunday 19th January - 10am: "Jesus brings love and a relationship with him - Mary and Martha"

Speaker: Thomasses

Sunday 26th January- 10am: Holy Communion "Jesus brings healing - Jesus and the haemorrhaging woman"

Sunday 2nd Feb- 10am: VISION SUNDAY! Jesus welcomes the outsiders that others reject - Jesus at Levi's house.

◀ Dates for your diary ▶

Wednesday 8th January – Bring and share all church prayer will be on Wednesday 5 February, dinner at 5pm and prayer to follow. Prayer is central to our life and growth as a church, come along to fellowship with one another and seek God together.

Wednesday 8th January – Over 50's meal meetig in the church hall 12pm for 12:30 serving

Thursday 9th December – Over 50's meeting in the crèche room @ 2pm.
Please come in through the bottom door on St Margaret's Road

Regular Weekly Events

Tuesdays: 9.45-11.45am - PATCH

Wednesdays: 10am-12pm - Places of welcome cafe & knitting group

Thursdays: 10:15 – 11:45am Keep-fit for the over 50's Christ Church
Windhill **Thursdays:** 6.30-7.15pm -Homework club

◀ Prayer Space ▶

13 January- Please pray for those who came to the Christmas event who expressed interest in knowing more about Jesus, that God would continue to work in their hearts and lives.

20 January - As we start a new year, let's pray that God will continue to build our church, in our maturity and in bringing new people to join us.

27 January - Please pray for our youth work, that God will provide the people and financial resources needed to grow this important area of ministry. We have several youth and those coming into the youth group, and we want to see them thriving in their faith.

Also we continue to pray for all those suffering in body, mind, spirit or grief



Missed a sermon? Listen again to all our sermons & talks via our website! Have something for next months newsletter? The submission deadline will be **Wednesday 29th January**. Please email items directly to our administrator, Amy Milner, on amy@admin.co.uk and copy in Olau on olau@smcf-church.org.uk.

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