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> Our website is always up-to-date. For the latest news, services and events, visit st-nics.org

If you would like to receive our regular church news email, please email office@st-nics.org

#### **Church Office**

Open Monday to Friday, 9.30am to 4.00pm St Nicolas Hall, West Mills, Newbury, RG14 5HG

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# Explore life, faith, meaning

Starting 25 January Thursday evenings, 7.30-9.30pm

More info and sign up at st-nics.org/alpha





### **Vision Breakfast**

Saturday 3 February, 9.30-11.00am

We want to update and consult our church family on three key areas of our vision.

Join us over croissants and coffee to hear more and find out what part you can play.

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### **CAP NEWBURY DEBT CENTRE**

**NOW OPEN!** 

Free debt advice and personal support in Newbury and the surrounding area.

Interested in getting involved with our support team? Contact: colincunningham@capuk.org



Sun 24 Mar

10am 6pm

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**Palm Sunday Celebration** A Gospel in a Night

Thur 28 Mar 7.30pm

**Maundy Thursday Communion** 

Fri 29 Mar

10.30am 2pm

**CTNA Good Friday Service Good Friday Meditation** 

Sun 31 Mar

**Easter Day Family Communion** 

**Easter Evening praise** 



# Week at St Nicolas

SUNDAY	10.00am	Morning Service Children's and youth groups for 0-14 yrs Our 10am service is livestreamed
	6.00pm	Contemporary Evening Worship
	6.00pm	<b>Benefice Choral Evensong</b> 1st Sunday of each month at St Mary's Speer
MONDAY	9.50am	<b>Hidden Treasures</b> (Toddler Group) A place to find fun, friendship and faith
	1.30am	<b>Tiny Treasures</b> (Babies and crawlers) New group for 2024!
	7.30pm	<b>Meet Monday</b> (1st Monday of each month) For adults with learning disabilities & autism
TUESDAY	9.45am	Foundations Women's Bible study (crèche available)
	2.00pm	Newbury Friends Together Lively conversation over tea and cake
	8.00pm	<b>Encounter</b> (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month) Church prayer meeting
WEDNESDAY	9.00am	Morning Prayer
	11.30am	<b>Listening Space</b> Someone to listen, someone to pray
THURSDAY	10.00am	Charity Coffee Morning
	10.30am	Holy Communion
	7.30pm	Alpha

#### **SMALL GROUPS**

These meet weekly or fortnightly throughout the week. Please contact our Associate Rector, Joy Mawdesley, for more details.



StNicsKids is our ministry for families of 0-10 yrs connected to St Nic's Church. We run activities on Sunday mornings

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and during the week. Contact our Children's Minister, Sarah South

#### YOUTH PROGRAMME

We run groups and activities for 11-18s on Sundays and during the week. Please contact our Youth Minister, Clare Caskie.

#### **MUSIC & WORSHIP**

If you are interested in playing or singing in our services, please speak to one of the worship leaders on Sunday. If you would likto join our choir, contact the church office.

#### PASTORAL CARE

St Nic's has an experienced pastoral care team. If you have a specific pastoral need you think we could help with, please speak to one of the clergy or email pastoralcare@st-nics.org

# **Sunday Services**

10am

#### **COUNTER-CULTURAL CHRISTIANITY** (THE SERMON ON THE MOUNT) **14** JAN A different people Matthew 5:1-16 **21** JAN A different standard Matthew 5:17-30 28 JAN A different righteousness Matthew 5:31-48 4 FEB A different religion Matthew 6:1-18 11 **FEASTING** Isaiah 25:1-9 **Chinese New Year Celebration** 18 **FASTING** Matthew 4:1-11 All Age Celebration 25 FEB THANKSGIVING SERVICE Philippians 4:10-20

#### COUNTER-CULTURAL CHRISTIANITY (cont'd)

3 MAR	A different ambition	Matthew 6:19-34
<b>10</b> MAR	A different relationship	Matthew 7:1-12
<b>17</b> MAR	Two ways to live	Matthew 7:13-29

24	PALM SUNDAY	
MAR	All Age Celebration	

 $31_{\text{MAR}}$  Easter day family communion

# 6pm

WHO AM I? (THE 'I AM' SAYINGS)				
<b>14</b> JAN	What's in a name?	Exodus 3:1-15		
<b>21</b> JAN	Bread from heaven	John 6:25-59		
28 JAN	Light in darkness	John 8:12-30		
4 FEB	Safety gate	John 10:1-10		
<b>11</b> FEB	Good shepherd	John 10:11-21		
<b>18</b> FEB	Glorious life-giver	John 11:1-44		
<b>25</b> FEB	Way, truth & life	John 14:1-14		
3 MAR	THANKSGIVING SERVICE	Philippians 4:10-20		
<b>10</b> Mar	True vine	John 15:1-17		
<b>17</b> MAR	A BOOK IN A NIGHT – Philemon			
<b>24</b> MAR	A GOSPEL IN A NIGHT – Journey with John			
<b>31</b> MAR	EASTER EVENING PRAISE			