

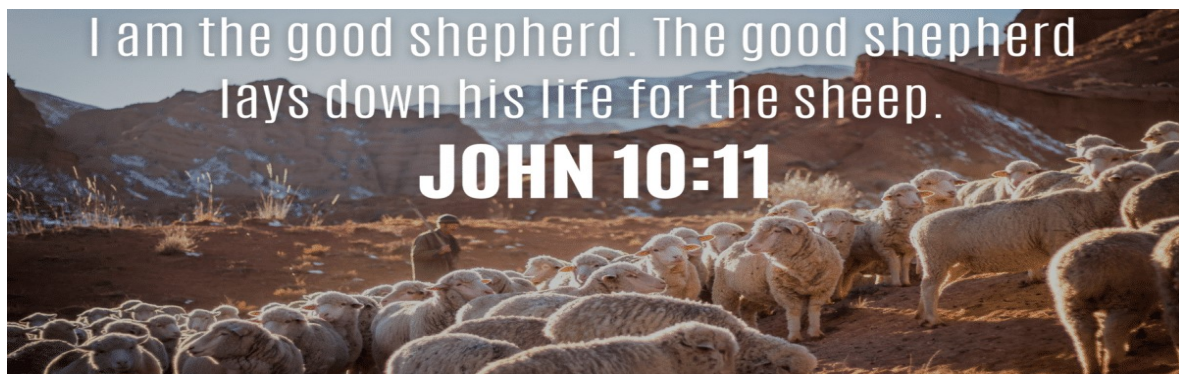
# Chaplaincy Pew News

## SOTOGRADE & SAN PEDRO Congregations

San Pedro Anglican Service at 10.00 am Sotograde Anglican Service at 12 noon

**The Other Sheep  
(with Tony Carroll)**

<u>Hymns</u>	<u>Reading</u>	<u>Page</u>
50 Be Still for the Presence of the Lord	Acts 4: 4-12	1095
245 How Great is our God	1 John 3: 16-24	1227
1072 In Christ Alone	John 10: 11-18	1076
23 All Things Bright and Beautiful		



Sunday School at both churches, contact -  
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### SERVICES ON-LINE

If you would like to follow a service online try this one.

**SAN PEDRO:** Last Sunday's Anglican service

[https://youtube.com/watch?v=KPW7HgR\\_DAM&list=PLUiVcTDyacFSGW-oyEizpdWdOJIWpDbTa](https://youtube.com/watch?v=KPW7HgR_DAM&list=PLUiVcTDyacFSGW-oyEizpdWdOJIWpDbTa)

If you would like to receive an electronic copy of the Gibraltar Methodist Church monthly Newsletter, please ask Graham Gibbens: [grahamgibbens@gmail.com](mailto:grahamgibbens@gmail.com)

### FORTHCOMING SERVICES

SAN PEDRO	Every Sunday Anglican 10 am with Tony Carroll
SOTOGRADE	First Sunday of the month 12 noon Methodist Service
SOTOGRADE	All other Sunday's Anglican 12 noon with Tony Carroll

## “Past, Present and Future of the Chaplaincy”

The purpose of our away day in May is to begin a process of reflection and discernment in the chaplaincy, so that we can gradually discover the Lord’s vision for it now.

The recent history of the chaplaincy has experienced many blessings and challenges.

After the traumatic death of Alan Maude, an interregnum, and the appointment and ministry of Adrian and Joanna, Covid, Brexit, another two-year interregnum following the departure of Adrian and Joanna, and now the arrival of Tony and Gisela in 2023, together with several changes of church wardens and treasurers, this is a time to take stock of things.

This Away Day aims to do this through first reflecting on our past, then considering our present situation, and finally, in the light of this, beginning the process of discerning a vision to take us into our fiftieth anniversary year in 2025.

The day itself, which will be from **10 am to 4 pm**, will naturally only be a start of this process of reflection and discernment, but I hope that it will be an important opportunity for us to stand back and to reflect together in a spirit of thanksgiving on all that the Lord has done for us during these last fifty years as we continue the journey towards a future that the Lord is calling us to now. Tony.

It is on **4th May** at the home of Michael and Vivian Harvey Cortijo El Papudo, San Martin del Tesorillo (a map and directions will be available)

**Please let us know if you are able to offer transport, or would like transport, so we can marry up the two**

**Numbers will be limited so let your warden know if you want to attend.**



**On the same day, for those not going to the Away Day there is a Ladies Breakfast organised by The Wave.**

### **Menu 1:**

Poached Egg, Bacon & Tomato, or

### **Menu 2:**

Avocado & Tomato

(if you have any food sensitivities please let Melanie know)

\*All menus come with seasonal fruit, bottomless tea & coffee, a variety of rolls with butter & jam and a welcome glass of fresh orange juice.

**Melanie’s number - 637 408 195**

# The Chaplaincy has regular weekly events, open to all.

## Sabinillas Tuesday Coffee Mornings

We meet each Tuesday from **11am** for coffee and a chat at  
**The Café, American Bistro,**  
at the eastern end of the Sabinillas Paseo

**Note back to usual venue**

Please call Sylvia on 620052 440 for more details



## CAMEO - Come and Meet Each Other SAN PEDRO FRIDAY COFFEE MORNINGS

We meet each **Friday from 11:00am** for coffee and a chat at

**La Tradicional, Calle Palencia 2**

San Pedro (usual after Church venue)

Call Jean on 609 256 274 for more details



## PRAYER GROUP

Margarita hosts a Prayer meeting via Zoom every Monday at 8:00pm

Everyone is welcome to join to pray & share.

Please contact Margarita on [margarita.wrann@gmail.com](mailto:margarita.wrann@gmail.com) or via

WhatsApp on +34 650965677 for the date of the next meeting.



If you have anyone you would like included in the service prayers at  
**San Pedro** this week, let Patricia know at: [patricia.g2515@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:patricia.g2515@hotmail.co.uk)



## THE BIBLE PROJECT

Do you want to know more about the Bible, but unsure how to go about it? The Bible Project ([www.bibleproject.com](http://www.bibleproject.com)) is an excellent place to start to learn more, containing short and easy to follow videos on all the books of the Bible as well as many of the themes.

It also has articles, podcasts etc. on many Biblical themes.

It is a great introduction to some of the lesser-known books as well as a great resource for exploring more complicated issues of our faith and understanding God's plan for us.

It is definitely worth checking out.

## THIS WEEKS RECOMMENDED BIBLE PROJECT VIDEO

<https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/acts-1-12/>

## SAFEGUARDING

In accordance with the Diocese of Europe Protocol and policy, this church has its own Chaplaincy Safeguarding Officer (CSO) who is Jean Kerr-Hill.

If you have any concerns or questions with regards to Safeguarding please contact us on [info.costachurch@gmail.com](mailto:info.costachurch@gmail.com) or Jean on

[sgojkh48@yahoo.com](mailto:sgojkh48@yahoo.com)



Our Chaplaincy supports in a practical way the following local charities weekly, please try to put a little something extra in your shopping basket, to bring to Church each Sunday

**PLEASE ENSURE THAT ANY FOODSTUFFS DONATED ARE IN DATE!**

**Sotogrande - Café y Calor Charity.** They now have a basic Day Centre where they can offer breakfast items and snacks; 8am to 3pm. So they are asking us to consider providing items like: sponge cakes and biscuits, milk, sugar, coffee, microwave porridge, other cereals, baked beans, anything that can be warmed up in a microwave, as there are no real cooking facilities available.

**Please pop an item or 2 in the blue box for them each Sunday if you can remember.**

**Thank you.**

**San Pedro - Caritas (in San Pedro) and Emaus (in Estepona) - on alternating weeks.**

Items needed most for all charities:-

Milk, cooking oil, potatoes, rice, tomate frito, lentils, pastas, tuna, chick peas, flour.

All the essentials and perhaps some treats.



Please continue to remember those less fortunate than ourselves.  
Keep supporting our local charities who are struggling to feed many families.



## Tithes and Offerings

Remember we are completely self-financing, and your offerings are our lifeline.

At both churches we pass around the offertory bag during the service as part of our worship, but there are other ways to give.

Why not set up a standing order and give regularly monthly, quarterly, whatever works best for you to make your offerings directly please contact our treasurer who will provide our bank details so you can make a transfer.

[stephen.wall673@gmail.com](mailto:stephen.wall673@gmail.com)

Remember that regular donations can be tax deductible

- contact our treasurer for details.



## Who is who in the Chaplaincy and how to contact them

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# ECO NEWS

## 9 neat ways to save

<b>Dusk or Dawn</b>  Water your garden before 10am and after 3pm	<b>Trigger Up</b>  Fit a trigger nozzle to all hand-held hoses	<b>Raining? Tank it</b>  Install a rainwater tank. Rebates can save you \$
<b>Fix the Drip</b>  Fix dripping taps. Check toilet leaks with food dye in the cistern	<b>Wash Wisely</b>  Wash vehicles on the lawn. Use a bucket	<b>Taps off, Plug in</b>  When brushing your teeth or rinsing dishes and food
<b>Recycle, Re-use</b>  Connect to recycled water for garden, toilets and laundry use	<b>Line up the Stars</b>  Choose water efficient appliances. More stars = more savings	<b>Shower Smart</b>  Install a water saving shower head. Short showers, 1-4 minutes

IT'S NOT MY GARBAGE



@DZIRRY

BUT IT'S MY PLANET



When you are told that mining coal is bad, but mining copper, lithium, cobalt and nickel is good, you know you are being conned.

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