



ST JAMES' CHURCH WEST END

Pew News

Easter Sunday 21 April 2019

SUNDAY SERVICES AT ST JAMES'

Today **EASTER SUNDAY**
21 April 10.30am Easter Celebration Eucharist
6.30pm Festal Evensong for Easter

Next Sunday

28 April 8am Holy Communion
9.30am Parish Eucharist with Pathfinders
11.00am Church Alive
6.30pm Informal Worship

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

No set Morning Prayer this week, but church will be open from time to time

Mon 22 April **Easter Monday**

Wed 24 April 9.30am Stay & Play parent and toddler group
10.00am Holy Communion
7.30pm Choir Practice

Thu 25 April 11.00am Prayer Space

Next week we welcome Frank Parker and Dawn Higgins to talk to us about Street Pastors in Hedge End, West End and Botley at our 9.30am service

PLEASE could all items for Pew News to be received by **WEDNESDAY** at the latest.

NEWS

(NEW) THANK YOU FOR BRENDA'S MINISTRY On the 12th May, Brenda Holden will officially 'lay down' her Reader/LLM stole as she retires from this ministry and becomes a Reader Emeritus. We will, of course, still see her busy as ever in other areas, but we wanted to say a thank you for this particular part of her ministry and are arranging a 'Thank You' Party on Saturday 11th May at 7pm in the church hall. We would be grateful if you could indicate when you are able to come and if you are able to offer any food or drink for a bring or share table. There is a list at the back of the church for you to do so. Please speak to Jan, Scott or Linda if you can offer to help definitely

LUNCH CLUB The very popular Lunch Club is looking for volunteers to help at their lunches held each Monday. If you think you could help with this important outreach work then please contact Maureen Cook on 02380 470321

HELP WANTED FOR CHURCH CLEANING Help needed to keep our beautiful church clean. We are down to four people sweeping and dusting either on the 1st or 3rd Friday of each month. Please, if you could spare ½ hour regularly or now and again, please talk to Eileen or Margaret.

TEA DANCE SUCCESS Well Done to all who supported the Tea Dance on Wednesday 10th April; we hear it was a great success and enjoyed by all. Another great fundraiser for Project Aurora with an approximate amount raised of £280.

POP UP SHOP AND PLANT SALE 18TH MAY This is not a jumble sale, but quality clothes which have had little wear and no longer wanted. We have evening and day wear, also some vintage clothing but we need more please. We are seeking a dressmaker's dummy, a free standing mirror and also a pop up gazebo for trying on items. Also, come and buy some seedlings, if you never got round to growing any or just want to choose something different. Donations of surplus seedlings and plants for the sale would be welcomed, there is a list at the back of church if you are able to let us know what you are bringing. If anyone can assist with any of these requests, it would be greatly appreciated please contact June 02380 466332 or Jeanette 02380 464215. All funds to Project Aurora.



EVENTS FOR YOU DIARY

18TH May: Plant and Clothing Pop up Shop



25th May: Aurora Concert #2



21st June: Barn Dance



13th July: Nautical Concert



20th July: Sponsored Walk



More details to follow on Pew News/Website and Posters.

If you are interested in getting involved in our fundraising please join us at the next planning meeting on **May 10th at 9:45am** in Church. All welcome!

Easy Fundraising – This simple way of raising funds for Project Aurora when you make purchases online at no extra cost to you, is starting to pay dividends. So far we have 15 supporters and have managed to raise £80.85 simply by clicking to activate a donation when they bought items. If you would like to become one of these supporters then go to <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/projaurorastjamchwe/>

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