



St James' West End

PEW NEWS

Sunday 5th March 2017

Today

- 9.30am Parish Eucharist and
Pathfinders
11.00am Church Alive with
Holy Communion
6.30pm Sung Evensong

Next Sunday 12th March

- 9.30am Parish Eucharist and
Pathfinders
11.00am Church Alive
6.30pm Stations of the cross

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Morning prayer 9am Tuesday, Thursday and Friday in the Lady Chapel

- Mon 6th 11.30am Lunch Club
Tue 7th 7.30pm Lent Group at 39 Princess Close
8.00pm Choir practice
Wed 8th 9.15am Stay & Play parent and toddler group
10.00am Holy Communion
6.30pm Youth/Confirmation Group
7.30pm Lent Group at Flat 3, Elizabeth Court
Thu 9th 9.30am Open Door at Harefield Surgery
11.00am Lent Group at 4 Hemdean Gardens
1.30pm Church Together HEWEB
6.00pm Baptism meeting, Church
7.30pm Lent Group at 11 Wilderness Heights
Fri 10th 8.00am Shared Communion Service at St James' School
9.00am Collective Worship at St James' School
11.00am Lincoln Court Communion
2.30pm Social Group Tea

HOPE LENT APPEAL For our Lent Appeal this year we are supporting a local charity called the Red Lipstick Foundation, it was set up by a family in 2014 after the sudden death of their daughter, Brittany, who took her own life the day before her 20th birthday. The foundation works with young people and families to reduce the suicide rate in young people. Details can be found at the back of church.

THE REVISION OF THE CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL All regular attenders and those who consider themselves a part of St. James' are encouraged to go on the electoral roll. This enables you to vote or stand for election on the PCC and is essential for playing a full part in parish life.

Any revisions or additions to the electoral roll need to take place between now and 8th April. If you wish to come onto the roll, please take a green form from the table at the back of church, fill in your details and return the form to the Electoral Roll Officer. Only **new** members need to fill in a form: if you filled in a form in 2013, 2014, 2015 or 2016 you do not need to do so now. Any members who have passed away or have moved away or no longer wish to be members of St James' Church are removed from the roll. Any queries, please ask the Electoral Roll Officer, Margaret Baker, for help.

THE PASTORAL TEAM can now be contacted via 07842 244876 or by email at pastoral.stjameswestend@gmail.com. Calls/enquiries are welcomed from anyone wishing to speak to a Pastoral Assistant for a listening ear / support at a time of difficulty, to arrange for a home visit if unable to get to church due to illness, to request Home Communion, or to pass on news of a hospital admission/discharge. For further information regarding what the team can offer please send an email or speak to Carol Kidd (Pastoral Team Coordinator).

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE CONFIRMED? There will be a Deanery Confirmation service at St. James' Church on Sunday 7th May at 6.30pm. If you would like to explore whether confirming your Christian faith in this way is right for you please speak with Thomas or Linda. A youth / confirmation group is starting **this Wednesday** 6.30-7.30pm in church.

SOCIAL GROUP TEA "SPRING" on Friday 10th March in the hall at 2.30pm. Tickets on sale now £3.50 from Margaret Baker.

FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT

We will be supporting Fairtrade fortnight 27th February – 12th March by having a Fairtrade stall in church **today** and next Sunday 12th of March. The theme is 'put Fairtrade in your break and take exploitation out'.

EGGS Please can I ask you if you have boiled eggs for breakfast to keep the larger part of the shell for pathfinders, please rinse them and leave at the back of church. Thank you. *Jan*

ROSEMARY SPRIGS We need lots of rosemary sprigs for Mothering Sunday (26th March). If you have any you could spare, please let Jan Barrett know.

THE KCC FOOD BANK are short of the following items: pasta sauce in jars, bags of rice, tins of hot dogs, instant pasta meals in sachets, pot noodles, tomato sauce, jars of coffee, tea bags and toilet paper. Your help with any of these items would be greatly appreciated.

SHARED COMMUNION AT ST. JAMES' SCHOOL This Friday at 8am we will be holding a short Communion service at St. James' Primary School to which all children accompanied by adults, parents and staff are invited. This is the first such Communion service and is hoped to be offered on a regular basis.

CHURCH GIVING Please use the collection plate at the back of church either before or after the service for donations or envelopes. If you would like to join our Parish Giving Scheme and arrange to give regularly to church via direct debit, please speak with David Forster our treasurer or ask one of the ministry team for information. Thank you.

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