



St James' West End

PEW NEWS

Sunday 15 April 2018

SUNDAY SERVICES AT ST JAMES'

Today	9.30am	Parish Eucharist with Pathfinders
	11.00am	Church Alive
	6.30pm	Sung Evensong
Next Sunday 22 April	9.30am	Parish Eucharist with Pathfinders
	11.00am	Church Alive
	6.30pm	Informal Worship

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Morning Prayer 9am Thursday and Friday in the Lady Chapel

Today	12noon	Annual Parochial Church Meeting
Mon 16 Apr	11.30am	Lunch Club
Tue 17 Apr	8.00pm	Choir practice
Wed 18 Apr	9.15am	Stay & Play Parent and Toddler Group
	10.00am	Holy Communion
	12noon	Chapter
	2.00pm	Oaklands service
	7.00pm	Thy kingdom come meeting, vestry
Thu 19 Apr	9.30am	Open Door at Harefield Surgery
Fri 20 Apr	9.00am	Church cleaning
	2.30pm	Social Group Tea

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Children's Society Bake and Brew Today! Bake and Brew is served between the morning services and before the Annual Parochial Church Meetings. Please do support!

Return Toilet Twinning boxes There has been a fantastic response so far to our Lent appeal in support of toilet twinning. Please do return any boxes or outstanding donations as the total will be counted very soon.

Annual Parochial Church Meeting Today at 12pm in the Hall

Copies of our annual report are at the back of church or can be downloaded at the following link:

<http://www.stjameswestend.org.uk/Documents/AnnualReport2017.pdf>

All those enrolled on the Electoral Roll are welcome to attend and take part in proceedings. Please come along as we celebrate the past year and present the annual reports. This year with Helen Wiseman standing down we have one new **Churchwarden** vacancy. There are also two **PCC** vacancies and two PCC positions due for renewal.

Christian Aid As part of our Churches Together initiatives there will be a team of people collecting for Christian Aid in the foyer of M& S and Sainsburys at Hedge End all day on the 17 May. Anyone interested in helping out for an hour or two during that day - please phone Jackie Murley (St John's) on 01489783794 or e-mail: jackie.murley9@gmail.com

Lent Course dates! The last session of the Lent course for the group meeting at the vicarage will be Wednesday 25 April. The group meeting on Princess Close will resume on Thursday 17 May.

Social Group Tea – 'Easter' The next tea will be on Friday 20 April 2.30-4.30pm. Tickets £3.50 are available from Margaret Baker.

Jason and Eden Glover are running the London Marathon on Sunday 22 April and raising money for Macmillan cancer support. You can support them at: <https://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/Team/Glover3>

Meanwhile the vicar will be running the much more relaxing Southampton Half Marathon on the same day (just for fun... not for charity)

Thy Kingdom Come This year's Novena of Prayer at St James, will take place between the 10 and 20 May. At the moment this will include setting up prayer stations in the church, 12 consecutive hours of prayer in a day (15 May), a prayer walk around the parish and standalone prayer activities at St James' school. It would be good to share your creative ideas for any of these events and a meeting will be held on Wednesday 18 April at 7pm in the Vestry if you would like to be involved or speak to Linda.
