



ST JAMES' CHURCH WEST END

Pew News

Sunday 6 January 2019

SUNDAY SERVICES AT ST JAMES'

Today 9.30am Parish Eucharist with Pathfinders
11.00am Church Alive with Holy Communion
6.30pm Epiphany Carol Service

Next Sunday 9.30am Parish Eucharist and Pathfinders
13th January 11.00am Church Alive
12.30pm Baptisms
6.30pm Prayer and Reflection

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

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

Wed 9 Jan 9.30am Stay & Play parent and toddler group
10.00am Holy Communion
11.00am Ministry Team Meeting
6.30pm Harefield Prayers
7.30pm Choir Practice
7.45pm HOPE Committee Meeting

Thu 10 Jan 11.00am Prayer Space
1.00pm Churches Together
6.00pm Baptism Preparation
7.00pm Church Alive Planning Meeting

Fri 11 Jan 11.00am Lincoln Court Communion

Sat 12 Jan 2.00pm Project AURORA Launch Concert

NEWS

(NEW) EPIPHANY CAROL SERVICE Join us this evening for our Epiphany Carol Service. Readings and songs reflecting the revelation of Christ to the world. All are welcome.

(NEW) LAUNCH OF PROJECT AURORA Our fundraising for Project Aurora begins in earnest with a Musical Concert on Saturday 12th January at 2pm. The concert is being organised by Myles our Musical Director and will last around an hour. Musically there will be everything from Vaughan Williams to jazz and back again with maybe even a bit of audience participation! Performers will include George Smith [pianist], Anna Robinson [a distinction masters clarinettist and saxophonist], Myles' students Tom Price and Dr Asuka Tsuchia on piano and Myles on organ. Entry is free but there will be a retiring collection for those who would like to offer something to kickstart the project. Refreshments will also be available.

If you can also pick up a poster or flyers to advertise the event please do so from the back of the church.

(NEW) STAY AND PLAY The new rota for signing up to help with refreshments at Stay and Play is now at the back of the church. Please do consider offering to help in his way with this valuable outreach. Please speak to Linda, Rachel or Kate for more information.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR MIKE RAYNER Mike's funeral will take place on Thursday 17th January at 12 noon in church followed by committal at Wessex Vale at 1pm. The family have said that all are welcome to attend either or both of the services and to stay for refreshments which will be offered in the Church Hall.

FAREWELL SERVICE FOR BISHOP JONATHAN Bishop Jonathan of Southampton has been appointed the new Dean of York Minster. He has been a wonderful support to the Deanery, and we are sure that many will want to thank him for his ministry here, and pray for him and Christine as they prepare for their new life in York. A Farewell service is being held on Saturday 19th January 5.30pm at Winchester Cathedral. All are welcome to attend.

THE CHILDREN'S SOCIETY Please can you return your house collection boxes to me for counting, many thanks for your support. Jan

BE A PRAYER CHAMPION Starting in January 2019 Jane Castle and Betty Wood would like to invite you to join them in becoming a Prayer Champions. Sessions will run on Tuesday Evenings at 3 Elizabeth Court, Elizabeth Close, SO30 3LT. These sessions will embrace the prayer gym model and offer a variety of styles and types of prayers. If you would like more details please contact Jane or Betty.

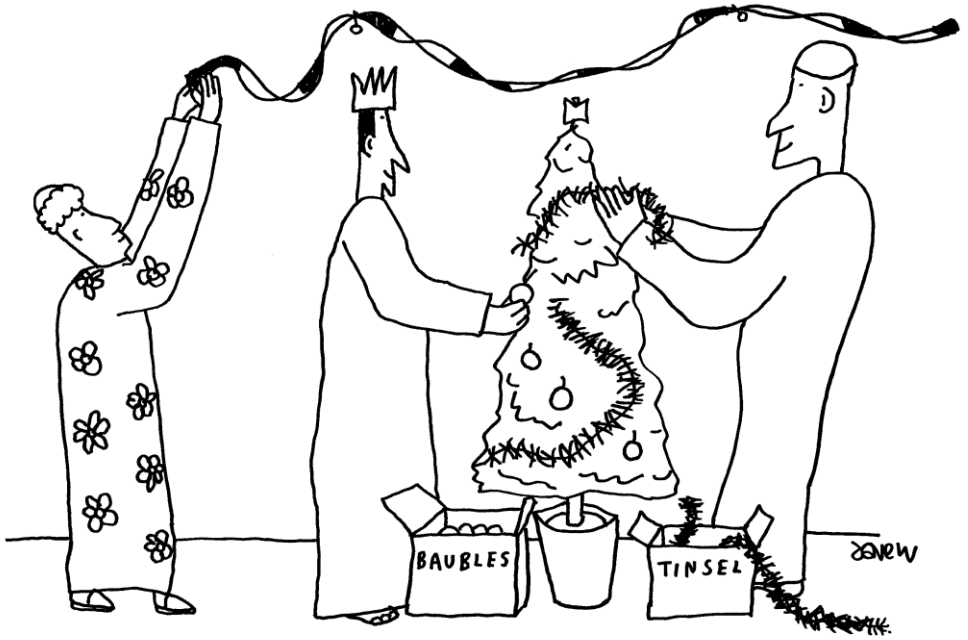
MORNING PRAYER DATES Morning Prayer re-starts this week on Tuesday 8th January at 9am.

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TAKING DOWN THE CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS