

Dates of your Diary

Wednesday 14 January 8.00 pm PCC Meeting in the Study Centre

Collect

Heavenly Father,
whose children suffered at the hands of Herod,
though they had done no wrong,
by the suffering of thy Son
and by the innocence of our lives
frustrate, we beseech thee, all evil designs
and establish thy reign of justice and peace;
through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord,
who liveth and reigneth with thee,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Today's Psalm is: Psalm 124

If the Lord himself had not been on our side,
now may / Israel / say;
If the Lord had not been on our side,
when / enemies rose / up a/gainst us;
then would they have / swallowed us a/live
when their / anger / burned a/gainst us.
Then would the waters have overwhelmed us
and the torrent gone / over our / soul;
over our soul would have / swept the / raging / waters.
But blessed / be the / Lord
who has not given us over to / be a / prey for their / teeth.
Our soul has escaped
as a bird from the / snare of the / fowler;
the snare is / broken and / we are de/livered.
Our help is in the / name of the / Lord,
who / has made / heaven and / earth.

A BIG THANK YOU to all who helped with Christmas preparations this year, for delivering the Christmas cards around the parish, decorating the church so beautifully and making the services special.

Thank you to everyone who donated gifts for the Women's Refuge. Thank you for your faithfulness and generosity; your donations are very much appreciated.

Thank you to all who gave generously to the collection for **Embrace Middle East**; £300.82 was raised, and **Open Bethlehem** at the Carol Service, where £184.00 was raised.

CMS boxes will be collected next Sunday, 4 January. Please bring to church on the day or return to Maureen Gibbs or Alison Giles.

The Traidcraft stall will be open next week after both services.

Thank you to everyone who supported our recent **coffee morning**; £163.15 was raised, and a total of over £1,600 has been raised throughout this year. Many thanks to all who have worked so hard to run the mornings and to all those who have supported them.

Lost property is accumulating in the disabled cloakroom. Please have a look in case something belongs to you.

The office is closed this week.

Prayer for Friends and Congregation of St James'

Sunday	Denis Chandler
Monday	Vera Chapman and family
Tuesday	Eric and Rhena Clouston and family
Wednesday	Ellen and Andrew Collings, Sharn and Troy
Thursday	James and Jennifer Day and family
Friday	Caroline and Tony Dickson and Helen
Saturday	Sheila Donovan and family

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Church Activities

Choir Practice, Mondays	6.30 pm—7.30 pm, Junior Choir 7.00 pm—8.00 pm, Adult Choir
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Community Activities

Parent & Toddlers (Thursdays)	Wendy Lane, 244850
Beavers (6-8 yrs)	Brendan Murrill, 07864 056648
Cubs (8-11 yrs, QE Schl)	Stephen Harrison, 07548 765421
Brownies (7-10 yrs, QE Schl)	Kerrie Thackray e-mail 40thbrownies@gmail.com

Gift Aid Envelopes are available at the back of the Church and Transept. Please enable us to claim back tax on your offering.

Our parish magazine **Crosspiece** is now available on the website.

St James', Wulfstan Way, Cambridge

The Weekly Sheet

28 December 2014

THE HOLY INNOCENTS



8.00 am Eucharist
10.00 am Sung Eucharist

Welcome to our services. Today, Rev'd John Hillier will be our celebrant and preacher at both services.

Our hymns at 10 o'clock are:

Opening:	<i>Unto us a boy is born</i>	NEH 39
Offertory:	<i>While shepherds watched their flock</i>	NEH 42
Communion:	<i>In the bleak midwinter</i>	NEH 28
Final:	<i>Of the Father's heart begotten</i>	NEH 33

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The readings are: Jeremiah 31.15-17; Psalm 124;
1 Corinthians 1.26-29; Matthew 2.13-18.

The anthem is *Infant Holy, Infant Lowly* (arr David Wilcox).

This week: *The church will remain mostly locked.*

Wednesday 31st 10.15 am Eucharist

Next Sunday (4 January) is Epiphany

8.00 am	Eucharist (BCP)
10.00 am	All Age Eucharist
The readings will be: Isaiah 60.1-6; Ephesians 3.1-12; Matthew 2.1-12.	

Please join us for tea/coffee after our 10 o'clock service