

Collect

God of compassion,
whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary,
shared the life of a home in Nazareth,
and on the cross drew the whole human family to himself:
strengthen us in our daily living
that in joy and in sorrow
we may know the power of your presence
to bind together and to heal;
through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Brother and our Lord.

Today's Psalm is: Psalm 34.11-20

Come, my children, and / listen to / me;
I will / teach you the / fear of the / Lord.
Who is there who de/lights in / life
and longs for / days to en/joy good / things?
Keep your / tongue from / evil
and your / lips from / lying / words.
Turn from evil / and do / good;
seek / peace / and pur/sue it.
The eyes of the Lord are up/on the / righteous
and his ears are / open / to their / cry.
The face of the Lord is against / those who do / evil,
to root out the re/membrance of them / from the / earth.
The righteous cry and the / Lord / hears them
and delivers them / out of / all their / troubles.
The Lord is near to the / broken/hearted
and will save/ those who are / crushed in / spirit.
Many are the / troubles of the / righteous;
from them / all will the / Lord de/liver them.
He keeps / all their / bones,
so that not / one of / them is / broken.

The Electoral Roll is currently being updated in preparation for the APCM in April. Please check the draft on the noticeboard, or if you have started coming to St James' in the last year, and would like to be on the roll, pick up a form from the table in the entrance foyer. Please put completed forms in the Electoral Roll Officer's pigeonhole.

The next **film night for young people** (yr 7+) is on **Friday, 20 March**, 6.30 pm until 9.00 am to watch *Rat Race*, certificate 12. See the foyer for more information.

Thank you to everyone who supported yesterday's **coffee morning**. The amount raised can be found on the noticeboard.

APCM (19 April). Thank you to all those who have forwarded their report to Caroline in the office.

Nominations for PCC members. At the APCM on 19 April we need to fill 3 vacancies on the PCC. Please think about whether you could take on this

role and speak to Jutta or any member of the PCC if you want to find out more. Nomination forms are in the foyer.

Diocesan Strategy Consultation. We have now heard that the diocese would like the feedback via this link:
<http://tinyurl.com/strategy-consultation-feedback> or www.ely.anglican.org

The office will be open on Tuesday and Friday this week, usual hours.

Pam Butler has a **new e-mail address**—see overleaf for the details.

LENT

Lent Appeal. This year we are supporting the **Arthur Rank Hospice Charity** in our Lent Appeal. A collection jar is available at the back of church and there are leaflets in the foyer.

Lent breakfasts. You are welcome to all/any of the breakfasts—please sign the list on the noticeboard. There is no charge although donations would be welcome and any profit will be given to Traidcraft. **Offers of help, ie someone to run the morning, along with offers of additional help and support** on those mornings would be appreciated. Please sign-up on the list on the noticeboard.

Lent Speakers. A huge thank you to Bill Broadhurst, Rosemary Monk, Sunday Achebe and Dawn Ridley for telling their faith journeys on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of Lent. We have felt very blessed by what they have shared.

Lent Conversations. Thank you to Keith Morrison, Debbie Ford and Geoffrey Heathcock for leading our Lent Conversations on 'The End of Life', which have been very well attended. Would those who attended any of the sessions please fill in a feedback form (available from the foyer) and return it to Jutta.

Lent reading. Books to borrow are available in the foyer.

Would you be able to help?

We would welcome any adults or children, 8 or over, to become **servers in the sanctuary**. This means processing into church, assisting the priest during the service and clearing away afterwards. It is a rewarding way of participating in the service. You would be trained in what to do. You would probably be asked to serve about once a month as part of a team of 2 or 3. Even if children are part of the altar party they are still able to go to Sunday School. Please speak to one of the churchwardens, Alison Giles or Jennifer Day (regular servers).

Good Friday Workshop, Friday 3 April. Anne Streather is very grateful for all offers of help to run an activity or to come along on the day and help. Please get in touch with Anne at mike.streather@btinternet.com or on 07962 006271. There is a sign-up sheet on the noticeboard.

Prayer for Friends and Congregation of St James'

Sunday	Maggie Abbott
Monday	Sunday Achebe
Tuesday	Linda Appleby and family
Wednesday	Sarah and Alex Aylward, Emily and Sophie
Thursday	Helen Arnold and family
Friday	John and Jackie Bartholomew and family
Saturday	Jenny Bell and Andrew Brown, Adam, Rachel and Matthew

Contacts

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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

 15 March 2015

MOTHERING SUNDAY



8.00 am	Eucharist followed by Lent breakfast
10.00 am	Sung Eucharist with Sunday Schools

Welcome to our services. Today Geoffrey Howard is our celebrant at 8 o'clock and preacher at both services.

Our hymns at 10 o'clock are:

Opening:	Sing we of the blessed mother	NEH 185
Offertory:	God of Eve and God of Mary	see insert
Communion:	For the beauty of the earth	NEH 285
Final:	Lord of all hopefulness	NEH 239

The readings are: 1 Samuel 1.20-end; Psalm 34.11-20; 2 Corinthians 1.3-7; Luke 2.33-35.

The anthem is Ave Maria.

This week:

Wednesday 18th	10.15 am	Eucharist
	8.00 pm	PCC Meeting
Thursday 19th	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
Friday 20th	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
	12.30 pm	Meditation Group
	6.30 pm	Film Night 'Rat Race' for young people (yr 7+)

Next Sunday (22 March) is the 5th Sunday of Lent

8.00 am	Eucharist followed by Lent breakfast
10.00 am	Sung Eucharist with Sunday Schools
	The readings will be: Jeremiah 31.31-34; Psalm 51.1-13 or Psalm 119.9-16; Hebrews 5.5-10; John 12.20-33.

Dates for your Diary

Sunday 19 April	11.30 am	APCM
Friday 1—Sunday 3 May		Prayer48

Please stay for tea/coffee after the 10 o'clock service