

Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 20 January	8.00 pm	PCC Meeting
Saturday 13 February	10.15 am	Coffee Morning
Tuesday 26 January	8.00 pm	Home Group

Collect

Almighty God,
in Christ you make all things new:
transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace,
and in the renewal of our lives
make known your heavenly glory;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit
one God, now and for ever.

Today's Psalm is: Psalm 36.5-10

Your love, O Lord, reaches / to the / heavens
and your / faithfulness / to the / clouds.
Your righteousness stands like the strong mountains,
your justice like the / great / deep;
you, Lord, shall, / save both / man and / beast.
How precious is your loving / mercy, O / God!
All mortal flesh shall take refuge
under the / shadow / of your / wings.
They shall be satisfied with the abundance / of your / house;
they shall drink from the / river of / your de/lights.
For with you is the / well of / life
and in your / light shall / we see / light.
O continue your loving-kindness to / those who / know you
and your righteousness to / those who are / true of / heart.

Foyer displays—can you help? We need a few people to help organise topical/seasonal displays on the display boards (where the Christmas crib was) to welcome people as they come into the foyer area. The hope is to introduce or 'open up' a theme for those using the church building as well as for those coming to services and can be done however you want. If this is something you could help with either as a 'one off' or on a more regular rotational basis, please talk to Mary Calladine, who has lots of ideas and resources but is rather short on time due to other responsibilities at the moment. Thank you.

Next Sunday, 24 Jan, BBC Radio 4's Sunday Morning Worship is coming from All Saints', Jesus Lane, led by the Cambridge Theological Federation on the theme of Christian Unity. It starts at 8.10 am if people want to tune in!

Shrove Tuesday Party, 9 February. We are looking for a couple of volunteers to organise the party (pancake making and co-ordination of refreshments, clearing away etc). Please speak to the churchwardens or leave a message for Caroline in the office if you can take this on. Thank you.

Coffee Morning. Our first coffee morning of 2016 will be on **13 February**. Please support the morning by donating cakes and preserves, unwanted gifts and prizes for the raffle. All offers of help gratefully received. Look out for the sign-up sheet on the noticeboard.

Lost Property. Please check the lost property on the table in the Milton Room. Better quality items will be donated to charity and the rest disposed of at the end of January.

Mothers' Union (Christian care for families) is holding a **Saturday breakfast** on 23 January, 9.00 am at St John's Church. And, **Thursday prayer** on 28 January at 10.30 am in Little St Mary's Church in Trumpington Street. The latter is a monthly half an hour of prayer as an alternative venue to the Thursday prayer held in Ely Cathedral, followed by coffee and cake. Further details can be obtained from Jo Wibberley on C.248728 or jowibs.mu@gmail.com

Dante Concert

In aid of

The Jean Grove Trust

(Supporting schools in Ethiopia)

Clive James, writer and broadcaster

Patrick Hemmerlé, pianist

7.30pm, Sunday 24th January, 2016

Bateman Auditorium, Gonville and Caius

Tickets £25

Patrick, just returned from giving recitals in China, will be playing works by Mozart, Hayden and Beethoven

Clive James will be reading from his latest, yet unpublished, inimitable translation of

Dante's Divine Comedy

enquiries@jeangrovetrust.org.uk

Prayer for Friends and Congregation of St James'

Sunday	Maureen Gibbs
Monday	Alison and Graham Giles
Tuesday	Hatty Harris
Wednesday	Ann and Geoff Heathcock
Thursday	David and Anneke Heslam
Friday	Jane Hewer and family
Saturday	Beryl Hobbs 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 17 January 2016

2nd SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY



8.00 am	Eucharist
10.00 am	Sung Eucharist and Sunday School

Welcome to our services. Rev'd Geoffrey Howard is our celebrant and preacher at both services. Our hymns at 10 o'clock are:

Opening:	<i>Immortal, invisible, God only wise</i>	NEH 377
Offertory:	<i>Holy Spirit, come, confirm us</i>	NEH 140
Communion:	<i>O thou who camest from above</i>	NEH 431
Final:	<i>Songs of thankfulness and praise</i>	NEH 56

The readings are: Isaiah 62.1-5; Psalm 36.5-10; 1 Corinthians 12.1-11; John 2.1-11.
The Anthem is: *O taste and see* (Vaughan Williams)

This week:

Wednesday 20th	10.15 am	Eucharist
	8.00 pm	PCC Meeting
Thursday 21st	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
	10.30 am	Pastoral Group Listening Training Session in the Transept
	2.30 pm	Hymn service at Hinton Grange
Friday 22nd	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
	12.30 pm	Meditation Group

Next Sunday (24 January) is the Conversion of Paul. The Rt Rev'd Dr David Thomson, Bishop of Huntingdon, will be our celebrant and preacher at both services.

8.00 am	Eucharist
10.00 am	Sung Eucharist with Sunday School

The readings will be Jeremiah 1.4-10 or Acts 9.1-22;
Psalm 67; Acts 9.1-22 or Galatians 1.11-16a; Matthew 19.27-end.

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