

The Collect

Eternal Lord,
our beginning and our end:
bring us with the whole creation
to your glory, hidden through past ages
and made known
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Today's Psalm is: Psalm 139.1-5, 12-18.

O Lord, you have searched me / out and / known me;
you know my sitting down and my rising up;
you dis/cern my / thoughts from a/far.
You mark out my journeys / and my / resting place
and are ac/quainted with / all my /ways,
for there is not a word / on my / tongue,
but you, O Lord, / know it / alto/gether.
You encompass me behind / and be/fore
and / lay your / hand up/on me.
Such knowledge is too / wonderful / for me,
so high / that I / cannot at/tain it.
For you yourself created my / inmost / parts;
you knit me together / in my / mother's / womb.
I thank you, for I am fearfully and / wonderfully / made;
marvellous are your / works, my / soul knows / well.
My frame was not / hidden / from you,
when I was made in secret
and woven in the / depths / of the / earth.
Your eyes beheld my form, as / yet un/finished;
already in your book were / all my members / written,
as day by day / they were / fashioned
when as / yet / there was / none of them.
How deep are your counsels to / me, O / God!
How / great / is the / sum of them!
If I count them, they are more in number / than the / sand,
and at the end, I am / still / in your / presence.

CMS Boxes. Several boxes still need to be returned. Please hand to Maureen Gibbs as soon as possible. Thank you.

A **hymn service** will take place at Hinton Grange Care Home **this Thursday** (18 January) at 2.30 pm. If you can come along and help please sign the list on the noticeboard.

Saturday 20 January, 5 pm—7 pm, YOUTH GROUP, here in church for children in school years 4 and above. This is the first opportunity to get the group together for some fun activities and discussion and to plan ahead.

We will be holding a **pastoral lunch** on **Tuesday 23 January** at 12.30 pm. If you could like to come along please speak to Mary or Rosemary.

Our first **Coffee Morning with Bring and Buy** of 2018 will be held on **Saturday 27 January**, usual time of 10 am. Please support the morning with donations of cakes, goods for sale and prizes for the raffle. After the busy Christmas period you may have unwanted items you are happy to donate? All gratefully received. Thank you.

Request for local volunteers from the 3 Saints Partnership Cambridge Churches Homeless Project .

St John's Church is hosting 15 homeless people on **Saturday 31 March** and **Easter Monday, 2 April**. This is part of the Cambridge Churches Homeless Project. For each night we need a minimum of four people for cooking (7-9.30 pm) and four people for being part of the overnight team (7.00 pm—7.00 am). All volunteers need a short training session (an hour or less) that has been organised on Tuesday 6 February at 7.30 pm. Please email Nathalie at nslh100@cam.ac.uk to register for the training session.

Prayer for Friends and Congregation of St James'

Sunday	Anne Phillips
Monday	Judith and Jonathan Pinhey and family
Tuesday	Eleanor Pippard
Wednesday	Margaret and Ray Revell and family
Thursday	Daphne Ridge
Friday	Dawn and Steven Ridley
Saturday	Tracey Roberts

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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
Meditation Group, Fridays	1.30 pm—2.00 pm

Community Activities

Beavers (6-8 yrs)	16thcambridgebeavers@gmail.com
Cubs (8-11 yrs, QE Schl)	Stephen Harrison, 07548 765421

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 available on the website.

St James', Wulfstan Way, Cambridge

The Weekly Sheet

 14 January 2018

2nd Sunday of Epiphany



8.00 am Eucharist

10.00 am Sung Eucharist with Sunday School

Welcome to our services. Our hymns at 10 o'clock are:

Opening:	<i>Come, let us join our cheerful songs</i>	NEH 349
Offertory:	<i>Thy hand, O God, has guided</i>	NEH 485
Communion:	<i>I, the Lord of Sea and Sky</i>	see insert
Final:	<i>God is working his purpose out</i>	NEH 495

The readings are 1 Samuel 3.1-10 [11-20]; Psalm 139.1-5, 12-18;

Revelation 5.1-10; John 1.43-end.

The Anthem is *Jesu joy of our desiring* (J S Bach).

This Week:

Monday 15th	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
Tuesday 16th	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
Wednesday 17th	10.15 am	Eucharist
	8.00 pm	PCC Meeting
Thursday 18th	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
	2.30 pm	Hymn Service at Hinton Grange Care Home
Friday 19th	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
	1.30 pm	Meditation Group
Saturday 20th	5.00 pm	Youth Group for school years 4+

Next Sunday (21 January) is the 3rd Sunday of Epiphany

8.00 am Eucharist

10.00 am Sung Eucharist with Sunday School

The readings will be Genesis 14.17-20; Psalm 128; Revelation 19.6-10; John 2.1-11.

Dates for your Diary:

Tuesday 23 January 12.30 pm Pastoral Lunch

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