

St James', Wulfstan Way, Cambridge

The Weekly Sheet

26 August 2018

13th SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY



8.00 am Eucharist
10.00 am Sung Eucharist & Messy Play

Welcome to our services. We especially welcome Rev'd Ally Barrett who will be leading our services today. Our hymns at 10 o'clock are:

Opening:	<i>Holy, holy, holy! Lord God almighty</i>	NEH 146
Offertory:	<i>Off in danger, off in woe</i>	NEH 434
Communion:	<i>We love the place, O God</i>	NEH 471
Final:	<i>Fight the good fight</i>	NEH 359

The readings are 1 Kings 8.[1, 6, 10-11] 22-30, 41-43; Psalm 84; Ephesians 6.10-20; John 6.56-69.

This Week

No mid week Eucharist

Next Sunday (2 September) is the 14th Sunday after Trinity

8.00 am Eucharist (BCP)
10.00 am All Age Eucharist
The readings at 8 o'clock will be Song of Solomon 2.8-13; Psalm 45.1-2, 6-9 [or 45.1-7]; James 1.17-end; Mark 7.1-8, 14, 15, 21-23.

Dates for your Diary:

Sunday 2 September	11.30 am Church Picnic
Monday 3 September	2.30 pm Pastoral Tea Party
Saturday 8 September	Queen Edith Skip and Share Day by the shops
Saturday 8 September	5.00 pm Youth Group
Sunday 9 September	Stewardship Sunday
Thursday 13 September	8.00 pm PCC Meeting
Saturday 15 September	5.00 pm Congregational Timeline event
Thursday 20 September	2.15 pm Hymn Service at Hinton Grange
Saturday 29 September	10.00 am Bring and Buy Coffee Morning

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

The Collect

Almighty God,
you search us and know us:
may we rely on you in strength
and rest on you in weakness,
now and in all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Today our Psalm is: Psalm 84

How lovely is your dwelling place, O / Lord of / hosts!
My soul has a desire and longing to enter the courts of the Lord;
my heart and my flesh re/joyce in the / living / God.
The sparrow has found her a house
and the swallow a nest where she may / lay her / young:
at your altars, O Lord of / hosts, my / King and my / God.
Blessed are they who / dwell in your / house:
they will / always be / praising / you.
Blessed are those whose / strength is in / you,
in whose / heart are the / highways to / Zion,
Who going through the barren valley find / there a / spring,
and the early / rains will / clothe it with / blessing.
They will go from / strength to / strength
and ap/pear before / God in / Zion.
O Lord God of hosts, / hear my / prayer;
listen, O / God / of / Jacob.
Behold our de/fender, O / God,
and look upon the / face of / your a/nointed.
For one day / in your / courts
is / better / than a / thousand.
I would rather be a doorkeeper in the / house of my / God
than / dwell in the / tents of un/godliness.
For the Lord God is both sun and shield;
he will give / grace and / glory;
no good thing shall the Lord withhold
from / those who / walk with in/tegrity.
O Lord / God of / hosts,
blessed are those who / put their / trust in / you.

There will be no **mid week eucharist** this week.

Messy Church. Today is our final Messy Church. All children are welcome to join in. Hopefully old clothes are being worn – nothing new or special!

The office is now closed until w/c 2 September.

Coffee after the 10 o'clock service is a great meeting place for the congregation. To keep it going we need volunteers to join our team of helpers to serve the coffee. A new rota is being prepared. If you can help maintain this service, please contact Rosemary Monk on (01223) 246421.

Youth Group news: 'Champing for young people' at St John's, this Friday (31 August to Saturday 1 September). An evening of fun, games, learning activities and food. Bring a sleeping bag if you want to stay overnight and share breakfast the next morning.

The **Traidcraft stall** will be open next Sunday after both services.

Church Picnic, Sunday 2nd September, meet at church 11.30 am, bring your own picnic. We'll then make our way to Magog Down. All welcome!

We will be holding a **Pastoral Tea Party** on Monday 3 September at 2.30 pm. If you would like to come along please have a word with Rosemary or Mary.

St James' Youth group meets next on Saturday 8 September, 5 pm, and then again on 6 October, 3 November and 1 December.

NEW! Partnership for Missional church update: I'd like to invite you to a **Congregational Timeline** event on **Saturday 15 September** (5 -7pm, here in church), which is *for everyone* who is part of the worshipping congregations at St James'. It is designed to be an activity based around conversations where people reflect on past times, over the years they have been involved at St James. It is for newcomers and long-standing members together. The idea is to build up a collective memory of St James' history from its early years to the current day. The event will be surrounded in prayer and will also include a Bible-based activity called *Dwelling in the Word*; I really hope that you will be able to come on the 15th and share your recollections and help us understand how St James' has evolved over the years. Steve

A note from Steve: I'd like to encourage you to think about helping to **lead the Sunday School**. We need folk who are prepared to lead a session – perhaps once every 6 weeks – either for the younger group (4-9 years) or the senior group (9 years and above). There are resources available to help you prepare the session. If you need more info do please have a word with Steve or Pam or any of the other leaders (you can see the Sunday School rota displayed in the foyer for details).

Prayer for Friends and Congregation of St James'

Sunday	Talia and Richard Merritt, Dylan and Loretta
Monday	Mark Molloy
Tuesday	Marianne and Tom Monie, Matthew, Rhiannon, Cleo and Elsa
Wednesday	Robert and Rosemary Monk and family
Thursday	Anne Nagy and Peter
Friday	Barbara Nierinck
Saturday	Sylvia Nix 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
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.

If you are ordering goods from **Amazon**, please remember to use the Amazon link on the St James' website fundraising page. It doesn't cost you any more but gives St James a percentage of the price you pay.