

St James', Wulfstan Way, Cambridge

# *The* **Weekly Sheet**

**30 December 2018**

## **The 1<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY OF CHRISTMAS**



8.00 am Eucharist  
10.00 am Sung Eucharist

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

Opening: *Once in royal David's city* NEH 34

Offertory: *O little one sweet* NEH 31

Communion: *Unto us a boy is born* NEH 39

Final: *God rest ye merry gentlemen* NEH 25

The Anthem is: *If trees could talk* (Hood)

The Bible readings are 1 Samuel 2.18-20, 26; Psalm 148; Colossians 3.12-17;  
Luke 2.41-end.

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### **This Week**

*The office is closed and the church will remain mostly locked.*

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> 1.30 pm Meditation Group

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> 5.00 pm Youth Group

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### **Next Sunday (6 January) is Epiphany**

8.00 am Eucharist (BCP)

10.00 am All Age Eucharist

The readings at 8 o'clock will be: Isaiah 60.1-6; Psalm 72. (1-9) 10-15;  
Ephesians 3.1-12; Matthew 2.1-12.

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

## Dates for your Diary

Monday 7 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am Church office re-opens
	9.30 am Morning Prayer begins again
	10.00 am Staff Meeting followed by Standing Cttee
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup>	10.15 am Mid-week Eucharist at Dunstan Court
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup>	12.30 pm Pastoral lunch
	8.00 pm PMC Meeting at the Vicarage
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup>	7.45 pm Children's Work Cttee
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 pm Men's Beer Ministry at QE Pub
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	8.00 pm PCC Meeting
Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am Bring & Buy Coffee Morning

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## The Collect

God in Trinity,  
eternal unity of perfect love:  
gather the nations to be one family,  
and draw us into your holy life  
through the birth of Emmanuel,  
our Lord Jesus Christ.

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## Today's Psalm is: Psalm 148

Alleluia.

Praise the Lord / from the / heavens;  
praise / - him / in the / heights.  
Praise him, all / you his / angels;  
praise / - him, / all his / host.  
Praise him, / sun and / moon;  
praise him, / all you / stars of / light.  
Praise him, / heaven of / heavens,  
and you / waters a/bove the / heavens.  
Let them praise the / name of the / Lord,  
for he commanded / and they / were cre/ated.  
He made them fast for / ever and / ever;  
he gave them a law which / shall not / pass a/way.  
Praise the Lord / from the / earth,  
you sea / monsters and / all / deeps;  
Fire and hail, / snow and / mist,  
tempestuous / wind, ful/filling his / word;  
Mountains and / all / hills,  
fruit / trees and / all / cedars;  
Wild beasts and / all / cattle,  
creeping / things and / birds on the / wing;

Kings of the earth and / all / peoples,  
princes and all / rulers / of the / world;  
Young men and women,  
old and / young to/gether;  
let them / praise the / name of the / Lord.  
For his name only / is ex/alted,  
his splendour a/bove / earth and / heaven.  
He has raised up the horn of his people  
and praise for all his / faithful / servants,  
the children of Israel, a people who are / near him.  
/ Alle/luia.

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**A BIG thank you** to everyone who helped make our Christmas services very special.

**CMS Boxes** will need returning to Maureen Gibbs early in the New Year please.

Don't forget to bring your **unused gifts as donations for the Women's Refuge**. We will be collecting them in January.

**Our thanks to Rev'd Ally Barrett** for leading the services this morning.

## Prayer for Friends and Congregation of St James'

Sunday	Pam Butler and family
Monday	Chris and Mary Calladine and family
Tuesday	Peter Canning
Wednesday	Denis Chandler
Thursday	Vera Chapman and family
Friday	Eric and Rena Clouston and family
Saturday	Ellen and Andrew Collings, Sharn and Troy

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### Contacts

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### Church Activities

Choir Practice,	Mondays 6.30 pm—7.30 pm
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

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**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.