

St James', Wulfstan Way, Cambridge

# The Weekly Sheet

1 March 2020

## THE 1<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT



8.00 am Eucharist (BCP)  
followed by Lent breakfast  
10.00 am All Age Eucharist

**Welcome to our services.** We are delighted to welcome Bishop Dagmar on her first visit to St James'. Bishop Dagmar will be with us for both our 8 o'clock and 10 o'clock services.

If this is your first time at St James', or if you are visiting, do please introduce yourself to a member of the clergy, a churchwarden or someone on duty. Today our 10 o'clock service is an All Age Eucharist and the hymns can be found on a separate sheet.

The readings at 8 o'clock are: Genesis 2.15-17; 3.1-7; Psalm 32; Romans 5.12-19; Matthew 4.1-11.

The Anthem is *Listen sweet dove* (Ives).

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

---

### This Week

Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	9.30 am Morning Prayer
	12.30 pm Kids Matter
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	9.30 am Morning Prayer
	2.00 pm Friendship Café
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup>	11.00 am Service at Dunstan Court
	7.30 pm Lent Group in the Milton Room
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am Morning Prayer
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am Morning Prayer
	1.30 pm Meditation Group

---

### Next Sunday (8 March) is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent.

8.00 am Eucharist followed by Lent breakfast  
10.00 am Sung Eucharist with Sunday School  
The readings will be: Genesis 12.1-4a; Psalm 121; Romans 4.1-5, 13-17;  
John 3.1-17

## Dates for your Diary

Sunday 8 March		<i>APCM reports to be sent to the office by today please</i>
Tuesday 10 March	12.30 pm	Pastoral lunch
Thursday 19 March	7.30 pm	Men's Beer Ministry at QE Pub
Sunday 22 March		<i>Mothering Sunday. Eucharists as usual at 8 am and 10 am</i>
Monday 23 March	10.00 am	Staff Meeting
Tuesday <b>24 March</b>	2.15 pm	Hymn Service at CH Care Home <b>(note change in date)</b>
Saturday 28 March	10.00 am	Bring & Buy Coffee Morning
Sunday 29 March	11.30 am	APCM

---

## The Collect

Heavenly Father,  
your Son battled with the powers of darkness,  
and grew closer to you in the desert:  
help us to use these days to grow in wisdom and prayer  
that we may witness to your saving love  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

---

**Lent breakfasts.** We will be holding Lent breakfasts on the 5 Sundays during Lent beginning today. There is no charge although a suggested donation of £3/adult towards the work of Traidcraft would be very welcome. To help with numbers please sign the list on the noticeboard. Everyone is welcome.

Our **Lent group** begins this Wednesday (4 March) at 7.30 pm in the Milton Room. We will be discussing 'Being Christian' by Rowan Williams. There is a copy in the entrance foyer to take a look at (please don't take away). Copies can be purchased for £7.99 from Amazon.

The **Electoral Roll** is currently being updated in preparation for the APCM in March. 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 today.

**Our two churchwardens, Pam and Michael,** will be stepping down at the APCM this year; we thank them for all their hard work. It means we need to appoint one, preferably two, new wardens this year. If you think you might be interested please speak to Steve.

**APCM, 29 March, 11.30 am.** Could all groups affiliated to the church please start to prepare their annual report. Content required is for January to December 2019 only. Please submit your report as a Word document if possible and send to the office, [stjameschurchcambridge@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:stjameschurchcambridge@yahoo.co.uk) Reports are needed please for: **Bring & Buy Coffee Morning; Choir; Music Group; CMS Link family; Coffee (Sundays); Crosspiece Magazine; Foodbank; Good News Club; Pastoral Visiting Group; Sunday School.** And there may be others! Deadline is Sunday 8 March please to allow time for collation and photocopying so that the report can be issued in good time prior to the meeting. Thank you.

Please note that the date for this month's hymn service at **Cherry Hinton Care Home** has been moved from 17 March to 24 March.

**Grass Cutting.** Stanley Wilson is about to prepare the grass cutting rota for this season and would like to thank all those who already volunteer but would also like to ask for more volunteers to come forward. The more volunteers we have the fewer times everyone has to participate (currently around every 6 weeks). Please contact Stanley if you can help. Thank you.

### **Kids Matter – Parenting in the Community**

Kids Matter is a free, friendly group for those caring for children between 0-10. Over tea and cake, we talk about how to build strong families and help kids do their best in life. The first of 6 sessions has begun.

Please pray for us as we run the course, and that we can build relationships of support and trust with those who join us.

If anyone has a **baby changing table** that they would be happy to donate to St James', please have a word with Steve. Thank you.

**Sunday readings**, for the current month, are now listed on the rotas board opposite the office door and also on the St James' website. See the welcome page and look under 'Upcoming readings'.

Thank you to everyone who supported yesterday's **Bring & Buy Coffee Morning**; the amount raised can be found on the noticeboard. Look out for our next one on 28 March!

**World Day of Prayer 2020 'Praying with Zimbabwe'**, Friday 6 March, 7.00 pm at the Baptist Church on Mill Road. A service for everyone – all are welcome.

## Prayer for Friends and Congregation of St James'

Sunday	Jean Holland
Monday	Christina Hood, Elena and Lukas
Tuesday	Geoff Howard
Wednesday	Julia Hullyer
Thursday	Elspeth Hutchison and family
Friday	Barbara Irving and family
Saturday	Judith and Peter Judd

---

### Contacts

Priest-in-charge	Rev'd Steve Rothwell 246419 <a href="mailto:s.rothwell3@btinternet.com">s.rothwell3@btinternet.com</a>
Curate	Rev'd Anne Strauss stjamescurate@gmail.com
Churchwardens	Pam Butler, 07745 591235 pambutler27@hotmail.com Michael Smale, (01223) 478650 michaelsmale05@gmail.com
Pastoral Assistants	Mary Calladine, (01223) 246742 Rosemary Monk, (01223) 246421
Director of Music	position vacant
The Music Group	Grae Worster, 846295 mgw1@cam.ac.uk
Safeguarding Officer Church Office:	Jill Bradley, 07971 013645 happybeadsuk@gmail.com 246419 (Mondays, Wednesdays & Thursdays 9.15 am -1.15 pm)
e-mail:	stjameschurchcambridge@yahoo.co.uk
Website:	stjamescambridge.org.uk

### Weekly Church Activities

Junior Choir Practice	Sundays, 11.15 am – 12 noon
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
Scouts (10½ - 14 yrs, QE Schl)	16thcambridgescouts@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 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.