

Welcome

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A warm welcome to St. James' today. If this is your first visit please make yourself known to one of our welcome or ministry team members. We would love to talk to you afterwards.

If you are new to St. James' please complete a welcome card if you would like us to have your details. Forms for 'Electoral Roll' membership of St. James' Church are also available.



Drinks and toilets are available at the back of church.



Hearing loop & large print books available.



No collection is taken during worship, but we welcome your offering in the plate at the back of church. Gift aid envelopes are available.



There is no junior Church this morning, however crèche will be available for the under 7s during the 11am service.

Worship at St. James' today

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| 09.00 | Holy Communion |
| Leader | Revd. Keith Brindle |
| Speaker | Revd. Keith Brindle |
| 11.00 | Informal Worship |
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| Speaker | Revd. Keith Brindle |
| Readings | Matthew 28:1-10 (p946) Acts 10:34-43 (p1043) |

Please pray for:

Rt. Revd. Anthony Poggo; Bishop Emmanuel Murye and the people of Kajo Keji; The work of Tearfund and the Bible Society which we support;
Churches Together in Devizes: The Church of Our Lady; Introductory courses (eg Alpha, Pilgrim) and ongoing study, home groups, etc.
Prayer Chain: If you have a prayer request to share with those in the church family who would love to pray for you, please contact Kate Morris: kateemorris@hotmail.co.uk or 07834 812975 (7.45am-5.30pm) or 01380 840787. *If you would like to receive prayer emails from Kate, so that you can pray for others, please get in touch with her.*

THIS WEEK

All activities in church unless otherwise stated

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| Mon 17 Apr | 19.30 | Bell-ringing Practice |
| Tue 18 Apr | 14.00 | Tuesday at Two |
| Wed 19 Apr | 08.15 | Morning Prayer |
| | 10.00 | Holy Communion |
| | 19.15 | Worship Group Practice |
| Thu 20 Apr | 08.15 | Morning Prayer |
| Fri 21 Apr | 13.30 | Funeral |
| | 14.30 | Choir Practice |
| Sun 23 Apr | 09.00 | Holy Communion |
| | 11.00 | Informal Worship |
| | 19.00 | 20:20 in Estcourt Room |

Angela's hours this week will be Tuesday to Friday, 9.30 - 12.30.

Electoral Roll: As we approach our Annual Parochial Church Meeting on 7 May, we need to ensure that everyone wishing to vote is on our Electoral Roll. (Those wishing to stand for PCC need to have been on the Roll for at least six months). If you are not currently on the Electoral Roll please take an application form from the back of church and return it to St. James' church office by **midday on Wednesday 19 April 2017**.

(Please note that the blue and white 'welcome' postcards do not constitute a formal application for inclusion on the Electoral Roll).

The **Accounts for 2016** are now at the back of Church for anyone who wishes to see them prior to the APCM on 7 May.

Calling the 9am refreshments staff - I have been asked to incorporate your rota into the main Sunday morning rota. I shall be preparing the rota this week, covering 1 May to 31 August, so I would be grateful if you would let me know any dates you cannot make.

A few gaps have opened up on the cleaning rota - if you would be able to clean a small area of our Church once a month, please let Angela know.

The re-launch of **Devizes Opendoors** as a registered charity will take place in the **Town Hall on Monday 24 April, 7.00pm for 7.30pm**. There is a need for volunteers in two areas: members to become involved and trustees to help manage the charity. If you are interested and/or would like further information, please see the website www.devizesopendoors.org.uk or have a chat with Noel.

THE NOISE 2017

Saturday 20 May: Mini-Noise small project day eg Alzheimer's Support Day Centre, Sidmouth Street deep clean (1 team needed) and other small projects suggested by members of St James' (that don't require big garden tools, hired machinery or green waste removal).

Saturday 17 June: Alzheimer's Support Canal Walk: Noise team requested to help serve refreshments at the Devizes Wharf finishing line.

Saturday 8 July: Alzheimer's Support Fun Day in Trowbridge - Opportunity to support this as individuals and publicise the Noise

Saturday 30 September and Sunday 1 October: The BIG Noise weekend

If you would like to help support any of the above outreach opportunities, or suggest others to take place between May and October, please contact **Jenny Jones** and/or email thenoisedevizes@outlook.com

St James' Church Bells Restoration Project presents an evening with the **Chippenham Male Voice Choir** in **St James' Church at 7.30pm on Saturday 6 May**.

Tickets are now available from Devizes Books or by contacting stjamesringers@gmail.com or 01380 724184. £5 in advance or £6 on the door.

Tickets will also be sold in Church between the services on 23 and 30 April.

Volunteers needed for the Churches Together in Devizes Holiday Club, **09.00 - 12.30 on 14 - 18 August**. Are you able to help out for all/any of the days? At least 15 adult helpers (18+) are required for each morning or the club will not go ahead. If you are available, please let Sarah Cook know **by 30 April**. sarahcook78@hotmail.co.uk

Easyfundraising! If you shop on the internet you can benefit St James' at no cost to yourself! On the Easyfundraising website choose "St James' Southbroom Devizes"

Available at the back of church: Southbroom Messenger (our monthly church magazine), cycles of prayer, electoral roll forms, financial giving packs and various other information.