

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.



Our children's groups will meet during the 11am service, and crèche will be available at the back of Church.

Worship at St. James' today

09.00

Leader
Preacher

Holy Communion

Revd. Jennifer Haynes
Revd. Vincent Perricone

11.00

Leader
Preacher

Informal Worship

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Readings

John 4:5-42 (p1007)
Romans 5:1-11 (p1068)

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 (e.g. 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

Mon 20 Mar	09.30	Start the Week Group
	13.00	Chirton School Visit to Bell Tower
Tue 21 Mar	19.30	Bell-ringing Practice
	08.15	Morning Prayer
	14.00	Tuesday at Two
Wed 22 Mar	18.00	10:10
	08.15	Morning Prayer
	10.00	Holy Communion
	18.00	Big Story Sunday Rehearsal
Thu 23 Mar	19.15	Worship Group Practice
	08.15	Morning Prayer
	10.00	Experience Easter Training
Fri 24 Mar	08.15	LYFE at Costa
	09.45	Toddler Group In Parish Centre
Sat 25 Mar	16.30	Choir Practice
	18.30	Impact at SSJA
	09.00	LPA Posy Making
	09.30	Experience Easter Training
Sun 26 Mar	14.00	St James' Family Event See Below
	09.00	Holy Communion
	11.00	Big Story Sunday
	13.00	Experience Easter Preparation
	19.00	20:20 in Escourt Room

This week's speaker at Tuesday at Two will be Doreen Hutton, presenting a talk on, and photos from, her recent visit to Australia.

St James' Family Days proudly presents..... "FANTASTIC mini BEASTS and where to find them"

Join us to explore the world of mini beasties and more at Drews Pond Woods at 2pm on Saturday 25 March. We'll meet on the cricket field near the orchard. Wear wellies if you fancy wading in the stream, and bring a snack and drink. Depending on time, there may be games on the field too. For further information, please contact Becky on 07506 740950 or becky@st-james-devizes.org.uk

If you are looking forward to seeing stunning flowers in Church at Easter, and would like to contribute towards the cost, there is an Easter Box at the back of Church.

The Traidcraft Stall will next be in Church on Sunday 2 April.

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).

We are approaching the time to prepare the next set of rotas for Sunday Mornings, Cleaning and Junior Church. I would therefore be grateful if you would let me know any dates you are not available to help out between 1 May and 31 August, by email if possible. With thanks, as always, for your continuing support in all these areas. (office @st-james-devizes.org.uk)

Thank you to all who made donations in return for books and CDs. We raised £219.20.

St James' Camp 15 - 16 July

Forms are now at the back of Church to register for this event. If you do not wish to camp overnight, please do come for the day-time sessions. **'Early bird' rates are available until the end of March.**

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

Events coming up in May:

7.30pm Saturday 6 May Concert supporting the Bell Restoration Project with the Chippenham Male Voice Choir.

Thursday 11 May - would you be like to join the ringers on a day trip to visit the John Taylor Bell Foundry Works and Museum? Numbers are limited, details from Colin Smith Tel: 724184.

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.