

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 creche will be available at the back of Church

Worship at St. James' today

- 09.00** **Holy Communion**
Leader & Preacher Revd. Keith Brindle
- 11.00**
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- Readings** John 1:1-18 (p1004)
Hebrews 4:14-16
(p1138)

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:** Sheep Street Baptist Church; Devizes Youthy, Wiltshire Youth for Christ and Devizes Child Contact Centre.

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 6 Feb	09.30	Start the Week Group
	19.30	Bell-ringing Practice
Tue 7 Feb	08.15	Morning Prayer
	11.00	Flower Guild AGM
	14.00	Tuesday at Two
	18.00	10:10
Wed 8 Feb	08.15	Morning Prayer
	10.00	Holy Communion
	19.00	Bell-ringers AGM <i>In Estcourt Room</i>
Thu 9 Feb	19.15	Worship Group Practice
	08.15	Morning Prayer
	10.00	Parentalk
	19.30	Meeting for Children's Work Volunteers <i>In Vicarage</i>
Fri 10 Feb	08.15	LYFE <i>at Costa</i>
	09.45	Toddler Group <i>in Parish Centre</i>
	16.30	Choir Practice
	18.30	Rollercoasters and Impact <i>at SSJA</i>
Sat 11 Feb	15.00	Mini Mess
Sun 12 Feb	09.00	Holy Communion Traidcraft Stall
	11.00	Informal Worship with Holy Communion

After almost 18 very happy years here in Devizes, Gregor and June Morcom are moving to be nearer family. They will be holding a 'garage sale' of household and gardening items at 4, Jackson Close on Monday 13th and Tuesday 14th Feb from 10.00am to 5.00pm. All items are in good condition and full working order.

The 'Mexico 2' Concert held on 21st January raised £546.20p - A huge THANK YOU to everyone who supported us, whether by attending or performing! The funds will cover the building material costs for a house that we intend to build for a family living in the slums of Tijuana, Mexico. Burholts, Sibsons, Morrises & Jennifer Haynes.

You are cordially invited to the Vicarage for a 'bread and soup' lunch. Various dates are available and there are sign-up sheets at the back of Church. The ideal would be a mix of people from both the 9am and 11am services on each date.

Tuesday at Two on **7 February** will feature a poetry session with Nina Woolrych.

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.

ERLESTOKE PRISON

Volunteers are urgently needed to help with the Children's Play Corner during visiting time. These make the prison visits more useful, and caring for the children helps them too, while their relatives have time to talk to the prisoners. If you can help, please contact Penny Wood on 07734 300638 or at penny.woods@barnardos.org.uk

Devizes Youthful Leaders Wanted

This open youth club meets on Wednesday evenings, 6.30 – 9.00pm at Southbroom Centre, next to the Leisure Centre. About twenty 13 – 18 year olds attend each week to enjoy the facilities and benefit from a varied programme. Although it is a secular club, the leaders are keen to maintain a Christian ethos and value links with other Christian youth groups. Please contact Annica (07810 837787) if you are interested in finding out more about what goes on and how you might get involved.

Please note that Angela's hours for the half-term break (13 - 17 February) will be:

Monday to Friday 10.00 - 13.00

The Church will be open from 8.15 for Morning Prayer on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and by 9.00 on Friday.

The office will be closed on Monday 20 and Tuesday 21 February.

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. Please also remember to check the pigeon-holes regularly.