

Notice Sheet for 23rd September 2018

“God heard their groaning and he remembered his covenant with Abraham,
with Isaac and with Jacob.”

Exodus 2 v 24

Welcome to St. James Holy Communion “Moses Part 2: Fight & Flight” Exodus 2 v 11-24

If this is your first visit, make yourself known to either the clergy or sidespersons so we can give you further information about St. James.

Welcome leaflets are available in the foyer giving details about our church activities.

Bibles are available in each pew. **We do have large print Bibles.** Please see sidespersons if you need one.

Gift aid declaration forms and accompanying gift aid envelopes are available in the pews. Further information about regular giving is also available in the foyer.

Prayer ministry is available at the end of the service.

If you would like someone to pray for you, please come to the front.

Refreshments are served after the service. Do join us and get to know one another in an informal way.

Sunday Children’s Groups

The children leave for their groups after the opening time of worship.

Crèche: A supervised crèche for children under 3 years is available in the Centre. Parents can stay with their child if they wish. Alternatively, an unsupervised **children’s corner** is available at the back right of the Church.

Bubbles: Meets in the Church Centre. Children join Bubbles in the September after they turn 3 and stay until the end of school year 1.

Splash: Meets in the Vestry. This group is for children in school years 2 to 5.

Resonate & DC: For children in school year 6 and above in FYC



Next Sunday 30th September 2018

Morning Worship at 10:30am.

For more news and information please visit:

www.stjames-streatham.org.uk

NOTICES

MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

Let's change lives together at "[The Well](#)" Coffee & Cake on Friday 28th September 9am – 12noon.

Every penny raised helps us make a difference to people affected by cancer.

If you can make a cake for this it would be very much appreciated. Please remember to put a list of the ingredients with your cake because of allergies.

LADIES NIGHT

The next Ladies night is 28th September at The Manor Arms, Streatham at 8pm. Contact Ailie Neill or Jo Seymour-Davies for more information.

FOODBANK

If you have items to donate for the Foodbank please place them in the green box in the Centre. Thank you. Items needed.

- Tinned tomatoes
- Rice puddings
- Small bags of rice



SOLO LADIES

Our next Solo Ladies Lunch will be on 30th September. Please see Marion Bird for more details.



CONFIRMATION

'[Confirmation](#)' is the way in which someone becomes a full member of the Church of England and is admitted to Holy Communion. We join once a year for a Confirmation Service with other churches in our area and this year the service will take place at St Mary's, Balham on Sunday 4th November at 4.00pm. If you haven't yet been confirmed and would like to explore the possibility, please speak with Rob as soon as possible. Candidates will be expected to attend some preparation sessions in the weeks leading up to the service.

ST. JAMES ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Please follow us on social media for regular updates and a full picture of life at St. James:



HARVEST BARN DANCE

Come and celebrate harvest in style with the Furzedown Team Ministry on Saturday 6th October, 6.30-8.30pm at St Alban's with live music from local band, Folk of the Wood. Nibbles provided, bring your own drink. Admission by ticket only – Adults £5, Under 16s £2.50. Tickets available in advance from church. See Rob for more details.



MESSY HARVEST

We will be celebrating Harvest at Messy Sunday on 7th October. Please bring along non-perishable goods for our local Foodbank and do join us for a simple soup lunch after the service.

CAN YOU HELP?

We are looking for lots of empty 50ml plastic bottles and metal bottle tops (the kind you get on a bottle of beer) for Messy Harvest. Please see Sarah Murdock if you can help. Thanks.

TIME OUT FOR PARENTS - THE TEENAGE YEARS

A Care for the Family course providing common sense, jargon-free information and ideas to help you engage with your teenager and boost your relationship. 7 weekly sessions starting on 24th September 7.30-9.00pm at St Barnabas Church, Clapham Common North Side. For more information contact Kate Duroux at CarefortheFamilyLondonSW@gmail.com

WHAT'S ON

Date	Time	Event
Sunday 23 rd Sept	10:30am	Holy Communion
Monday 24 th Sept	8:00pm	PCC
Tuesday 25 th Sept	9:00am	The Well In Church Centre
	10:30am	Holy Communion In Church
	3:30pm	Get Set In Church Centre
	6:00pm	FYC In FYC
Wednesday 26 th Sept	5:45pm	Adventurers In Church Centre
Thursday 27 th Sept	10:00am	Little Fishes In Church & Centre
	5:45pm	POD In FYC
Friday 28 th Sept	9:00am	The Well In the Church Centre
	6:00pm	FYC In FYC
Sunday 30 th Sept	10:30am	Morning Worship

e -BULLETINS

Notice sheets are sent to members and regular attendees via email. Please contact the church office if you would like a copy.

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE 2019

Rob is trying to get a good idea of final numbers for the Holy Land Pilgrimage. If you are planning to join the trip in March 2019, please confirm this with Rob as soon as possible. Thank you



HOBNOBS

Hobnobs (for senior members) has started up again on Thursday's at St. Albans. There is a flyer on the table in the centre to let you know what events are taking place.

YOUTH MINISTRY

We are in **urgent need** of volunteers to help with [Youth Ministry](#) on Sunday mornings. Please see Rob if you can help.



FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE

Our next meeting is 5th October. Chris Hart is coming to give the members a musical afternoon. Part of the afternoon will be devoted to sharing and singing members favourite hymns, choruses, or songs especially if they are rarely sung these days. Hence, members are being asked to indicate this information on a pro forma attached to the latest circular.

Dates of meetings are:

Friday 9th November and Saturday 8th December

HEARING INDUCTION LOOP

Please set your hearing device to 'T'. The strongest signal is around the walls of the church. Please avoid the sound desk.



"When my life was ebbing away, I remembered you, Lord, and my prayer rose to you, to your holy temple" Jonah 2:7

Please pray for the following members of our church family

**Neils Ribeiro Snr., Jenny & Colin Roach, Doreen Chandler,
Elaine Price, Doris Baker and Dave & Michaela Ingram.**

Bianca Palmieri: undergoing head surgery at KCH to fit a monitor. Pray for successful surgery & healing.

Give thanks that 12 year-old **Micha** is now out of intensive care and responding slowly. Pray for continued strength for her and for the family.

Lawrence Adekunle: very ill and suffering from advanced pancreatic cancer. Pray for him at this time and his wife and son Moses as they support him.

Revd Sandy White: ex member of St James and former minister here, who has now been diagnosed with early stage cancer. Pray for her and her family and for the success of her forthcoming treatment.

Imani Davis: who is now out of hospital and coping well. Pray for her and Ebony and Mark and siblings.

June McCusker: (Pauline Pepperrell's mum) who has suffered a broken hip after a fall several weeks ago. Pray also for her to receive the right treatment for another condition she has and for her husband **Larry**.

Irene Moses: please pray as she has an ongoing work-related stress issue; pray that matters will soon be resolved, that God gives her wisdom and courage to pursue things and that her health improves.

Joyce Moses: please pray for her full recovery from a chest infection and weakness.

Tony Herbert: for God's comfort and patience as he awaits further tests and consultations regarding the cancer in his prostate.

Gilly Bishenden: in Queen Mary's Hospital Roehampton, who has suffered another chest infection.

David Chipunza: now out of hospital and having a course of chemo to reduce his benign pancreatic tumour.

Joan Langford: very thankful for your prayers and now home again. Pray for her ongoing care and recovery and that she gets the rest and medical attention she needs.

Edgar Lewis: still unwell and in hospital.

Augustus Myrie: whose mobility has improved but is still waiting for a hospital appointment.

Jo Seymour-Davies: give thanks for good progress and healing to date in Jo's leg.

Give thanks for a successful launch of our new **Small Groups** and pray for their ongoing growth and fellowship.

Pray for our mission partners **Alun & Debbie Burt & family:** serving God and the community in Heideveld, Cape Town, South Africa; for their work in the discipleship of young people and the Arise ministry to families. Continue to pray for their work and safety and that their funding needs for the future may be met.

Pray for refugees seeking a place of safety: give thanks for the creation of a 'buffer zone' between warring sides in Idlib in Syria and that this may lead to peace and security for the civilian population there.

Pray for the seemingly intractable problem of 'Brexit' to be justly and wisely negotiated towards a solution which is both fair and yet meets the needs of both Britain and Europe at this time. Pray for the Prime Minister and Government and for European leaders.

Pray for Christians and others suffering hunger, imprisonment, injustice and persecution; that God may provide the help and comfort that they need in the most challenging of circumstances.

Thank you for sharing in our ministry of prayer.

Would you appreciate prayer for yourself or for something that affects you?

Then please do speak to Johan or Rob or send a text, email or phone. (See details in church directory)

NEWSHEET CONTRIBUTIONS

Please send all your newsletter notices/requests to the Church Office

☎ 020 8677 3947 ✉ admin_stjameschurch@btinternet.com before 9:00am on Friday.

CONTACT US

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Office Hours: Mon - Wed 9:30am to 2:30pm Thurs & Fri 9:30am to 5:00pm

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