

Notice Sheet for 29th June 2025

“Take courage! I AM! Do not be afraid!”

Matthew 14 v 27

All Age Morning Worship

10.30am on Sunday 29th June 2025



Next Week: Sunday 6th July 2025

All Age Messy Worship @ 10.30am

For more news and information please visit: www.stjames-streatham.org.uk

LAPTOP TEAM

We are very grateful for the dedicated team who operate the laptop each Sunday to project the service onto the screens. **We are in urgent need of new volunteers to join the team if we are going to be able to continue using the screen every Sunday.** So, please speak to Rob if you think you could help.

CHRISTIANS AGAINST POVERTY (CAP)

Paula Thomas has recently finished training as a Debt Coach for CAP, which involves visiting clients who are in debt in their homes, gathering information about their situation and delivering advice on routes to help them become debt free. It is also an opportunity to speak to people about Jesus. For safeguarding reasons Paula needs to be accompanied on her visits by someone from one of the local churches, known as a 'befriender', who would also become a contact for the client if they needed someone to talk to. It doesn't require training and Paula will only be seeing one new client per month so the commitment isn't huge. If you have some time to spare, during the day, and are interested in finding out more please contact Paula (email: paulafca@aol.com)

RACIAL AWARENESS GROUP

Our PCC is currently enjoying some lively and fruitful discussions on the important subject of promoting racial awareness in our church. Many ideas for action are emerging and we would like to form a small working group to consider the ideas and devise a plan. If you are interested in joining the group please speak to Rocky Deans or either of the Church Wardens.

ROB'S INDUCTION IN ORPINGTON

Rob will be inducted as Vicar of Christ Church Orpington at 7.30pm on **Wednesday 23rd July** and he, Claire and Beth would be delighted to see friends from St James at the service. All are welcome. The address is **Christ Church, 165 Charterhouse Road, Orpington, Kent, BR6 9EP.**

THE BRIDGE

You can read the latest edition of the diocesan paper here - <https://southwark.anglican.org/news-events/news/the-bridge-newspaper/>

TURKEY 2025

Rob is leading a trip to Turkey from 16-23 September 2025 to visit the ancient sites of the seven churches of Revelation plus a few places associated with the ministry of Paul. Why not join us for this great adventure and have your ears and eyes opened to God's life-changing word. To see the e-brochure and booking form see here - www.maranatha.co.uk/7Churches2025RevRob.pdf or ask Rob for a paper version.



Although bookings can be taken until June, it would be helpful for Rob to know as soon as possible if you are intending to come – this will help Rob in planning and preparing for the trip. Thank you.

PARISH SUPPORT FUND THANKS

The Bishop of Southwark has sent a letter to parishes to express his grateful thanks for the generous contribution to the Parish Support Fund (PSF) and commitment to supporting ministry across our diverse diocese. You can read the letter on the notice board in the Church Centre.

POD GROUPS

After careful and prayerful thought, we have made the decision to join both the Girls and Boys POD groups together. We will meet every Thursday 6pm - 7.30pm during the school term in FYC. Please speak to Alan Burrows for more details.

HELP NEEDED AT THE WELL

As Beth will be leaving St James at the end of June we are looking for new volunteers to help out at The Well, our weekly café on Tuesday mornings. If you are interested in getting involved in this valuable ministry to our community, please speak to Beth.

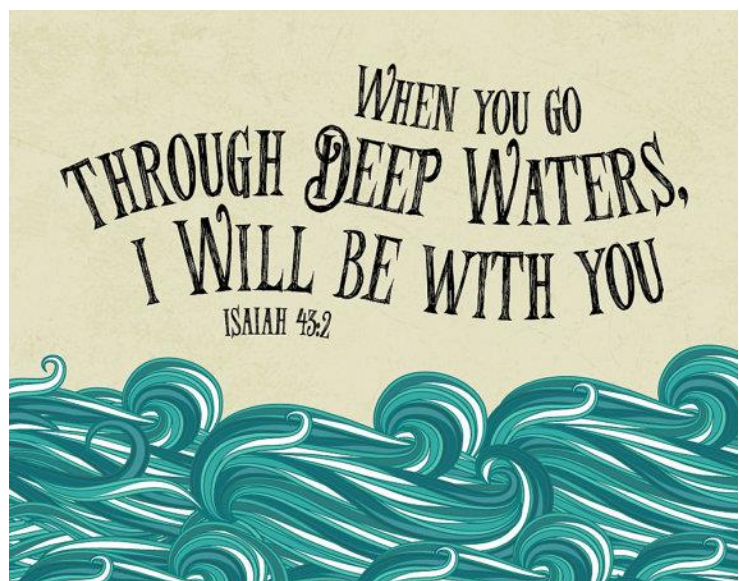
JUDY DOUGLAS

Judy will be ordained as a permanent Deacon at Southwark Cathedral on Saturday 28th June at 11am. Attendance is by invitation only as spaces are very limited. However, you can watch the livestream by clicking this link:

<https://cathedral.southwark.anglican.org/worship-and-music/worship/live-service-stream/>

WHAT'S ON

Date	Time	Event
Tuesday 1 st July	9.00am	The Well In the Church Centre
	10.30am	Holy Communion In the Vestry
	5.45pm	Adventurers In the Church and Centre
Wednesday 2 nd July	9.30am	Staff Meeting In the Vestry
	3.30pm	Get Set In the Church and Centre
Thursday 3 rd July	10.00am	Little Fishes In the Church and Centre
	6.00pm	POD for Boys & Girls In FYC
Friday 4 th July	6.00pm	Youth Club In FYC
Sunday 6 th July	10.30am	All Age Messy Worship



GIVING AT ST JAMES

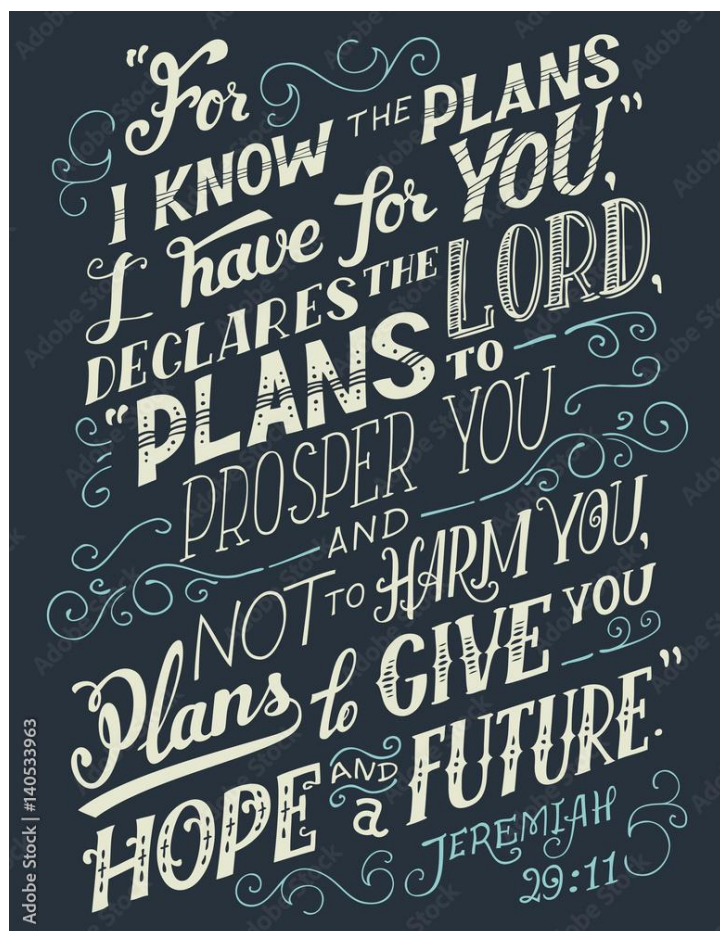
We will be taking up an offering in today's service, but there are other ways of giving to the ministry and mission of St James.

If you wish to donate by card, the **Contactless Giving** unit is available on the Information Desk. You can also make a donation online by visiting [Online Giving to St James PCC](#).

For further information about ways to give please pick up an '**Investing in the Vision**' leaflet from the Information Desk or speak to Alan Burrows. You can also sign up to the Parish Giving Scheme which is managed by Southwark Diocese who collect your donation, and any Gift Aid, and forward it onto St James' without cost.

Gift Aid: if you are UK taxpayer, you can increase your donation at no further cost to you just by completing a simple form (available from the office).

Thank you for your faithful and generous support.



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