



**The Parish Church of
 Saint James the Apostle
 with
 Saint Mary Magdalene**
 Quedgeley and Kingsway
The Reverend Canon Father John F. Ward
 Rector and Parish Priest
 The Diocese of Gloucester - The Church of England

SUNDAY 19 JULY
TRINITY 6

09.00 Holy Eucharist (Said) – Fr Ian
11.00 Holy Eucharist (Said) – Fr Hugh
12.00pm - 4pm Church Open For Prayer and Reflection.

MONDAY 20 JULY
Father John's Day Off

8.30am – 5.00pm - Monday - Saturday
Church Open for Private Prayer & Reflection

TUESDAY 21 JULY
Father John's Day Off

8.00 Morning Prayer – Lady Chapel
5.00 Evening Prayer – Lady Chapel

WEDNESDAY 22 JULY
SAINT
MARY MAGDALENE

8.00 Morning Prayer – Lady Chapel
5.00 Evening Prayer – Lady Chapel
5.30pm – 6.30pm CHURCH PARISH OFFICE

THURSDAY 23 JULY

8.00 Morning Prayer – Lady Chapel
5.00 Evening Prayer – Lady Chapel

FRIDAY 24 JULY

8.00 Morning Prayer – Lady Chapel
5.00 Evening Prayer – Lady Chapel

SATURDAY 25 JULY
OUR LADY ON SATURDAY

8.30 Morning Prayer – Lady Chapel
9.00am – 10.00am CHURCH PARISH OFFICE
5.00 Evening Prayer – Lady Chapel

SUNDAY 26 JULY

SAINT JAMES
THE APOSTLE
OUR PATRON SAINT

09.00 Holy Eucharist (Said)
11.00 Holy Eucharist (Said)
12.00pm - 4pm Church Open For
Prayer and Reflection.



Parable of the Sower

QUOTE FOR THE WEEK

"The tiny Seed knew that in order to
Grow it needed to be dropped in the
Dirt, covered in darkness and Struggle
to reach the Light"

(Unknown)

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Helen Jones, David Way, Ray Wright, Lu Pearce, Helen Browning, Pat Hall, Shirley Wilce, and those on our hearts and minds.
Families effected by Domestic Violence and all those who mourn – especially those in bereavement caused by the Coronavirus

PRAYERS FOR THE DEPARTED

Jean Hanks, the victims of Covis-19, natural disaster and especially of Domestic Violence also Year's Mind of the departed

CANON JOHN'S NOTES

THESE TIMES - RECTOR

These times are very difficult, tiring and frustrating they also seem to be going on and on. There is a wonderful family here at Saint James and related to Saint James parish Church. We can see the light if we look for it and if we continue to be vigilant. It is our fellowship and faith that brings us fully into that light of Jesus Christ, and it is that light and perseverance that will allow us all to meet again as one family in the Lord, and in the place we love. - *Fr John.*

THANKS FROM THE RECTOR

Just to put you all in the picture, although I feel well I am still waiting the result of my Coronavirus test, until I have the result the public part of my ministry has to be put on hold. I would just like to thank you and my colleagues for your love, support and prayers. As I wait and pray for the all clear which will enable me to join you in worship and praise, especially at the table of the Lord - *Fr John.*

FEED THE HUNGRY

The lockdown has meant that we have been unable at Saint James to have food collections for the Gloucester food bank. There are in most food stores (*Tesco Quedgeley for one*) collection points where we can deposit food items to reach the food bank and feed the hungry – please consider this especially as the school holidays approach. – *Fr John.*

FACE MASKS

A very big thumbs up and a big smile to Jackie Broad for the lovely face masks she has been sewing and making available in church. Not only are they attractive, practical and varied (*she made me a Cannons one*) but they also have

benefited church finance and are and will be a great comfort too many in these sad days – Thank you Jackie – Fr John.

THE CHURCH PARISH OFFICE

Has opened again for the arranging of :-

BAPTISMS/CHRISRENINGS

WEDDINGS

OTHER SERVICES

The Office Times are:-

Wednesday's from 5.30pm – 6.30pm

Saturday's from 9.00am – 10.00am

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

From Sunday 19th July 2020 and on successive Sundays the church will be open for the Holy Eucharist (*Said*) at the temporary times of :-

09.00am – 9.45am – Holy Eucharist (Said)

11.00am – 11.45am - Holy Eucharist (Said)

FINANCE

Holy Scripture (*the Bible*) reminds us we will need to be "Good Stewards" of the many blessing to receive from God, if we are to fill the present gap in our finances and as we move together out of "Lockdown" some other "Fund Raising" ideas need to be considered like:-

Consideration to that which we already give/offer in our personal giving to the church.

I commend the parish giving scheme – *it is easy to join and very much under your control.*

A "Gift Day" – *more information on this to follow*

A Social Event.

A Rectory Barbeque.

A Garden Tea/s. (*Weather permitting*)

A Parish wide Raffle (*This can generate a lot of much needed finance*)

The Christmas Fayre. (*Which will be a very important fund raiser*)

We do need the finance, so we need many more fund raising suggestions. Any of the above or other will also need and depend on our participation and support in whatever way we can offer it. - Fr John.

