

**The church is now open during the following times for private prayer:**

**Sunday 12noon - 4.00pm**

One of the clergy is usually available 10.15am – 12noon

**Monday – Saturday 9.30am – 5.00pm**

During term-time, Morning Prayer is said at 9.15am on Monday to Thursday. The Revd Mark is available then for pastoral conversations. Please contact him by phone or email to discuss the arranging of Weddings, Banns of Marriage, Baptisms, etc.

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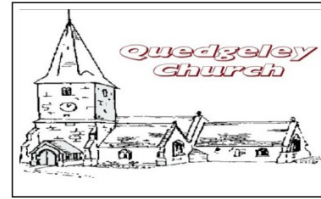
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**The Parish Church of  
St JAMES the APOSTLE  
& St MARY MAGDALENE  
Quedgeley & Kingsway  
Diocese of Gloucester**



#### **21<sup>st</sup> July: St James the Apostle – Patronal Festival**

#### **10.30am Parish Eucharist**

cel: & pr: The Revd. Mark

#### **Bible readings for the Eucharist:**

**First Reading:** Acts 11.27 – 12.2

Reader: Steve Morris

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** 2 Corinthians 4. 7 -15

Reader: Una Steer

**Acclamation:** Alleluia, **Alleluia.**

I do not call you servants but friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father .

**Alleluia, Alleluia.**

**Gospel:** St Matthew 20. 20 - 28

**Intercessions** led by: Andrew Wakely

#### **Collect for The Patronal Festival**

Almighty God, who built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with St James and St Mary Magdalene, with Jesus Christ himself as the chief cornerstone: so join us together in unity of spirit by their doctrine, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

#### **Prayer after Communion**

Almighty God, who on the day of Pentecost sent your Holy Spirit to the Apostles with the wind from heaven and in tongues of flame, filling them with joy and boldness to preach the gospel: by the power of the same Spirit strengthen us to witness to your truth and to draw everyone to the fire of your love, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Hymns at the Eucharist today : 178 (v 1,2,3,5,8); 304; “As I kneel” (words inside book cover); 45; 98**

**please pray for:** those who are ill: Marita Westgate, Elizabeth, Jane & Doug Drakeley, June, Jo Miles, Kevin Dewhurst, Margaret Hartley, Monika, Fr. Gordon, Mary Ellis, Pam Westwood, Rita Cornwall, Tina Steer, Marie Spicer, Barbara Valander, Ruby, Pauline Burgwin, Millie Worrell, Pat Hall, Fr. Hugh

**those who have died:** all whom we have known & loved; all who have worshipped with us here; all victims of domestic abuse; those who have died as a result of political violence; victims of natural disasters.

**After the Eucharist today (21st): StJs - resourcing and planning meeting, Sunday 21 July after worship, lunch provided**

If you would like to attend a first StJs resourcing and planning meeting looking at the period September 2024 to January 2025, it will be on **Sunday 21 July** after church with lunch provided. If you intend to come, please let Revd Mark know.

**In St James Church: in the coming weeks:**

**24<sup>th</sup> July: St Mary Magdalene**  
**10am Eucharist.**

2 Corinthians 5. 14-17; John 20. 1-2,11-18

**24<sup>th</sup> July: 11.30am "Bounce & Rhyme"** for mums, dads, & babies 0-9months: half an hour of songs & rhymes & bouncing on the knee! Every Wednesday in church.

**26<sup>th</sup> July: 12noon** Renewal of Marriage Vows: Terry & Norma (Fr. David).

**28<sup>th</sup> July: Trinity 8**

2 Kings 4. 42 – 44; Ephesians 3. 14-21; John 6.1-21

**From the Revd Mark:**

**Times of Sunday Worship:** The ministry team have agreed that the new worship pattern should begin on 1<sup>st</sup> September – the Parish Eucharist will therefore begin at 10am.

*There will not be an STJ service on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sept. From Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> Sept, the Eucharist will be at 10am & STJ's at 11.45am.*

**StJs' Outdoor Baptism - August 4th at 10.30am.**

If you or anyone you know would like to be baptised, please call Revd Mark on 01452 722916

**Good News – we have one, but still wanted : one adult bike in reasonable condition to pass on to a good home .**

Please speak to Revd Mark. Only bikes in good condition are needed. Thank You!

**Next "Church Jobs and Deep-Clean Morning" : Saturday 3rd August, 10am-12pm.**

If you are willing and able to help with jobs around the church building and with helping with a deep clean, please come to church at 10am on Saturday 3rd August. Tea / coffee and bacon rolls will be provided!

**Fr Hugh: an update:** He is comfortable in hospital, undergoing tests. He sends his love to everyone, with thanks for all the cards, messages, and above all, the prayers for him and Jackie.

**From "Help if We Can":**

The annual visit to the National Memorial Arboretum at Alrewas near Lichfield is on Tuesday 24th September. £25 pp. Contact : Steve Smith at "Help If We Can" as soon as possible.