

The church is open daily for private prayer, from 9.15am – 5pm (Summer-time) or 4pm (Winter-time).

Morning Prayer is said at 9.15am on Monday to Friday throughout the year. The Revd Mark is available for pastoral conversations during term-time from Monday- Thursday after 9.45am. Please contact him by phone or email to discuss the arranging of Weddings, Banns of Marriage, Baptisms, etc.

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18th October: Twentieth Sunday after Trinity

10.00am The Parish Eucharist

cel: The Revd. Mark pr: The Revd. Deacon Rosa

Bible Readings for the Eucharist

1st Reading: Isaiah 45. 1 - 7

Reader: Angela Hughes

2nd Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1. 1 - 10

Reader: Lovell Cornwall

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Your word is truth, O Lord; consecrate us in the truth.

Alleluia, alleluia!

Gospel: St Matthew 22. 15 - 22

Intercessions: led by Andrew Wakely

Collect for Trinity 20

God, the giver of life, whose Holy Spirit wells up within your Church: by the Spirit's gifts equip us to live the gospel of Christ and make us eager to do your will, that we may share with the whole creation the joys of eternal life; through Jesus Christ 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

God our Father, whose Son, the light unfailing, has come from heaven to deliver the world from the darkness of ignorance: let these holy mysteries open the eyes of our understanding that we may know the way of life, and walk in it without stumbling; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Hymns : 552, 465, 756, 81, 174, 19

11.45am STJ's Worship & Praise

please pray for: those who are ill: Marita Westgate, Elizabeth, Jane & Doug Drakeley, June, Jo Miles, Kevin Dewhirst, Janet Dewhirst, Nicholas Lee, Mary Ellis, Rita Cornwall, Marie Spicer, Barbara Valander, Millie Worrell, Joy Cockerton, Tony Cockerton, Cathy, Pam Westwood, Shirley Buckle, Di Allen, Paul Keenan, Lovell Cornwall, Barbara Eve, Marie Taylor, Lu Pearce, Caroline Meek, Jason, Una Steer

those who have died: all those 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.

In St James Church: in the near future:

21st October: St Luke the Evangelist
10am Eucharist *The Revd. Ann*
2 Timothy 4.5-7; St Luke 10.1-9

11.00am **"Sing & Play"** for babies, toddlers, & carers

23rd October: 7pm Choir rehearsal; new singers always welcome!

Sunday 25th October: Last Sunday after Trinity

10am: Parish Eucharist

Leviticus 19.1-2,15-18; 1 Thessalonians 2. 1-8; St Matthew 22.34-46

11.45am: StJs Worship & Praise

Friday 6th Nov: "Festival of Reflections": 7pm at Severn Vale School – Band, choir & soloists, dancers. Parade of Standards, traditional songs. Bar, raffle, auction. Tickets £5 booked in advance on email: bulldog.smith@btinternet.com All in aid of "Help if We Can"

Saturday 14th November: Autumn Fair

Quedgeley Community Centre. Draw tickets available now from Jackie Hall. Volunteers to help with setting up the hall and clearing away afterwards will be most welcome! We also need people to run stalls: please see the list at the back of the church.

From the Revd. Mark:

"Happy birthday, Caroline!". Thank you to everyone who responded to Caroline's invitation to donate to our "Next Steps Restoration" appeal. As we go to press, the total received stands at £711. **THANK YOU!**

Advent Study Day

This year our Advent "away day" will be run by Revd Deacon Rosa from 9am-4pm on **Friday 27th November** at Rudford Church and School room.

The school room is a cosy warm space used regularly for retreats with the historic church next door. Taking inspiration from Scripture, the day will offer a chance for us to explore how to remain present to Christ in the hectic noise of the run up to Christmas celebrations. It will provide a place of calm, peace, fellowship and discussion to help us be ready for the festivities ahead.

Cost is £15 per person which includes lunch and refreshments. Any money left over after costs are covered will be donated to the St James Next Steps Appeal.

Please contact Deacon Rosa to book your place.

Sponsored climb up Snowdon (Yr Wyddfa) - EMILY SIDDALL

Emily Siddall will be climbing Snowdon in October half-term in support of St James Next Steps Building Project. All costs of the trip will be covered separately. To sponsor Emily please fill in the sponsor form at the back of church.

Memorial Service : 1st November at 3.00pm &

Requiem for All Souls: 4th November at 10.00am.

There is a list at the back of the church for the names of loved ones who you would like to be remembered. The names will be offered at both services.

(Please print in capitals, using Christian name and surname & thus avoid confusion.)