

Notice Sheet for 11th November 2018

"So Moses and Aaron said to all the Israelites, "In the evening you will know that it was the Lord who brought you out of Egypt, and in the morning you will see the glory of the Lord."

Exodus 16 v 6 - 7

Welcome to St. James Remembrance Sunday with Holy Communion Moses Part 7: "God Provides" Exodus 16 v 1-18

If this is your first visit please complete a "Welcome to Church" card available in the pew. Detach the end section for yourself and hand in the rest at the Information Desk so we can send you information about life at St. James.

Prayer ministry is available at the end of the service. If you would like someone to pray for you, please come to the Prayer Corner at the back of Church.

Refreshments are served after service please do stay and get to know one another in an informal way.

Gift aid envelopes are available in the pews. Further information about regular giving is also available in the foyer.

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 18th November 2018

Morning Worship with Prayer & Anointing at 10:30am For more news and information please visit: www.stjames-streatham.org.uk

NOTICES

HELP NEEDED

Furzedown Churches Ltd [FCL] is the charity run by our 4 local churches which provides our Sunday youth ministry and our joint activities like Christmas events, Holiday at Home and Furzedown Big Day out. Chris Mason has stepped down as treasurer and we are looking to fill the vacancy. Chris [who has no financial qualifications!] says it is a straightforward role - less than 2 hours a month, plus preparing for 3 board meetings a year and getting the accounts examined by a professional. There is no cash to count or bank as it received and spent electronically and the book keeping is done by someone else! Chris is very happy to give a long handover. Please contact him on <u>christophervmason@gmail.com</u> or speak to Rob.

CHRISTMAS CHOIR

The Furzedown Churches Christmas Choir will be singing in this year's Carol Service at St. James on 16th December at 7pm. If you would like to be part of the choir please note the rehearsal dates: 18th & 25th November, 2nd & 9th December, all at St. James from 4pm-5pm. All are welcome.

IN GRATEFUL MEMORY

This year's annual service to remember our loved ones who have died will take place **TONIGHT at 6pm** at St. James. All are welcome to join us for a quiet service of reflection and prayer with the opportunity to light a candle in memory of your loved one. Refreshments will be served after the service.



THANK YOU MESSAGE

The Lewis family would like to thank St. James church members that were able to attend Edgar's memorial last Friday. It was an enjoyable night which reflected on the memories of Edgar and Ena. We hope that you can all join us this Friday for Edgar's funeral service

ST. JAMES ON SOCIAL MEDIA

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



FOODBANK

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

• tinned carrots



- jam
- fruit juices both bottles and cartons

FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE DATE

Christmas Lunch Saturday 8th December at 12.00 Please complete and return the menu choice form to John along with the appropriate money. You can pay in instalments if you wish.

CHRISTMAS DINNER AT ST. ALBAN'S

St. Alban's will be hosting Christmas dinner again this year, on Christmas Day from 1pm to 5pm. Three courses with wine for £14. Please see John Farebrother for more details.

CHRISTMAS QUIZ

Our intern Beth will be hosting a Christmas Quiz Night on Saturday 8th December at 6pm in the Church Centre. This will be a great way

to kick off the festive season! Entrance is free, but space is limited so please collect a ticket from Beth after the service. Drinks and nibbles will be provided but please bring a dish of food to share.



WHAT'S ON		
Date	Time	Event
Sunday 11 th November	10:30am	Remembrance Sunday with Holy Communion
	6:00pm	In Grateful Memory
Tuesday 13 th November	9:00am	The Well in the Church Centre
	10:30am	Holy Communion in Church
	3:30pm	Get Set in the Church Centre
	6:00pm	FYC in FYC
Wednesday 14 th November	5:45pm	Adventurers in the Church Centre
Thursday 15 th November	10:00am	Little Fishes in Church & Centre
	6:00pm	POD in FYC
Friday 16 ^њ November	9:00am	The Well is closed today
	12:00	Funeral of Edgar Lewis in Church
	6:00pm	FYC In FYC
Sunday 18 th November	10:30am	Morning Worship in Church
	5:00pm	In Touch

THANK YOU

Thank you for your prayers for Micha the 12 year old girl who had a heart attack. She is now home and recoving well. Her family and friends and the community where she lives thank you so much for your prayers. It has been a real inspiration for them.

ADVENT GIFT DAY 2018

This year's Advent Gift Day will be on Sunday 2nd December. This is our annual opportunity to thank God for all His blessings by giving a one-off gift over and above our normal giving. Our target this year is £15,000 of which the first £3,000 will be divided between Alun & Debbie Burt in South Africa and Onside Soccer Uganda, the rest going to support our ongoing mission and ministry here in Furzedown. Please see the flyer for more details and pick up a gift envelope for Advent Sunday.

e -BULLETINS

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

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.



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD 2018

We are participating in Operation Christmas Child 2018 and our target is to collect a minimum of 100 boxes this year. Pre-printed shoeboxes can be collected free from the information desk at the back of church on Sundays, or from the Church Office. You are more than welcome to decorate and bring your own shoebox if you prefer. Please see the leaflet with details of how to pack your shoebox, including a list of "gift ideas" as well as details of what not to pack. A donation of £5 is required to help the boxes to get to their destination. This can be done online or by cash via the Church Office. Boxes must be returned by Friday 16th November. Please see Christina in the Church Office for further information.



"... But David found strength in the Lord his God." 1 Samuel 30: 6b

Please pray for the following members of our church family

Augustus Myrie, Jenny & Colin Roach, Doris Baker, Gilly Bishenden, Tony Herbert, Doreen Chandler, Elaine Price, Dave & Michaela Ingram and Neils Ribeiro Snr.

Abigail Sofowote: as she returns to Nigeria this Sunday. For her health and strength and safety in travel. Christina Contreras: Give thanks that Christina, our church manager is recovering well from her fall last week. Lance & Gary Lewis & family: preparing for Edgar's funeral this Friday at St James. May it be a time of blessing. Pray for Rob & Claire's daughter Charis & husband Peter and family after Peter's Dad suffered a massive stroke during surgery several weeks ago and will not recover. Pray God will take Steve quickly and comfort the family. Eddy Williams: Give thanks for a successful operation and good recovery. Pray for Eddie & Santha at home now. Bianca Palmieri: who is feeling much better now. Continue praying for her healing and recovery.

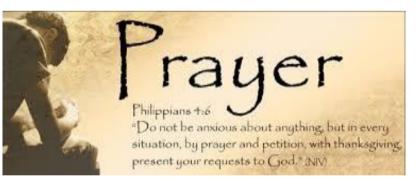
For Claire's Mum, **Elaine**, recovering from foot surgery; for pain relief and a quick recovery without complications. **Lawrence Adekunle**: suffering advanced pancreatic cancer; pray for Lawrence & family and ongoing treatment. Give thanks that **Micha** is making such a good recovery now and despite restricted movement down one side, is able to get out and about. The family have valued your prayers the results of which have proved a great witness. **Bethany Powell**: a little better recently but still suffering ongoing stomach problems.

Irene Moses: for the beneficial resolution of a work-related stress issue and consequent improvement in health.

Sam Talbot and Bethany Goddard: as they work with our young people here in Furzedown whether in our Sunday groups or at FYC on Tuesday and Friday evenings. Pray for them and for those <u>volunteers</u> who help and give freely of their time. Pray also for the <u>FYC Board of Directors</u> and for the Chair, **Geoff Vevers**.

Thank you for sharing in our ministry of prayer.

Would <u>you</u> 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 200 8677 3947 \arrow admin stjameschurch@btinternet.com before 9:00am on Friday.

CONTACT US

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Bank Details

Barclays Bank plc, Sort Code: 20-96-89 Account No: 00196878, Account Name: **St James PCC**

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