



Notice Sheet for 21st July 2024
“Who are you, Lord?” Saul asked.
Acts 9:5

All Age Worship with Prayer and Anointing

10.30am on Sunday 21st July



Furzedown Churches

August Sundays

SUNDAY 4TH AUGUST
10:30AM
AT ST JAMES' CHURCH

SUNDAY 11TH AUGUST
10:30AM
AT ST ALBAN'S CHURCH

SUNDAY 18TH AUGUST
10:30AM
AT MITCHAM LANE BAPTIST CHURCH

SUNDAY 25TH AUGUST
10AM
AT ST PAUL'S CHURCH

ON SUNDAYS THROUGHOUT AUGUST WE WORSHIP TOGETHER,
AS ONE CHURCH.
ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US!

Next Week: Sunday 28th July 2024

Furzedown Churches Joint Service at St Alban's Church @ 10.30am

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

FOODBANK DONATIONS

For details about how to donate food to our local Foodbank visit: www.wandsworth.foodbank.org.uk or call 020 7326 9428.

Items of greatest need:

Cooking oil (small bottles) + Sugar (small) + Size 2, 3 & 7 nappies + Jam + Women's deodorant + Non bio laundry tablets + Small bags of Basmati/quick cook rice + Tinned soup + Pasta Sauce + Tinned tuna + Corned beef + Tinned sweetcorn, tomatoes, potatoes & fruit + Long life juice/squash + Tinned Custard/Rice Pudding + Biscuits + baby wipes + Shower Gel + Baby tooth brushes.

HOLIDAY @ HOME

The Furzedown Churches Holiday @ Home will be at MLBC from **Tuesday 13th – Friday 16th August.**

Volunteers are needed! Please see Glynis for more information.

More details on what is happening and how you can sign up will be available soon.

ROB'S SABBATICAL

Rob will begin his sabbatical on 1st July and will return on 1st October. He will take some family holiday, have some retreat time, and do some travelling to Krakow, Turkey and York. He will also be doing some theological reading and lots of prayerful reflection. Claire & Beth will still be around and working at St James during term time but will be out of action during the school holidays.

During this period, legal responsibility for the parish rests with the Church Wardens, and Rev Mark Pybus will take the lead on worship and spiritual matters. They will be supported by our Church Manager Alan Burrows; and the PCC. So, please refer to them with matters of concern during Rob's sabbatical until he returns at the beginning of October.

FLOWERS AT ST JAMES

Thank you to our flower team who beautify our church for worship every Sunday. To sponsor flowers for a Sunday service please see the sign up sheet in the Church Centre and contact Beverly at bevogi@hotmail.com

ST JAMES TREASURER

Alan Burrows will be officially stepping down as Treasurer at the next APCM (2025). We are looking for someone to replace him. It does not require you to be a qualified accountant, but an understanding of double entry bookkeeping, reconciliations and excel will be an advantage. Alan has offered to introduce interested people to the software we use. This can be after a Sunday service for 1hr max a week, or monthly to suit the volunteer.

Please speak to Alan Burrows via the office for further information.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

We have great need for volunteers across many areas of ministry here at St James. Please prayerfully consider how you may be able to help in the following ministries and speak to the named person for more information.

The Well on Tuesdays (Bethany Powell)

FYC on Fridays (Alan Burrows)

Transport on Sundays (John Farebrother)

Sunday Children/Youth groups (Bethany or Claire Powell)

Little Fishes on Thursdays (Rev. Rob Powell)

WEEKLY PARISH MAIL

As part of our annual review of parish mail, we would like to know if you wish to continue receiving a hard copy of our weekly Notice Sheet and Service Sheet. Each week we distribute 23 copies to our members who are less able to join us on Sundays.

We also upload these each week to our website for everyone, and we would like to encourage those who can, to view them online.

So, if you currently receive a copy through your door each week, please let Alan Burrows know in the office if you wish to remain receiving it this way. Thank you

FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE

Friday 26th July 2024.

The Friendship Circle will be having a trip to Eastbourne.

The cost of the trip is £20. Only two places left, so please sign up quickly. For further information please contact **Rocky 07886330425 or Stepheney 07961319216.**

WHAT'S ON

Date	Time	Event
Friday 26 th July	9.00am	Friendship Circle Eastbourne Trip
Sunday 28 ^h July	10.30am	Joint Sunday Service @ St Alban's Church
Sunday 4 th August	10.30	Joint Sunday Service with Baptism @ St James Church
Sunday 11 th August	10.30am	Joint Sunday Service @ St Alban's Church
Sunday 18 th August	10.30am	Joint Sunday Service @ MLBC
Sunday 25 th August	10.00am	Joint Sunday Service @ St Paul's Church

THE BRIDGE

The latest edition of the Southwark Diocese newspaper is available to read online [here](#).

GIVING ENVELOPES

If you would like to support St James by regular giving envelopes, or if you currently give this way and would like to continue, please let **Alan Burrows** know by the **21st July**. Thank you



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.

ST JAMES SUMMER FETE

St James Church opened their doors to the community on the 6th July with its Summer Fete. Despite the wet weather we had a good turnout in the Church Centre. A special thank you to all the volunteers who gave up their time and contributed refreshments for the event. We raised **£220.68** from the Tombola and Toy sales.

OFFICE CLOSURE

Alan Burrows will be on annual leave from **Saturday 20th and will return Tuesday 30th July**. Emails and phone calls to the office will not be picked up until Alan's return on the 30th July.

If you have an urgent matter you would like to discuss, please contact either of our Church Wardens; Kirk Douglas (kirkmdouglas@live.co.uk) or John Talbot email (john.n.talbot@talk21.com)

If you have an urgent pastoral matter, please contact Rocky Deans (guywillis1@hotmail.com)

Thank you

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