

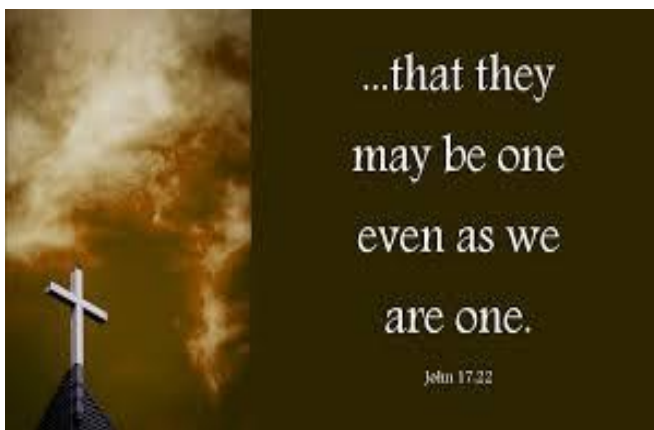


Notice Sheet for 8th September 2024

'I have given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one'
(John 17:22)

Holy Communion Service with Children's Groups

10.30am on Sunday 8th September



Sunday Children's Groups

The children leave for their groups after the opening time of worship and return for Communion.

The children's corner is available at the back right of the Church for parents with pre-school children, and a supervised **Creche** is available after the opening time of worship in the Church Centre.

Bubbles is for children in Reception and Year 1 & 2 and meets in the Hatch Room in the Church Centre.

Splash is for children in Years 3 - 6 and meets in the Youth Centre next door. Children meet in the Church Centre to go over together.

Xstream is for children in Year 7+ and meets in the Youth Centre next door. Children meet in the Church Centre to go over



Next Week: Sunday 15th September 2024

All Age worship with Prayer & Anointing and Baptism @ 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) + Toilet Rolls 4 pack + Size 2 & 3 nappies + Baby Wipes + Men & Women's deodorant + Shower Gel + Tinned meat and vegetable meals + Tinned Lentils + Baby toothpaste & tooth brushes + Adult toothpaste + Feminine Hygiene Products



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)

KARAOKE NIGHT

Mitcham Lane Baptist Church will be hosting a Karaoke Night from **7.30pm – 11pm on Friday 27th September** to raise much needed funds for Macmillan Cancer Support. Please contact Hannah Roberts (admin@mlbc.org.uk) for further information.



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CANCER SUPPORT

FRI 27TH
SEPTEMBER

7:30 - 11PM

SUGGESTED ENTRY
DONATION £10PP



WHAT'S ON

Date	Time	Event
Tuesday 10 th September	9.00am	The Well In the Church Centre
	10.30am	Holy Communion In the Vestry
	5.45pm	Adventurers In the Church & Centre
Wednesday 11 th September	9.30am	Staff Meeting In the Vestry
	3.30pm	Get Set In the Church & Centre
	6.00pm	POD (for Boys) In FYC
Thursday 12 th September	10.00am	Little Fishes In the Church & Centre
	6.00pm	POD (for Girls) In FYC
Friday 13 th September	6.00pm	Youth Club In FYC
	7.30pm	Women's Night In the Church Centre
Sunday 15 th September	10.30am	All Age Worship with Prayer & Anointing and Baptism In Church and Centre

ABIGAIL SOFOWOTE

2pm Sunday 8th September There will be a short service of remembrance and celebration of Abigail Sofowote who would've been 100 years old.

The service is open to all who knew Abigail.

THE BRIDGE

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

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.

FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE

The Friendship Circle will be meeting on **Friday 27th September at 1.30pm** with the topic 'My Life' where members will be sharing their life's journey.

Please speak to **Rocky Deans** for further details.



OFFICE HOURS

The updated hours from September onwards will be **Monday & Tuesday Closed. Wednesday 9am – 4pm, Thursday and Friday 9am – 1.30pm**

If you have an urgent matter you would like to discuss outside of office hours, please contact either of our Church Wardens; Kirk Douglas (kirkmdouglas@live.co.uk) or John Talbot email (john.n.talbot@talk21.com). For Pastoral matters please speak with Rocky Deans (guywillis1@hotmail.com)

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