



Weekly News

EASTER SUNDAY 1st April 2018

MISSION OF THE MONTH:

Throughout the year the two St James take time in the Sunday services to focus on each of the core missions we support:

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Toybox

Included as part of the Services this month on the 4th Sunday at GX and Fulmer

WEEKDAYS THIS WEEK

- **No Monday 9.30am GX Prayers this week** Resume Monday 9th April
- **Tuesday 9.30am Discussion & Prayers** (St James Fulmer)



OFFICE OPENING HOURS OVER EASTER WEEK

As from the 30th March through to the 16th April, the opening hours for The Saint James Centre will be as follows:

Friday 30th March—Mon 2nd April
CLOSED

Tuesday 3rd April—Thursday 5th April
10am-3pm

Friday 6th April
10am-1pm

Sunday 8th April
12-12.45pm

Monday 9th—Thursday 12th April
10am-3pm

Friday 13th April
10am-1pm

Sunday 15th April 12-12.45pm

NEXT SUNDAY: 8TH APRIL RESURRECTION LIFE

- **8am BCP HOLY COMMUNION (FULMER)** *Martin Williams*
- **9am MORNING WORSHIP (GX)** *James Leach*
- **10.45am MORNING WORSHIP (GX)** *Martin Williams*
- **11.15am MORNING WORSHIP (FULMER)** *James Leach*
- **4pm SUNDAY WORSHIP (GX)** *Martin Williams*

Welcome to the two St James. If this is your first visit to St James or if you've recently joined us, please fill in a Welcome card or simply talk to one of our host team (with lilac badges) so we can invite you to our next Newcomers Coffee in the Rectory. If you are new to the Children's or Youth Ministry we have LOTS going on that you might like to know about! Ask someone on the team/take an info card or look at saintjames.org.uk/family/children/ or saint-james.org.uk/family/youth/ (click on icons to move around the website for more details)



EASTER SUNDAY

1ST APRIL

- **8am Holy Communion Service** (Fulmer)
- **9am Traditional Easter Day Service** (GX)
- **11am Family Services for Easter Day** (GX & Centre)
- **11.15am Traditional Family Service for Easter Day** (Fulmer)
- **6.30pm Easter Celebration with Adult Baptisms and Confirmations** (GX)

TRAPPED - TESTED - TRANSFORMED

A story of survival against impossible odds

On 5th August 2010, disaster struck as a copper and gold mine collapsed in Copiapo, Chile, trapping 33 men with 2,000 feet of rock between them and their rescue. Beneath the rubble, the miners began an epic struggle to survive. Above ground Rev Alfredo Cooper, Chaplain to the Chilean president, led a nation in prayer. Come and hear his first hand account of the miracle that followed at the Saint James Centre, GX, SL9 7DJ.



Wednesday 25th April at 8.00pm (Live)

or

Thursday 26th April at 9.30am

(Recorded & with crèche)

Book a ticket: saintjames.org.uk/trapped/

Alpha (our course for anyone seeking to find out more about the big questions in life) will begin in May on Wednesday evenings 8pm – 9.45pm starting on 2nd May and Thursday mornings (with crèche) 9.30am – 11.15am starting on 3rd May at venues in Gerrards Cross.

To book a place on Alpha or find out more visit saintjames.org.uk/alpha/

Our APC Meeting is on
Tuesday 24th April 2018
at 8pm.

Readings Today @ 8am HOLY COMMUNION (FULMER)

The Epistle: Acts 10: 34-43 page: 1104
The Gospel: John 20: 1-18 page: 1089

PRAYER

Prayer Diaries:

Pick up a paper copy today after the service or sign up for daily prayer emails at saintjames.org.uk/prayerdiary/

GX Monday Prayers:

Held every Monday in the Saint James Centre at 9.30am.

Monthly FULMER Discussion/Prayers:

Held first TUESDAY of each month in St James, Fulmer at 9.30am.

24/365 Upper Room:

Book for the Upper room in Chalfont St Peter via :

24communityprayer.co.uk

Quiet Garden:

The 'Quiet Garden' is a place to withdraw to nature and 'Come to me by yourselves to a quiet place and get some rest'. We are fortunate to have the original Quiet Garden close by at Park Road, Stoke Poges, SL2 4PG. Call Noreen Cooper 01753 644 273 for 2018 dates.

NEXT DATE:

Thursday 17th MAY at 10am

Wider World:

Why not sign up for a daily email from Operation World or download their new FREE app?

www.operationworld.org

'Like' Operation World on Facebook

Download 'Prayermate': a new app FREE for both Android and Apple through appshop. It's an excellent tool helping organise your prayers each day and you can nominate Operation World and other charities to be more informed.



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Job Vacancies

We want to continue the great work which Di has been doing by investing additional dedicated resource into these areas. Therefore we are advertising for two new roles, one is a **Self Supporting Clergy role** with a focus on Pastoral Care and Senior Ministry and the second is an **Evangelism and Outreach Pastor** who will help the church and wider community engage in spiritual conversations. You can find further details on our website. Perhaps you know someone who would be suitable to apply... why not send them this link: <http://saintjames.org.uk/about/jobs-and-vacancies/>

What else is on...

Prayer Gathering: to meet and pray for and about the process of appointing our new Rector. The meetings will be held in the Space in the St James Church, GX on:

Sunday 8th April 12.15-1pm
Sunday 15th April 5.30-6.30pm
Thursday 26th April 7.30-8.30pm

And in St James, Fulmer on:

Monday 16th April at 7.30-8.30pm

The usual Monday morning 9.30am prayer meeting at GX will continue to have a time set apart to focus on this area of need over the following months.

Electoral Roll: If you worship regularly at the two St James and your name is **not already** on the list of members (called the Electoral Roll), please pick up a form after the service and return to:

GERRARDS CROSS: Judith Paterson, 7 Dukes Ride, GX, SL9 7LD.

FULMER: Diana Mann, Alvaston, 59 Moreland Drive, GX, SL9 8BE. *Alternatively completed forms can be left at the Church Office.* The deadline for the return of all forms **today** (1st April) in preparation for the Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) on **Tues 24th April**.

Our next gardening and churchyard tidy up will be on **Sat 14th April** from 10am. Do join us bringing your favourite tools. Coffee and biscuits to revive us!! John Foy (883 355)

GX Fun Run: 20th May 2018—sign up now at www.gxfunrun.org.uk to book your place.



The Two St James, Gerrards Cross with Fulmer

