



Weekly News

The Seventh Sunday of Easter 13th May 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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Johannesburg Bible College
Included as part of the Services
each month on the 1st Sunday at
Fulmer & 4th Sunday at GX.

THIS SUNDAY: 13TH MAY
THE GOOD NEWS
COME AND SEE
(JOHN 1: 43-50)

- **8am HOLY COMMUNION (FULMER)**
James Leach
- **9am MORNING WORSHIP (GX)**
Nat Schluter, Principal of Johannesburg Bible College
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- **11.15am MORNING WORSHIP (FULMER)** Ben Topham
- **4pm HOLY COMMUNION (GX)**
Nat Schluter, Principal of Johannesburg Bible College
- **7pm Resonate Youth Service (GX)**

WEEKDAYS THIS WEEK

- **Monday 9.30am GX Prayers**
- **Tuesday 10-11.30am Tiny Tots**
(Saint James Centre)
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- **Wednesday 8pm Alpha Evening Course** (Venues in GX)
- **Thursday 9.30am Alpha Morning Course** (Venues in GX)

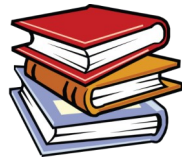
NEXT SUNDAY: 20TH MAY
THE GOOD NEWS
LOVE OF ANOTHER KIND
(1 JOHN 4: 7-12)

- **8am HOLY COMMUNION (FULMER)**
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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 saintjames.org.uk/family/youth/ (click on icons to move around the website for more details)

ALPHA

Alpha (our course for anyone seeking to find out more about the big questions in life) has begun on Wednesday evenings 8pm – 9.45pm and Thursday mornings (with crèche) 9.30am – 11.15am at venues in Gerrards Cross. **To book a place on Alpha or find out more visit saintjames.org.uk/alpha/**



'GO FORTH AND TELL' Sermon Series:

Our GO FORTH AND TELL sermon series is well under way.

To make the most of the of each Sunday why not have a browse of the following book in the Saint James Centre Bookstall.

Title: Simply Good News	Author: Tom Wright	Price:	£9.99
Title: King Jesus Gospel	Author: Scot McKnight	Price:	£10.99
Title: Just walk across the room	Author: Bill Hybels	Price:	£8.99

MENS UPCOMING EVENTS:

FRIDAY MENS BREAKFAST ON 25th May

Topic: 'THE TYRANNY OF THE URGENT' Slowing down to live a full & fulfilling life. We'll be listening to a talk from last year's Global Leadership Summit by Juliet Funt, the CEO of 'WhiteSpace at Work'. Juliet is a globally recognised consultant and speaker who helps companies unburden their people from 'busywork' so as to increase productivity and job satisfaction. The Breakfasts are open to men in the community and newcomers are welcome.

For details contact Meyrick.beebee@saintjames.org.uk or ring 07956 435025.

ST JAMES MENS WEEKEND AWAY 14th & 16th September

St James Men's Weekend Away with Bishop Paul Williams on 14-16th Sept.

The Weekend is an opportunity to enjoy good teaching, good company, good conversations, good food, time to relax and time to be alone. Book by form at the Church office, providing payment or click the link: saintjames.org.uk/mensweekend

The next PCC Meeting is on
Tuesday 22nd May at 7.30pm.

Readings Today @ 8am BCP HOLY COMMUNION (FULMER)

The Epistle: 1 Peter 4: 7-11 page: 1220
The Gospel: John 15: 26-16 page: 1083

PRAYER

Prayer Diaries:

Pick up a paper copy today after the service or signup 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 :

247communityprayer.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

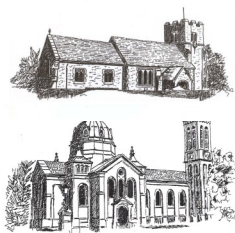
Wider World:

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.



FUN RUN: Sunday 20th May 2018 (11-4pm)

The Fun Run is a wonderful event which is held in the heart of our town on East Common. After months of planning, it is going to be a great family day out for our local community. Fifteen hundred runners are taking part this year, alongside lots of activities, attractions, entertainment and food. We want to wholeheartedly support the Fun Run and it gives us such an amazing opportunity to be 'salt and light' in a very practical way! Please go along to support and encourage the **Accord Choir singing at 1.25pm** and we have our own rock and soul band, **SJ & the Joggers, performing at 1.50pm. Could you help us on the day by giving an hour or two?** Thank you so much to all those who have already volunteered. We could still do with some extra help on the Muscle Team for set down at 4pm. Please contact me, I would love to hear from you. Sandie.norton@saintjames.org.uk

What else is on...

Job Vacancy: Assistant Children's Pastor to join the Children's Ministry Team. We have over 150 children and young people who are the church of today and the leaders of tomorrow. We are looking for a passionate and gifted teacher and leader, able to assist the Children's Pastor to lead, deliver and developed the children's ministry. This is a part-time role, paying £10,000 per annum. If you would like an application pack which includes a full job description, please email nici.johnson@saintjames.org.uk

The closing date for applications is 18th May. Enhanced DBS required.

Jo Swinney will be talking about her book



'HOME—the Quest to belong' followed by Q&A on **Friday 18th May at 2pm** at the St Andrews URC in GX. Tickets available from the Bookshop GX or online: £5 ticket includes tea & cake.

<https://checkout.matterpay.com/s/chorleywood-bookshop/ZXZlbnQ6Mjkz/an-afternoon-with-jo-swinney>

FROM PHIL: It was lovely to be back at St James last Sunday, to catch-up with so many of you and to share about how its going in Derby.

If you would you like to stay in touch and hear more about what's happening then email:

phil.mann@stwderby.org

TODAY we join with 1000's of churches in the UK taking part in Christian Aid week: focussing on the 40 million people who are made



homeless by natural disasters each year. We are asked to respond to their needs for food and shelter and also for longer term support, to rebuild homes and to be prepared for future disasters. If you would like to give please use the envelopes provided. **We will collect them after services on 20th, 27th May and 3rd June.** The envelope includes a section for you to complete if you are a taxpayer so that Christian Aid can claim an extra 25% from the HMRC.

FOCUS 2018—26-31st July 2018:

A chance to rest, receive great teaching and enjoy a fun time away with your church family, in Somerley Estate.

First timers get 20% off—use FOCUS18NEWBIE and <https://focus.htb.org/tickets/>

Gardening and Churchyard tidy up at GX:

Our next gardening morning will be on **Sat 26th May from 10am.** Do join us bringing your favourite tools. Refreshments provided mid afternoon. John Foy 883 355.

Christian Healing Mission Day at St James, GX on Saturday 16th June—9.30am-4pm.

Come and hear about the Johannesburg Bible College update: on Monday 14th May at The Saint James Centre from 7-8:30pm. Hear the latest on the Soweto campus and opportunities going forward. Nat Schluter will be over here from South Africa.

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