

Saint James Church

Daisy Hill



Week Beginning 15th October 2017 18th Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to our Sunday service

- A very warm welcome to you, especially if this is your first visit to St James Church.
- After the service, please stay for some refreshments and let the St James Church family join you in your life.

What's happening at St James Church?

Wednesday	10.00am 6.30pm	Said Holy Communion (BCP) Choir Practice
Sunday	8.00am 10.45am 10.45am	Said Eucharist (2 nd , 4 th and 5 th Sundays) Sunday School (during term-time) Sung Eucharist

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DUTY ROTA		15 Oct	22 Oct	29 Oct
Readers		M Booth J Palin M Obermüller	G Buxton D Kendall Rev Chris	E Mercer C Guenault Rev Kirsty
Prayers		Rev Angela	Rev Chris	B Ainscough
Chalice		B Palin J Smith	J Moore B Ainscough	M Obermüller D Kendall
Servers		J Buxton G Buxton	A Hemmings P Tate-Lancashire E Storey	E Storey H Gundy
Sides-persons	8.00am	No service	J Hamnett	K Weaver
	10.45am	G Madeley K Nichols	C Marsh K Bennett	A Green T Hughes
Coffee		C & L Done S Gregory	L Smedley D Goddard	K Bailey J Hargreaves
Cleaning		W/c 16 Oct	W/c 23 Oct	W/c 30 Oct
		C Done M Roebuck	H Downs V Heathcote	M Price C Marsh

- Pewsheets are available in a larger print version.
- If you, or someone you know would be more comfortable with a large-print version, they are available at the back of church.

Today's Hymns

403 Lord for the years
129 Dear Lord and Father of mankind
636 The Lord's my shepherd
602 Sweet sacrament divine
673 Thou whose almighty word

The Collect

God, our judge and saviour,
teach us to be open to your truth
and to trust in your love,
that we may live each day
with confidence in the salvation which is
given
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Post Communion Prayer

**We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this
sacred feast:
for here we receive you,
here the memory of your passion is renewed,
here our minds are filled with grace,
and here a pledge of future glory is given,
when we shall feast at that table where you
reign with all your saints for ever. Amen.**

READINGS FROM THE BIBLE

First reading - Exodus 32.1-14

(Margaret Booth)

When the people saw that Moses delayed to come down from the mountain, the people gathered around Aaron and said to him, 'Come, make gods for us, who shall go before us; as for this Moses, the man who brought us up out of the land of Egypt, we do not know what has become of him.' Aaron said to them, 'Take off the gold rings that are on the ears of your wives, your sons, and your daughters, and bring them to me.' So all the people took off the gold rings from their ears, and brought them to Aaron. He took the gold from them, formed it in a mould, and cast an image of a calf; and they said, 'These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!' When Aaron saw this, he built an altar before it; and Aaron made proclamation and said, 'Tomorrow shall be a festival to the Lord.' They rose early the next day, and offered burnt-offerings and brought sacrifices of well-being; and the people sat down to eat and drink, and rose up to revel.

The Lord said to Moses, 'Go down at once! Your people, whom you brought up out of the land of Egypt, have acted perversely; they have been quick to turn aside from the way that I commanded them; they have cast for themselves an image of a calf, and have worshipped it and sacrificed to it, and said, "These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!" ' The Lord said to Moses, 'I have seen this people, how stiff-necked they are. Now let me alone, so that my wrath may burn hot against them and I may consume them; and of you I will make a great nation.'

But Moses implored the Lord his God, and said, 'O Lord, why does your wrath burn hot against your people, whom you brought out of the land of Egypt with great power and with a mighty hand? Why should the Egyptians say, "It was with evil intent that he brought them out to kill them in the mountains, and to consume them from the face of the earth"? Turn from your fierce wrath; change your mind and do not bring disaster on your people. Remember Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, your servants, how you swore to them by your own self, saying to them, "I will multiply your descendants like the stars of heaven, and all this land that I have promised I will give to your descendants, and they shall inherit it for ever." ' And the Lord changed his mind about the disaster that he planned to bring on his people.

Second reading - Philippians 4.1-9

(Jenifer Palin)

Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved.

I urge Euodia and I urge Syntyche to be of the same mind in the Lord. Yes, and I ask you also, my loyal companion, help these women, for they have struggled beside me in the work of the gospel, together with Clement and the rest of my co-workers, whose names are in the book of life. Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honourable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

Gospel reading - Matthew 22.1-14

(Martin Obermüller)

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

Glory to you, O Lord

Once more Jesus spoke to them in parables, saying: 'The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding banquet for his son. He sent his slaves to call those who had been invited to the wedding banquet, but they would not come. Again he sent other slaves, saying, "Tell those who have been invited: Look, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready; come to the wedding banquet." But they made light of it and went away, one to his farm, another to his business, while the rest seized his slaves, maltreated them, and killed them. The king was enraged. He sent his troops, destroyed those murderers, and burned their city. Then he said to his slaves, "The wedding is ready, but those invited were not worthy. Go therefore into the main streets, and invite everyone you find to the wedding banquet." Those slaves went out into the streets and gathered all whom they found, both good and bad; so the wedding hall was filled with guests.

'But when the king came in to see the guests, he noticed a man there who was not wearing a wedding robe, and he said to him, "Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding robe?" And he was speechless. Then the king said to the attendants, "Bind him hand and foot, and throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth." For many are called, but few are chosen.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, O Christ

NOTICES

York Trip Sat 25th November If you have booked onto the York trip can you please make sure you have paid the balance by Sunday 5th November; I need to pay the coach company 2 weeks before we go.
Jenifer

Christmas Fair Saturday November 18th

We are looking for:

Volunteers to help with the Christmas fair.

Please don't sit back waiting to be asked, please offer your precious time and we will gladly accept it. Chinese (St James) proverb say 'Many hands make light work.'

Items to go on a "Wrapped Gift" stall say to the value of approx. £1.

Anything red or green This we hope will be different and look Christmassy so if you could donate something red or green to help this stall look great. It doesn't have to be a Christmas item it could be a toothbrush, kitchen utensil, a candle or a tin of peas or of course something for Christmas. Could be interesting! Thank you. Judith

Clean empty one pound (454g) jam jars

Mary Jackson would be glad to have them for jam to sell at the Christmas Fair. They can be left in the box under the table at the back of church. Thank you.

Tombola items Any gifts will be appreciated but everything does need to be in new condition. There is a box at the back of the

church for collecting anything you can spare. With many thanks.

Beanie Hats We are collecting Beanie Hats again for Operation Christmas Child. We usually send a lovely collection; can we do the same this year? If you can knit some we would be very grateful and there are some patterns at the back of church. Thank you. Judith.

Jackpot Club Winners – September

£50 P Dunne, £25 N Redford, £10 G Bradshaw

Church Hoover Unfortunately the hoover has broken and will be costly to repair. Does anyone have a spare hoover or know of anybody who would be willing to donate one to the church? Please see Jenifer.

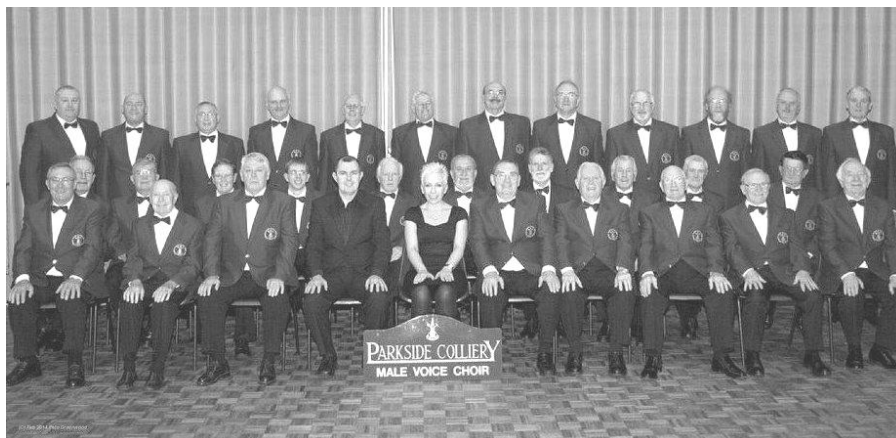
Prayers If you know anyone who is sick or would like to be remembered in our weekly

intercessions please write their names on the Prayer Request Forms which are on the table at the back of Church, then hand them to Margaret Campbell or the Church Wardens. Thank you

Church flowers There is a Flower list on the noticeboard. If anyone would like to make a donation towards flowers, 'In memory' of someone or to celebrate an anniversary', then please put your name on the list. If you would like to Gift Aid the donation then please fill in the pink form and Gift Aid envelope and place in 'Flower Box' at the back of church. The donation can be put in Flower Box or given to Jenifer Palin.

Notices Please submit your notices by 2pm on the Wednesday prior to Sunday's publication. Thank you, Karen.

PARKSIDE COLLIERY MALE VOICE CHOIR



Saturday 11th November 2017

at 7.30 pm

at

St. James Church, Lower Leigh Road, Daisy Hill

PROCEEDS TO GO TO THE CHURCH REPAIR FUND

Tickets £7.00 (Inc. Refreshments)

Tickets available from church
or from Jenifer Palin Mob. 07785316155