

Today

3pm Elm Bank Carol Service
6.30pm Community carols by Candlelight

Monday

1.30pm Art & Craft in the Church Centre
5.15pm Grapevine in the Church centre

Tuesday

2.30pm St James Court Christmas Carol Service

Wednesday

9am-12pm Mapperley Plains rehearsal in Church
6pm-9pm Mapperley Plains Performance

Thursday

10.00am Holy Communion

NOTES

- 1. Christmas Day Lunch** -There will be a Christmas Day lunch held on 25th December in the Church Centre. This is open to anyone on their own who would like to spend Christmas day with others. We are planning a three-course meal, some quizzes, some carol singing and not forgetting "The Queen's Speech". There will be a small charge of £7.50 (if this is a problem please see Dorothy). If you are interested please place your name on the sheet at the back of church or contact Dorothy Chapman (9503088), Andrew Palmer (9673848) or Chris Childs (078947095450)
- 2. Magazine Subscriptions are now due for 2018**
The price has been held at the same as last year – 12 copies for £6.00
There are 3 ways of paying: -
 1. By cheque made payable to **St James Church PCC** and then sending it to the church office, the address is:-
Mrs Catherine Wallis
c/o St James Church Centre,
Marshall Hill Drive
Mapperley Nottingham NG3 6Y
 2. Paying directly to Claire in the church office in The Church Centre or
 3. Paying the person who delivers your magazine.We hope you will continue to have the magazine and enjoy reading it throughout 2018.
- 3. Carol Service at St Andrews House – Change of Date** There will be a Carol Service held at St Andrews House on Thursday 21st December at 11am this is to replace the service that was meant to be held on the 14th. Please come and show your support. The more the merrier.
- 4. Church Photos** - As part of the Parish Profile that we are creating to aid in the selection of our new incumbent we are looking for recent pictures of our Church, our Parish and our Church events. If you have any that you would be happy for us to use please can you leave them at the back of church addressed to myself or Patrick. Alternatively, if they are in a digital

format please feel free to email them to me. Email:

Robert.Oliver201277@gmail.com.

- 5. Girls Night Out** - are having a team meeting on Sunday 14th January, after the 10am service, if you would like to help in any way, laying tables, cooking, washing up then please come along and join the team, all welcome Men & Woman. If you can't make the meeting but would like to help please speak to Lucy or Steph

Please pray for Bishop Paul, Bishop Tony and for the senior staff – Sarah (Archdeacon), David (Archdeacon), Phil (Associate Archdeacon), Nigel (Chief Executive) and Nicola (Dean).

Please pray for our church members who are not well:

Margaret Moore, Ingrid Karlsen-isfeldt, Maria Cross, Darren Cross, Jonathan Lloyd, Ida Morley, Angela Porter, Catherine Wallis, Muriel Weisz, Albert Taylor, Myra Chilvers, Helen Briggs, Joan Hill, Paul Chapman, Rita Alvey, Margaret Martin, Betty Rood, Bob Alvey, Shirley Harvey, Andy Bell, Pam Laytham, Paul Williamson, John Williams, Gill Jamson, Mary Williamson, Pam Symmington, Pat Ward, Ruth Eaton

And also friends and family:

Pauline Morris, Susan Trickett, Glenn Wilson, Peter Bagshaw, Paul Shirra, Rosalind, Emily, Lucy, Patricia Caine, James, Amy Rhodes, John Pollard, Helen White, Janet Murphy, Vicky Bown, Sue Banks, John Wain, Joan Humphreys, Howard Wagstaff, Mark Whittaker, Ken Ingall, Hayley Broughton, Dennis Fretwell, Max Hill, Peter Jarvis, Rev'd Chris Gale, James Symmington, Matthew, Andy and Kirstie Waters.

PLEASE NOTE We are very happy to add any name to this list (either new or ones who have been on before). Please contact Claire in the Church Office if you would like a name to be added.

At this time, we remember

Adrian Rowe (19th), Geoffrey Spence (21st), Annetta Harding (21st), Elisabeth Gray (21st), Angela Cocking (21st), Florence Ivy Young (21st), Vera Judge (23rd),

Please let Claire have information for the notice sheet by 10am Thursday.

Weep with those who weep...

The family and friends of Sheila Williams.

Sides people next week:

10am P.Wallis, M.Pollard, S.MacGregor,
P.Fretwell

11.30pm P.Wallis,I.Munroe,J.Sergent

Welcome Group next week:

G.Blackshaw

Collect for 3rd of Advent

God for whom we watch and wait,
you sent John the Baptist to prepare the way of your Son:
give us courage to speak the truth,
to hunger for justice,
and to suffer for the cause of right,
with Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen



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WELCOME TO OUR SERVICES, especially if you are a visitor or worshipping here for the first time.

8.00 a.m.

O.T

N.T

Gospel

10.00 a.m.

N.T

6.30pm

Holy Communion

Isiah 61:1-4 8-end

2 1Thessalonians 5:16-24

John 1:6-8 19-28

Memorial Service

Revelation 21: 1 - 7

Carols by Candlelight

Pew Bible p. 748

Pew Bible p. 1188

Pew Bible p. 1063

Pew Bible p. 1249

**Prayer ministry is available at the front of church at the end of the service.
Do join us for refreshments in the hall after the service.**

Missed the sermon? Don't worry we've recorded it

If you are away one week and would like to listen to a recording of the 10am sermon, please send an email request to Paul Chapman who will send you a link to download the sermon. Paul's email address is:
p.chapman707@ntlworld.co

Sunday 24th December 2017 Advent 4

10am Holy Communion

5.30pm Crib Service

11.30pm Midnight Communion