

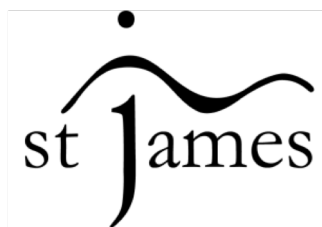
Sides & Welcome
20/12/20

10am A Bell & A Harrison
Welcome:

Collect for 3rd Sunday 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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Sunday 13th December 2020 3rd Sunday of Advent

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

10am	Holy Communion
O.T	1 Thessalonians 5:16-24
Gospel	Luke 1:26-38

Please let Claire in the church office have information for the notice sheet by 10am Thursday. The office number is 07780698594

Sunday 20th December 2020 4th Sunday of Advent

10am Holy Communion

Following the Government's advice and that of the Archbishops' of Canterbury and York, we are again able to open for worship from this Sunday 6th December.

Look out on the website and Facebook for new resources

Notices

1. Church Office

Should you need to contact someone urgently please call the Church mobile on **07780698594** and someone will be able to help.
Thank you!

2. Andrew Palmer Donations

If you would still like to donate to Nottingham Hospital Charity in memory of Andrew Palmer you still can by sending a cheque by the end of December direct to Janet at 106, Rosecroft Drive, Edwards Lane Estate, Nottingham, NG5 6EN.

3. Bags of Blessings

We've got a couple of pieces of good news to share with you all. **Firstly**, we have been selected by the **Co-op** as one of their charities to benefit from their **Community Fund** this year. If you shop at the Co-op, you will be able to select Bags of Blessings as the charity you want to support - if you're not a member we won't benefit, so please, pick up a card in store, join and support us every time you shop.

Secondly, if you are an **Amazon** customer, we are now registered with Amazon Smile as one of the charities they will support. All you need to do is log on to smile.amazon.co.uk, using your usual password and select Bags of Blessings from the drop down menu. From then on, as long as you shop with smile.amazon.co.uk, they will donate 0.5% to us at no extra cost to you - the pages are identical. The more supporters we have the more money we'll get, so please, spread the word for us if you can. Finally - huge thanks to our wonderful friends Gladwyn and Pat, who are our collectors this year and to Helen who is also helping us in our efforts to give gifts to 1500 children. Every blessing, Chris x

4. Treasurer required

Kevin Parr has given notice that he intends giving up the position of St James Treasurer as from the end of this year. We need someone from the congregation or friend /family with some experience of keeping accounts. For further information please talk to Steve Harrison.

5. Gedling Food Bank

Please find below a clip about the amazing work local foodbanks are achieving - you will see some clips of Carlton foodbank where so many of you have provided food for - thank you so much from the volunteers and the guests we give parcels to.

I continue to help on Tuesdays and Fridays at Carlton from 12 - 2.45 and am still very happy to receive your donations at 61, Hallam Road. Thanks Helen

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5BG96Bo1wtY>

Please pray for Bishop Paul and for the senior staff, Phil (Archdeacon of Nottingham) & Nicola (Dean)

Please pray for our church members who are not well:

Betty Rood, John Lucas, Audrey Cook, Ann Brooks, Jonathan Lloyd, Catherine Wallis, Barbara Burton, Liz Williams, Muriel Weisz, Beryl Banton, Helen Briggs, John Bradbury, Lyn Bradbury, Ida Morley, Paul Chapman, Margaret Martin, Shirley Harvey, Andy Bell, Mary Williamson, Pam Symington & Marjorie Wirt-Green.

Please pray for friends and family:

Gwladys Blackshaw's daughter Susan and son-in-law Matthew, Sheila Brown, Anna Gibbs, Rebekah Chapman, James, Mary Carter, Jonathan Cronin, Peter West, Neville Wildgoose, Mark and Tracy Ingleton, Mel O'Brien, Pauline Morris, Susan Trickett, Rosalind, Emily, Lucy, Patricia Caine, James & Amy Rhodes, Helen White, Vicky Bown, Sue Banks, John Wain, Joan Humphreys, Howard Wagstaff, Mark Whittaker, Ken & Freda Ingall, Hayley Broughton, Dennis Fretwell, Max Hill, Peter Jarvis, James Symington, David Breedon, William (Bill) Whaley & Michael Treen.

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,

Evelyn Hopewell (13th), Sylvia Jeffery (15th) & Adrian Rowe (19th)