

**Welcome to
Shirley Parish**



Christ the King, St James the Great and St John the Divine

This week: 11th – 17th February

In the building:

Buildings currently closed for both private prayer and public worship

At home:

Thu 11th Midweek Reflection – Jesus Walks on the Water

Sat 13th 9:00am Parish Prayers via Zoom

Sun 14th 10:00 (suggested time): Morning Worship

10:45-11:30am: Virtual Coffee via Zoom

Weds 17th 7pm (suggested time) Ash Wednesday Service

You can find the videos for the services and reflection on the YouTube channel. Alternatively, you can listen by using the telephone number 0121 270 9089 where the Midweek Reflection will be available from Thursday to Saturday, the Sunday Morning Worship will be available from Sunday to Tuesday, and the Ash Wednesday service on Wednesday and Thursday

To join Zoom events, just use this link <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4904334906> . If you are not on the internet, you can still join us on the phone by calling 0203 695 0088. When asked, type the meeting id 4904 334 906, then # then #.

Coming Up.....

Ash Wednesday: is on Wednesday 17th February. There will be a YouTube (and telephone) service that we can all join in from home – you will need a small amount of soil. A printed copy of the service is included with this pewslip. The midweek reflection for next week (the raising of Lazarus) will be included as the sermon.

Lent Sermons and Discussion groups: The Sunday sermons in Lent will be about what the church might look like after the pandemic. We will be thinking about our mission and our priorities. Discussion groups will be over zoom on Wednesday evenings at 7:30pm and Thursday afternoons at 2pm. Please try to make one of these a priority!

Parish Notices

Lent Prayer chain : Hopefully you have read in the February magazine about the Lent Prayer chain – a chance to pray for each other and the Parish. Please contact the Parish office to sign up as soon as possible. You will need to sign up even if you were involved in Advent. Some ideas for prayers will be provided. Any queries to Sarah (681 1525)

St James 100 Club : February winners are £50 Brian Hollings; £25 Sarah Penfold

Jigsaws : Linda Pitt is organising another jigsaw sale. Please phone her (744 6777) if you have any to be collected.

Spring Raffle . Mothering Sunday 14th March. Raising funds for St John's.
1st Prize £30 garden token, 2nd Easter chocolate hamper with teddy, 3rd Simnel cake. Tickets £1 each, available from 28th February from Kate Crocker 0121 258 2956 or email kate_crocker@hotmail.com

Narthex: No donations at the moment please

Food Bank: requests for meat soup, instant mash and tinned fruit

For Prayer

Sunday – families & friends; Monday – schools & colleges; Tuesday – the isolated & vulnerable; Wednesday – business & economy; Thursday – NHS & key workers; Friday – national & local government; Saturday – the ill & grieving

Years Mind: Olga Gale, Lloyd Short, George Dunn,
Stephen Brookes, Madge Smith, Kathleen Hill, Laurie Goodeve,
Walter Smith, Gerald Hobbs, William Manning, Marie Hanna

Keeping in touch....

Next week's Pewslip

CONCISE items (max 3 sentences) to Parish Office by 9am on Monday please.
Longer articles to shirleyparishmagazine@gmail.com by 12th of the month.

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