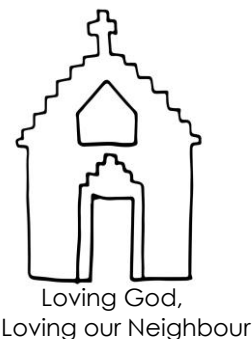


## St James' News



### Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> October – 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity-Green

8:00 am - Said Communion - Book of Common Prayer

10.00am – Messy Church in Alderholt Village Hall starting with breakfast

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### Next Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> October

8:00 am – Said Communion – Book of Common Prayer

10.30am – Parish Communion

10.30am - Sunday Club and Sofa Sessions will leave for their groups after the first reading

### For our prayers

- Nathan (the late Carol Catton's grandson) and family
- Peace between Israel and Palestine.
- Please continue to pray for the Ukrainian & Russian civilians, that peace comes quickly for both sides.

### From our prayer book....

- Lorna
- Catarina facing a choice to undergo dangerous surgery or continue with Chemo
- Very missed Mum, Derrick and Danny.

### Coming up

18<sup>th</sup> October – 7.00pm Our annual Harvest Supper in the Village Hall

1<sup>st</sup> November – From 9.15am Churchyard Clear up. All welcome to come and help.

2<sup>nd</sup> November - 4.00pm All Souls service

9<sup>th</sup> November – 10.55 Remembrance Day service starting at the war memorial

29<sup>th</sup> November – 4.00-7.00pm Church Christmas Market

### The Inclusive Church statement

We believe in inclusive Church – a church which celebrates and affirms every person and does not discriminate. We will continue to challenge the church where it continues to discriminate against people on the grounds of disability, economic power, ethnicity, gender, gender identity, learning disability, mental health, neurodiversity, or sexuality. We believe in Church which welcomes and serves all people in the name of Jesus Christ; which is scripturally faithful; which seeks to proclaim the Gospel afresh for each generation; and which, in the power of the Holy Spirit, allows all people to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Jesus Christ.

### New Notices for this week...

**Churchyard Clear up** – Saturday November 1<sup>st</sup> All welcome to come and help from 9.15am for however long you can stay. Lunch provided. Please write your name on the list in Church so we have numbers for catering.

**All Souls** – Our All Souls service will be on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 4.00pm. All names of those whose funerals Simon or David have taken over the last 3 years will be read. If you would like to add other names of those who have passed on then please write them on the name on the list in Church.

*For the latest news, sermons and links please visit our website [stjamesalderholtblog.wordpress.com](http://stjamesalderholtblog.wordpress.com)*

**Sunday Club and Sofa Sessions** - We have a Sunday School called Sunday Club which runs every Sunday term time during the 10.30am service (apart from the second Sunday which is Messy Church in the Village Hall) for Children aged 4-10years. We also have an older group called Sofa Sessions for young people aged 10+ years. If you want more information please speak to Zoe our Childrens and Families worker.

**Christmas Market** – Our Christmas market will be held on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> November. If you can volunteer to help on a stall or have an idea of one you can run then please let Holly or Angela Hibberd know.

**Road Closure - Don't Panic!** - Daggons Rd is going to be closed between 20<sup>th</sup> October and 31<sup>st</sup> October, between 9 and 4pm. It won't be closed at the weekend however, so won't affect services. And if you need access to the church or churchyard during that time the roadworks will let you through.

**Forest Edge re-opening!** – Forest Edge Coffee Shop will be opening again on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October! Hooray! It's not too late to volunteer! If you can help in this way and haven't spoken to Angela Jordan then please do.

**Sermons** – All of our sermons are on our website (details below), and there are audio recordings on there that you can download too.

**Please note Vicar Simon's working days are Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Sunday. If you have urgent pastoral needs outside of these days then please contact Revd. David Dennis on [davidalan.dennis@btinternet.com](mailto:davidalan.dennis@btinternet.com) or contact the Church office on the details below.**

If you have items for the notices then please send them by Thursday morning to our Parish administrator Holly on [stjameschurchalderholt@gmail.com](mailto:stjameschurchalderholt@gmail.com)

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Jesus, send me the helper, send me the  
helper to help me.

Jesus, send me the Holy Spirit, send the  
Holy Spirit to me.

He gives us love to keep on loving.  
He makes us brave to do what is right.  
He gives us faith to keep on going.  
He gives us power to keep us shining so  
bright.

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Father, I place into Your hands the things  
that I can't do.

Father, I place into Your hands the times  
that I've been through.

Father, I place into Your hands the way  
that I should go,

for I know I always can trust You.

Father, I place into Your hands my friends  
and family.

Father, I place into Your hands the things

that trouble me.

Father, I place into Your hands the person

I would be,

for I know I always can trust You.

Father, we love to seek Your face, we  
love to hear Your voice.

Father, we love to sing Your praise, and in  
Your name rejoice.

Father, we love to walk with You  
and in Your presence rest, for we know  
we always can trust You.

Father, I want to be with You and do the  
things You do.

Father, I want to speak the words that  
You are speaking too.

Father, I want to love the ones that You  
will draw to You,

for I know that I am one with You.