



# St James the Great, Radley

Sunday 23rd November 2014

Sunday before Advent



## Services and Readings

### 8am Holy Communion

President: Revd Pam McKellen

Sidesperson: Anne Blake

### 11am Holy Communion

Led by: Revd Pam McKellen

Sidespeople: David Price and Lynn Slater

Welcomer: Paul Gamble

Warden: Denis Standen

Reader: Jenny Standen

Eph 1: 15-end(p1108) Matt 25:31-end (p941)

Intercessor: David Handscomb

Server: Clive Rickett

Chalice: Clive Rickett and Martha Young

Coffee: Clive and Sally Rickett

### 6pm Iona Service

Led by: The Iona Team



**'Let There be Light'**

Sidespeople: Doug and June Rawlinson

Please join us for coffee in the Church Room after the 11am service.

Thank you for all the extra food you brought for the foodbank last week ... and also for all the Shoe Boxes for Romania.

## e-Advent

Last year we had a very successful e-advent experience. Each day a different person put an advent reflection onto email. It was then open for others to add thoughts or comments and was very thought provoking and enlightening! If you are interested in being a part of this please sign up on the list at the back of the church.

The blue notice board at the back of Church has some important notices on it. Please take time as you come in or go out to read what is on there. Thank you. *There are also details of services in Kennington and Sunningwell and a copy of their respective newsheets on it.*

## Sunday 30th November

8am - Holy Communion

11am - Holy Communion

6pm - Songs of Praise

## Please remember in your prayers:

Jennie Dean, John Eddy, Rosemary Hardwick, Sue Kiff, Betty Lee, Edna McKellen, Brian Mott, Harry Price, Tony Rogerson, Christine Usherwood and Ken Wilkinson.

In our Year's Mind: Dan Pope and Edith Rickett



## Please Pray for our Mission Organisation - Jeel al Amal

Please pray for peace and perseverance for the staff and children at Jeel al Amal amidst the heightening political tension in the area. That the work of seeking to give the boys a secure home will not be hindered.

If in our communion service you would like to receive Non-alcoholic wine, Gluten free wafers or in your seat rather than coming forward. Please inform one of the sidespeople.

## CRECHE for the 11am service

Just come along or contact Katie North on 532203

## SUNDAY December 7th is GIFT SUNDAY

Please give warm clothes: hats, gloves, scarves toiletries chocolate and other gifts etc etc for those who are homeless.

## LAMPS present SCROOGE

10th, 12th, 13th, 14th December, 8pm,

Unicorn Theatre, Abingdon, Abbey Buildings

Tickets from The Bookstore, Abingdon £8 Adult, £ 6.50 Concessions, £ 24 Family.

Mulled wine and complimentary mince pies.

1. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of church.  
2. I'm happy to get your tickets for you if you email me; sp@radley.org.uk

3. The Wednesday performance is specifically to raise funds for the Abingdon Passion Play 2016.

Sam Pullen-Campbell

## Are you able to help?

We need someone who is able to put the Church bins out on a Wednesday evening each week ready for collection on Thursday morning and to take them back in later that day. The schedule is the same as for those in Radley Village. Please speak to Iain or Charlie if you are able to help.

## The Gondoliers by Gilbert and Sullivan

Fri 5th and Sat 6th Dec 7.30pm

Performed by the Kennington and District United Church Choirs at the Methodist Church Hall Entrance FREE, collection for Action for Children

## Dates for your Diary

### In Church

Every Thursday 8.50am—Morning Prayer

Every Saturday 8.45—9.15am —A Time for Prayer

Sun 21st Dec — Next Foodbank collection

### In the Church Room

Every Friday 10am—Noon—Café Radley.

Sat 25th Oct—Men's Breakfast

### Other Dates

Saturday 6th December 7pm — Radley College Carol Service

If you have any items for the Newsletter, please make sure that you get the information to Clive Rickett (clive.rickett@btinternet.com or 01235 535954) and Emma Moore (e39moore@virginmedia.com or 01235 550885) by **TUESDAY for the following Sunday.**

The Church Website is <http://stjamesthegreatradley.org/>



## OPEN THE BOOK

We do Open the Book every fortnight in each of the three Primary schools. It is great fun and the children love it! We have three teams but for any one person, the commitment is to do it once every six weeks. If you are interested in seeing what happens or joining a team please let Pam know.

## Saturday 29th November 7.30pm

### A Choral Concert

for the start of Advent with Annie Thomas' Choir

### Colla Voce

St Leonard's Church,

Sunningwell

Tickets: £15

available from Kati Evans

Ox 736973

email: kati@evansgate.com

or Sarah O'Kelly Ox 736166

In aid of repair work to the church fabric

## Cleaning Rotas for the week of 23rd Nov:

**Church:** Jean Turrill and Sandra Kramer

**Church room:** Catherine Gray

## Useful phone numbers:

Revd Pam McKellen & Vicarage 01235 554739

Wardens:

Charlie Milward 01235 530611 / 07809026102

Iain Winton 01235 200915 / 07876713842