



# St James the Great, Radley

Sunday 22nd November 2015

Sunday before Advent - Christ the King



## Services and Readings

### 8am Holy Communion

President: Revd Alison Mathew

Sidesperson: Ann Blake

### 11am Holy Communion and Baptism

Led by: Revd Pam McKellen

Sidespeople: David Price and Lynn Slater

Welcomer: TBC

Warden: Iain Winton

Reader: Jenny Standen

Rev 1: 4b-8(p1181) John 18: 33-37(p1026)

Intercessor: Emma Moore

Server: Jay Compson

Chalice: Jay Compson and Martha Young

Coffee: Judy Harris and Catherine Gray

### 6pm Iona Service

Led by: The Iona Team

'GOD IS COMING'

Sidesperson: Floss Henderson



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

**TODAY** we will be cutting a ribbon and having a cake with our coffee to celebrate the renovation of the Church Room

### CRECHE for the 11am service

Just come along or contact Katie North on 532203

### Godly Play

If you would like to find out what a Godly Play storytelling time is like, come for 10.30am on Thursday 26th November in the Church Room. If you can sit on the floor, bring a bean bag/ cushion and warm woolly socks. Coffee and cakes provided. To find out more, phone Joanna on 01865 739744.

### Sunday 29th November

8am - Holy Communion

11am - Holy Communion - Gift Sunday

6pm - Songs of Praise

### Please remember in your prayers:

Helen Beckett, Jennie Dean, John Eddy, Rosemary Hardwick, Margaret Higgs, Sue Kiff, Betty Lee, Harry Price, Christine Usherwood and Ken Wilkinson.

In our Year's Mind: Joan Hayne and Edith Rickett

Please pray for Teddy Turner who is being baptised today; his parents, Mark and Claire and sister, Annabelle Rose.

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.



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

**Jeel al Amal** in English means 'generation of hope'. Let's thank God for the many boys who have been given hope and confidence for their future lives through their time with Jeel al Amal, and pray that each boy that leaves the orphanage will be able to share this hope and confidence with their troubled land.

Next Sunday (29th) will be our Gift Sunday. We would value gifts of warm things and toiletries that we can give to the homeless.

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

#### **In Church:**

Every Thurs 8.50am - Morning Prayer

Every Sat 8.45 - 9.15am - A Time for Prayer

Sun 6th Dec 11am - Messy Church

Sun 20th Dec - Foodbank collection

#### **In the Church Room:**

Every Fri 10am - Noon - Café Radley.

#### **Future Dates:**

Tues 22nd Dec - Lantern Walk

Sun 14th Feb 2016 - The Confirmation Service

#### Useful phone numbers:

Revd Pam McKellen & Vicarage 01235 554739

#### Wardens:

David Mann 01235 525052 / 07717 704939

Iain Winton 01235 200915 / 07876713842

#### Church Room Bookings:

Gill Dean - gilldean50@gmail.com or

01235 202973

### Cleaning Rotas for the week of 22nd Nov:

**Church:** Paula Tait and Vivien Eddy

**Church room:** Caroline Steinsberg and Emma Moore

### Prayer Meeting for the UN Climate Change Conference

**Monday 30th November 8 - 8.45 at**

**St Swithun's Church, Kennington**

No prior knowledge about the conference required! There will be time for individual guided prayer and background reading as well as prayer together as a group. All welcome. Speak to Sam Partington for more details (01865 327575)

### e-Advent

For the last couple of years we have enjoyed our e-Advent sharing of thoughts. We will be doing it again this year so please lookout for the info and sign up sheets!! It will start Sun 29th Nov.

### Men's Breakfast

You are invited to the next Men's Breakfast with a Christmassy theme on Saturday 12th December (8am in the Church Room). Please let Charlie, Phil or Tony know if you are planning to come.

### OHCT StRide 2015

We raised £570 this year, to be split equally between the OHCT and our church. Our half will go towards the new chairs in the Church Room. Thank you to all involved! Catherine Gray

The Friends of St Leonard's Church, Sunningwell

### **Strangers in Paradise !**

Come and hear the original string quartet by Borodin which inspired some of the music for 'Kismet', plus Haydn!

### **The Glasshouse String Quartet**

St Leonard's Church, Sunningwell,  
3.00 pm

**Sunday 22 November 2015**

Tickets £10 (children free) including refreshments

### A Plea Please - Pew Bibles

Please place pew bibles SPINE DOWN in the pew racks, and make sure they sit BELOW the ridge in the racks. This will slow their deterioration.

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

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