

## ST JAMES' & ST JOHN'S MONTHLY HERALD

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### *Minister's Note*

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**AT THE CROSS** is the title of our Lent study group this year. Details are on the separate flier. I always find it helpful to study individual characters from Scripture. We can learn so much if we take the time to think about their particular circumstances and perspectives. Each session of this course looks at the events of the first Good Friday from the perspective of one of the people who were at the Cross. I'm looking forward to taking part with members of both churches. Please do let me know ASAP if you would like to join us – we haven't yet decided where we'll meet, and it will depend on the size of the group. If Monday evenings don't suit you, or you fancy something a bit different, watch out for details of other Lent activities taking place across the Mission Area: you'll be very welcome to take part in any of them.

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### *For Prayer*

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- For George Arthur Doughty, to be baptised at St John's on Sunday 5 March
- For Sarah taking an assembly at Barkers Lane School on Friday 10 March
- For Sarah, Steve Barnett (St John's) and Jackie Jones (St James') attending the four-day Leading Your Church into Growth conference with others from St Giles' and across the Diocese
- For our Lent course, and other preparations to commemorate Jesus' death and celebrate his resurrection next month



### REGULAR SERVICES

#### ST JAMES'

Every Sunday at 11am

5<sup>th</sup> March – All Age Worship

12<sup>th</sup> March – Holy Communion

19<sup>th</sup> March – Morning Prayer

26<sup>th</sup> March – All Age Communion

#### ST JOHN'S

Every Sunday at 9.30am

5<sup>th</sup> March – Holy Communion

12<sup>th</sup> March – Matins

19<sup>th</sup> March – Holy Communion

26<sup>th</sup> March – Holy Communion

In addition at St John's:

Each Sunday at 4pm - Service Station – Food for Body & Soul

Each Wednesday at 10am - Communion Service

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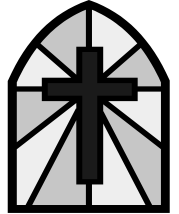
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## Church Events

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### At St James':

Wednesday 1 March, **Church Council Meeting**, 7.30 pm

Tuesday 7 March, **Midweek Holy Communion**, 10.30 am in Church

Wednesday 8 March, **Funeral of Edna Evans**, 12.30 pm in Church, followed by burial at Plas Acton cemetery

Sunday 19 March, **Annual Vestry Meeting**, in Church following a short service at 11.00 am

### At St John's:

Wednesday 1 March, **Holy Communion for Ash Wednesday**, 10.00 am in Church

Tuesday 7 March, **Church Council Meeting**, 7.15 pm

Tuesday 28 March, **Annual Vestry Meeting**, 7.30 pm

### Elsewhere:

Monday 6 March, **Lent Group: At the Cross**, looking at Jesus' crucifixion from the different perspectives of six people who were there; 7.30 – 9.00 pm. The group will meet each Monday evening from 6 March – 10 April. (See also the Minister's Note above).

Wednesday evenings during term-time, **ConneXions**, Christian fellowship and study. 7.45 – 9.15 pm, 83 Jeffreys Road. Please contact Steve or Andrea, [hottshotts83@gmail.com](mailto:hottshotts83@gmail.com), for further details

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## Church Activities

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- **SUNDAY CLUB:** During term time, for children during the 11am service at St James' (Except on family service's)
- **WHIST DRIVE:** Every other Friday from April 29<sup>th</sup>, 7 pm at St. James'. £2 entry including refreshments
- **EMU CLUB:** Social club for over 50's, Mondays, 2.00–3.30 pm in St John's Hall
- **EVENING MOTHERS' UNION:** Second Wednesday, 7.30–9.00 pm in St John's Hall
- **BANANA CLUB:** Thursdays, in term time, 3.15–5 pm in St John's Hall, primary yrs. 1-6
- **COMMUNITY POP IN:** Thursdays, 10.00 am - 12.30 pm at St John's for anyone to come along and make new friends

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