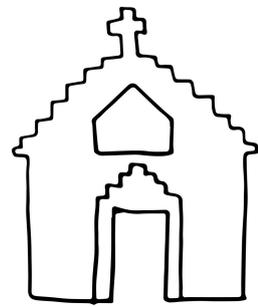


# St James' News for May 16th

**Christ is Risen! Allelulia!**  
**He is Risen Indeed! Allelulia!**

Sunday's Collect:

Risen, ascended Lord,  
as we rejoice at your triumph,  
fill your Church on earth with power and compassion,  
that all who are estranged by sin  
may find forgiveness and know your peace,  
to the glory of God the Father



## **This Week**

Weds - 12 noon BCP communion - please let Holly know if you are coming

Saturday - USPG plant sale - 10 - 12 - Christine Hensel's house.  
Also books and jigsaws, coffee and cake. Please come and bring a friend!

Sunday - 23rd May - Pentecost

8am - BCP communion - in church only - please let Holly by Thursday if you are coming

10:30am - Communion Outdoors - we can sing!

3pm - Pentecost Praise! up Kingbarrow

## **Children and Families part time worker**

Please pray as we look through the applications and call people to interview.

## **For your prayers**

Russell Lucas-Rowe (Michaela's father in law).

Gordon McLeod - very poorly at home, being looked after by his daughter Alison and husband Robin.

John and Dawn Cox

For all those with dementia

For Lorna and her daughter Nathalie, whose brother died suddenly.

## **COP26 - Climate Change in Glasgow**

Please pray about the government's response to climate change and the upcoming conference. Jacky Dale and Ely Morgan are leading St James part in this, with Christine Hensel, and will be reporting back!

*For latest news, sermons and links - please go to our website - [www.stjameschurchalderholt.com](http://www.stjameschurchalderholt.com)*

## **Needle Craft Group**

We and others are knitting and crochet squares for Syrian blankets.

A big thank you to all who have contributed so far!

The knitting is half done and lots of promises of help still to get to me for sewing up. Crochet squares are also coming in and Sylvia took the first batch to be worked together on Wednesday

## **Churchyard Map**

We are keen to make as detailed a map of the churchyard graves as we can.

This could be a nice summer project - wondering around and writing names or deciphering headstones. If anyone is interested, please let Holly know.

## **Date for your Diary**

We're thinking of having a cream tea on June 20th at the Church Hall. The plan is to have 2 sittings - 2pm and 3:30pm - and table service, with people booking tables of up to 6. Could be a great Fathers Day treat, or just a chance to catch up with friends again.

## **Regular Services**

Weds 12 noon BCP Communion

These have restarted, in church, not on zoom. Please book ahead with Holly.

Sunday 8am BCP Communion

These have also restarted, and will not be on zoom. Please let Holly by Thursday if you are coming.

We are planning to reopen the church daily for visitors from June 21st. This may come earlier if we get good advice, or later if the situation changes.

## **Future Services**

May 30th - Communion in church and on zoom.

June 6th - Messy Church

June 13th - Communion in Church and on zoom

June 20th - Informal service on zoom only