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Services for Sunday 20th October 2024 **Twenty-First Sunday after Trinity**

St James

8am Said Holy Communion
Canon Richard Morgan

10am Service of The Word
Tony King

Holy Cross

10am Parish Holy Communion
Revd Jane Wood

Collect

Grant, we beseech you, merciful Lord,
to your faithful people pardon and peace,
that they may be cleansed from all their sins
and serve you with a quiet mind;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Amen

First Reading: Job 38: 1-7, 34-end.

Then the Lord answered Job out of the whirlwind:
'Who is this that darkens counsel by words without
knowledge?

Gird up your loins like a man, I will question you, and you
shall declare to me.

'Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth?
Tell me, if you have understanding.

Who determined its measurements - surely you know!
Or who stretched the line upon it?

On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone
when the morning stars sang together and all the heavenly
beings shouted for joy? 'Can you lift up your voice to the
clouds, so that a flood of waters may cover you?

Psalm 104: 1-10

Bless the Lord, O my soul.

O Lord my God, you are very great.

You are clothed with honour and majesty, wrapped in light
as with a garment.

You stretch out the heavens like a tent, you set the beams
of your chambers on the waters, you make the clouds your
chariot, you ride on the wings of the wind, you make the
winds your messengers, fire and flame your ministers.

You set the earth on its foundations, so that it shall never
be shaken.

You cover it with the deep as with a garment; the waters
stood above the mountains.

At your rebuke they flee; at the sound of your thunder they
take to flight.

They rose up to the mountains, ran down to the valleys

to the place that you appointed for them.

You set a boundary that they may not pass, so that they
might not again cover the earth.

You make springs gush forth in the valleys; they flow
between the hills.

Second Reading: Hebrews 5: 1-10

Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in
charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer
gifts and sacrifices for sins. He is able to deal gently with
the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to
weakness; and because of this he must offer sacrifice for
his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one
does not presume to take this honour, but takes it only
when called by God, just as Aaron was.

So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high
priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him,
'You are my Son, today I have begotten you';
as he says also in another place, 'You are a priest for ever,
according to the order of Melchizedek.'

In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and
supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who
was able to save him from death, and he was heard
because of his reverent submission. Although he was a
Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and
having been made perfect, he became the source of
eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been
designated by God a high priest according to the order of
Melchizedek.

Holy Gospel: Mark 10: 35-45

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to
him and said to him, 'Teacher, we want you to do for us
whatever we ask of you.' And he said to them, 'What is it
you want me to do for you?' And they said to him, 'Grant us
to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your
glory.' But Jesus said to them, 'You do not know what you
are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be
baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?' They
replied, 'We are able.' Then Jesus said to them, 'The cup
that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I
am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right
hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for
whom it has been prepared.'

When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with
James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them,
'You know that among the Gentiles those whom they
recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great
ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but
whoever wishes to become great among you must be your
servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must
be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served
but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.'

Intercessions

We pray for those who are ill at this time or in other forms
of need, especially those we know. We remember Paul,
Edward, Liz, John, Mary, Thelma, Ben, Paul, Pauline,
Phyllida, Ann, Bobbie, Les, Paul, Derek, Julie, Robert,
David, Mel, Rita, Norma, Joan, Marion, Rose, Francis,
Sue, Tina, Lottie, Rory, Tommie, Carol and Jenny. Be with
them in their suffering, support and comfort them and give
them peace of mind in times of trouble.'

We ask for your prayers for John Baldwin, Laurence
Bishop, Christine Savage and Gerry Pierce, recently
departed. We pray for their families and friends and all
those who grieve.

Post-communion prayer

Father of light,
in whom is no change or shadow of turning,
you give us every good and perfect gift
and have brought us to birth by your word of truth:
may we be a living sign of that kingdom
where your whole creation will be made perfect
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Service Sheet for Worship at Home

If you are unable to join the Sunday services, please do make use of the reflective service for use at home alongside the prayers and readings for the day which can be found on this pew sheet. If you would like a copy please contact the office ewelmeeparishoffice@gmail.com

Live Stream this week is from St James

This Week

Weds 23rd October

6pm Evening prayer via Zoom

Thurs 24th October

9am Morning Prayer in St James

10am Holy Communion at St James

Fri 25th October

2pm Poetry Group at 9 Five Acres

5pm Wedding rehearsal at Holy Cross

Sat 26th October

10.30am Coffee, Cake & Music at St James

1.30pm Wedding of Neil Roache & Angela Cranke at Holy Cross

Services for 27th October

Last Sunday after Trinity

St Giles

10am Benefice Holy Communion

☎ Revd Juliet's new phone number is
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Pastoral Care

Please let Revd Juliet, Chris Raffle (01453 545684 or 07517 380772), or Revd Jane Wood (07983 623525) know of those who need to be contacted or are in hospital and we will get in touch. Moya Wallis (01453 861675) and Pat Jones (860696) are happy to be contacted for Uley, Owlpen and Nympsfield.

You can also contact Clare in The Parish office-
ewelmebenefice@gmail.com 01453 549280

Morning and Evening Prayer in October

NO Morning prayer on Wednesday 23rd,

Morning prayer in person at 9am on Thursdays in St James

Evening Prayer Wednesday at 6pm via Zoom

Zoom Meeting ID: 893 3298 0143 Passcode: 899154

THIS SUNDAY

Friends of St Giles Church, Uley
presents
Turkish Music
for a
Sunday Afternoon
featuring
Abdul Kologlu
playing Turkish Saz
Sunday 20th October
3pm
A free informal concert in church
followed by refreshments & a chance to chat
Donations welcome for the upkeep of the church building

St James the Great
Dursley

Coffee, Cake & Music
2024

April 27th - Paul Bailey
(St Helen's, Alveston)
May 25th - Nick Sherwood
(St Monica's, Bristol)
June 29th - Nigel Nash
(Bristol)
July 27th - Stephen Power
(Brecon Cathedral)
August 31st - Andrew Millington (Exeter)
September 28th - Jed Hughes
(St Mary's, Wotton- Under-Edge)

October 26th - Nigel Davies
(St James The Great, Dursley)

The coffee and homemade cake will be served from 10.30am
The Music begins at 11am and lasts for 30-40 minutes.

There is no charge, but a retiring collection will be taken, the proceeds of which will go to the work of St James' church.

There are a lot of plates and food containers in the Parish Centre kitchen, that have been left behind at recent events. Please can you collect yours.

Ewelme Benefice



Service of Remembering

Sunday 3rd November
2024
4pm
at St Giles, Uley

A service to remember loved
ones

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All are welcome

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real people making
a real difference

Shoe Box Collection 2024

Leaflet and donation envelope
available in St James.

Who gets the shoeboxes?

Your shoebox will be given to a vulnerable child, or family, through schools, nurseries, hospitals and orphanages. Our aim is that each box is given in relationship with the local community as part of a long-term commitment to these children. Please be a part of this ongoing story that is continuing to impact and change lives by donating a shoebox to this year's appeal!

Like in 2023, this year the shoeboxes will be heading to the Ukraine, Moldova, Georgia, Bosnia and Romania. We work with in country partners like the Red Cross to help us find children that are most in need.



Collection Sunday is
10th November



A Silent Disco Arrives in Uley

If you haven't tried a silent Disco now is your chance!

For one night only A Silent Disco will be held in St Giles Church on Saturday 9th November 2 sessions 5-7 pm under 14s (have to be accompanied by an adult) = £5

Adult/ Young Adult 7:30 - 10:00 = £10

A licensed paying bar, soft drinks and hotdogs and glowing bracelets will be available to purchase.

Also a great opportunity to bring your lanterns to light up the church!

Time to shake off your moves and wear your glittery, cool gear!

All proceeds are going towards Friends of St Giles Church wall restoration fund.

New Boiler at St James

Since September 2023 when our boiler was condemned we have been without heating in the church. Having explored alternatives the only feasible solution is a replacement gas boiler. We are just waiting for the necessary permissions but will need to raise £50k to meet the costs of this option.

If you can help, please contact our parish office ewelme@parishoffice@gmail.com or make a donation

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GL11 4NA

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Saturday October 26th
The Chantry Centre, Dursley
Doors open at 1800 show starts at 1900


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Durcan's and the Chantry Centre Café
Or call 07763 495156



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Quiz Night

23rd November, 7pm



In aid of
Julius & Dora
Children's Centre

Providing a loving home for abandoned babies in Maseno, Kenya

St James Parish Centre, Dursley

Teams of up to 6

Tickets- £10

To book or join a team contact
chrismorgan194@btinternet.com

**Includes Ploughman's supper,
please bring your own**

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CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

2024

30th November-7th December