

Sunday 4th September 2022

Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to everyone in church today and to those joining via Facebook.

Please join us for refreshments, after church in the Hall. At St Thomas', you'll be able to make a purchase from our Fairtrade stall.

There are copies of today's reading available after the service or use the references below to look up in your Bible, or find them via our websites and Facebook pages.

Processional Hymn	<i>see separate sheet</i>	
First Bible reading	Deuteronomy 30:15-end	
Gradual Hymn	St Thomas	464
	St James	76
Gospel Reading	Luke 14:25-33	
Offertory Hymn	St Thomas	231
	St James	376
Communion Hymns	St Thomas	506, 525
	St James	513
Final Hymn	St Thomas	426
	St James	439

The Week Ahead & Information

Today	10.45	We admit Welcomers to office <i>at St James'</i>
	11.15	Holy Baptism of Grace <i>at St Thomas'</i>
	3.30	Holy Communion (BCP) <i>at St Thomas'</i>

Monday-Saturday
9.0 Morning Prayer *on St Thomas' Facebook page*

Tuesday 10am Eucharist *at St James'*

Wednesday 7.0 Choir practise *at St James'*

Thursday 10.0 Eucharist *at St Thomas'*
11 St Thomas' Standing Committee
2.30 Thursday Friends & Food *at St Thomas' Hall*

Friday 11-4 Heritage Open Day *at St James'*

Saturday 10-4 Heritage Open Day *at St James'*

Next Sunday – 11th September – 13th Sunday after Trinity

- 8.0 Eucharist at St Thomas'
9.15 Parish Eucharist at St Thomas'
with admission of Welcomers
10.45 Parish Eucharist at St James'
with admission of Welcomers

Heritage Open Days at St James', 9-11 September

Thank you for all items offered to loan for the exhibition. Please note the drop-off/collection times on the loan information letter.

Volunteers – please collect a rota from church TODAY!

Walk through the Bible

Saturday 17th September, 10-4.30, at St Peter's. This is a one-person dramatic presentation offering a sort of gallop through the Bible setting out its themes and chronology. It's excellent for those who want to understand more but have perhaps been put off by not knowing where to start. See the poster for more info. Attendance recommended!

Water Aid

St James' is supporting this charity for its Harvest (2nd October) Appeal this year. Jars for collecting coins are available at the back of church today. Please take one!

Defibrillator Appeal(s)

Thank you for those who have already donated to our defibrillator appeals. Leaflets with more information on are available at the back of church. Please support us if you can and share the message with friends and family.

Prayer Boards

Please to add names of people who need our prayerful support, or places/situations which are on your mind and in need of God's love.

Prayers

Please let Fr David know of anyone who should be included on our weekly prayer list. (frdavidstephenson@gmail.com, 07539 264279)

For your prayers

For the sick: Ian, Charley, Mandy, Lizzie, Janet, Asia, Derek, Rachael, Mike, Rachel, Ian, Beryl, Sarah, Quentin, John, Mother Enid, Margaret, Christine, Lola, Alec, Arnold, Alicia, Jacqueline, Maureen, Bryony, Grace, Juliette, John
For all who have died in the past week and all whose anniversaries fall in the coming week. *Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord.*