

# WEEKLY BULLETIN

## OUR SERVICE THIS SUNDAY

7<sup>th</sup> April – 10:30

Partnership - Doing life together

Philippians 1. 1-11

Lead: Fabian Wuyts

Preach: Mike Gillingham

## NEXT TWO WEEKS

### Sunday 14th April

Walls Down - Relevant to our  
friends and our community

Luke 15. 1-10

1 John 1. 1-4

Lead & Preach: Fabian Wuyts

### Sunday 21th April

Branches out - Connecting with  
our friends and our community

Luke 19. 1-10

Acts 17. 22-32

Preach: Fabian Wuyts

Lead: TBC

INVITE  
YOUR  
FRIENDS

4 April

2 pm

Large Hall

Mike Gillingham

"...and did those feet" ....A ramble through the Mendips

Thursday  
Fellowship

## It's EASTER!

- we know this because the shops are selling out of Easter eggs, fluffy bunnies, Hot Cross buns and spring flowers - **Easter** is full of the idea of new life and rebirth - **But** what of the origins of the **Easter Story** - Those hot Cross buns that we love to munch are a reminder that Easter starts with the mystery of Good Friday -



### St James Player present

a light hearted but serious  
investigation into the mysterious case  
of a body that went missing .....

**2000 years ago!**

"A body went missing from a tomb... what's so unusual about that?"

A nine day wonder?

Another cold case?

**We invite you to an evening of fun and food as you join with us in investigating this unusual crime. There will be Bangers in a Bun in the interval and coffee and cake after the show. Bring your own drinks to enjoy in the interval.**

### And please don't forget.....

**All our proceeds for this performance goes to....**



**Raising The Roof Appeal**

Open Door is a day centre providing practical services to Taunton's homeless community, catering for their immediate needs as well as longer term tailored support aimed at developing life skills and securing accommodation, working in partnership with other agencies.

However Open Door is facing a significant challenge to maintain their building in Mary Street and needs to raise £50,000 for essential repairs to a roof that is 150 year old and needs urgent structural repair.

More details can be found at:

<https://www.tauntonopendoor.org.uk/>

**Have you got your tickets yet? - on sale in church this Sunday, online or from Jenny Wakefield 07796248369**



'The **Electoral Roll** is due to be revised soon, so if you are not already on our roll and wish to declare yourself part of 'this lively, vibrant faith community', you will have the opportunity to do so during April. You need to have **attended** regularly for **6 months**, **complete an application form** which will be at the back of church, and return it to either  
*Sue Doyle, Martin Bluemel or the parish office,*  
and you will be added to the Roll'



The funeral of Margaret Inchley will be held at **St James Church, Tuesday the 9th of April at 1pm** followed by cremation at Taunton Crematorium  
A Wake will take place at **Trull Community Centre at 3pm**

Donations if desired for Stroke Association and Cancer Research UK, can be made online at [crescent-giving.co.uk](http://crescent-giving.co.uk) or may be sent to the Funeral Directors, Crescent Funeral Services, The Old Coach House, Crescent Park, Taunton, TA1 4ED.

## COMMUNITY NOTICE BOARD



You can find the monthly Tell the Church newsletter from Taunton Team Chaplaincy here through their website [www.tauntontc.co.uk](http://www.tauntontc.co.uk)



Pursuit  
every Tuesday and Sunday nights

# PRAYER

Pick up a printed copy of the prayer diary at the back of church or join us for our prayer times



## Zoom Morning Prayer

Mondays and Wednesdays on Zoom at 9:15am  
Meeting ID: 881 1898 1938  
Passcode: 135791



## Prayer Space

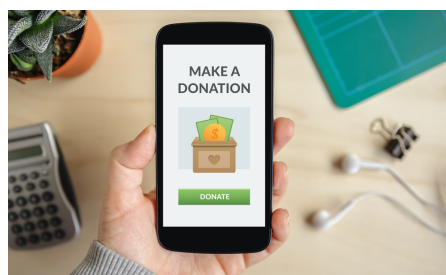
Prayer Space is on Fridays at 5pm in the Side Chapel. All welcome!



## Prayer for Taunton

St James Church Lounge - More details from Andy on 01823 274656

# SUPPORT US



You can now donate electronically at the door or through this link <https://givealittle.co/campaigns/8565dd91-35b1-4bd2-8007-fe59febcb9db3>



Cash can be placed in the wall safe on the right hand side of the church as you leave or in the collection plate. You can gift aid donations by using the yellow forms by the plate.



If you wish to set up regular monthly giving, please contact Chris Rickard to set up monthly stewardship [christine.rickard@sky.com](mailto:christine.rickard@sky.com)

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