

WEEKLY BULLETIN

ENCOUNTERING, GROWING, PARTICIPATING

OUR SERVICE THIS SUNDAY

Sunday 22nd February

Rules, Promises and the Freedom
We Actually Need
Galatians 3:15-22
Romans 7:7-12
Preach Fabian Wuyts
Lead Nigel Bright

NEXT TWO WEEKS

Sunday 1st March

From Slaves to Sons and Daughters

Galatians 4:1-7
Romans 8:12-17

Preach Edward Hosken
Lead Mike Gillingham
Holy Communion

Sunday 8th March

The War Between Flesh and Spirit

Galatians 5:1, 13-26
Romans 8:5-11

Preach Nigel Bright
Lead Fabian Wuyts



Prodigal

- finding hope in a story of redemption
A Lent series of gatherings

Join us for a series of Christian contemplative prayer
Thursdays and Friday 10.30-12 noon @ St James Church



Thursday 26th Feb - The Story

Friday 6th March - The Younger Son*

Thursday 12th March - The Elder Son

Thursday 19th March - Knowing the Father*

Thursday 26th March - Becoming the Father

* these sessions include a simple communion service

Those of any faith and none are most welcome to join us for any of these gatherings

For more information contact either:
Lyn 07772881463 or Felicity 07508287808
or go to stjamestaunton.org

DRAW NEAR

LIFE-GIVING HABITS FOR LENT

- Ash Weds 18th Feb • Sharing in Worship
- Week 1 • Sharing in Prayer
- Week 2 • Sharing the Scriptures
- Week 3 • Sharing Communion
- Week 4 • Sharing in Service
- Week 5 • Sharing the Good News
- Holy Week • Sharing in Holy Week
- Easter Day • Sharing in Resurrection



God created you to be near Him...
We'd like to help you



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• Sharing in Prayer

*Talking is good, God is good...
He wants to hear you and speak to you...*

We all need to know we belong and are loved.

Jesus said that when we pray we should call God our Heavenly Father, because we belong to him, He is creator of all and loves us better than even the best earthly father.



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Our mission focus for February



Taunton Team Chaplaincy provides chaplains who serve in:

Taunton's Magistrates Courts
Care Homes
Retail premises
Offices
Town centre and open spaces
Working with the marginalised community
Taunton Rail station

please keep them in your prayers

As well as supporting associated chaplaincies with Reserve forces, Sea and Royal Marines cadets,
Air cadets and the Royal British Legion.

The qualifications to be a chaplain include:

Active membership of a local Christian church
To be a 'people' person with good listening skills
Satisfactory references from their church leader and someone else
A willingness to undertake appropriate training

A commitment to give time regularly at their placement, attend team meetings and pray for the Chaplaincy
Agreement to wearing at least one item of identifying uniform
A willingness to have a DBS (Disclosure and Barring Service) check where required by their placement

Next Steps

Contact our Lead Chaplain for an informal chat. It may be possible to observe one of our chaplains in their placement to provide a guide to the work of a chaplain in that setting
Telephone 07581 424420
Email Adrian@tauntontc.co.uk



Ending hunger together

Give in Lent

Help support your food bank this Lent

In the six weeks of Lent, the food bank will provide emergency food parcels for local individuals and families facing hardship.

Donate food

Donate an item or two from our shopping list, ensuring we can provide food for people facing hardship in your community.

Donate money

Help to cover the costs of storing and distributing food, as well as developing sustainable projects.

Shopping list

- Pasta
- Tinned veg/fruit
- Cooking sauces
- Tinned meat and fish
- Milk (UHT or powdered)
- Cereals
- Fruit juice (long-life)
- Tinned pudding
- Jam
- Instant mashed potato

Taunton Foodbank
info@taunton.foodbank.org.uk

Registered Charity in England & Wales (1163056)



Save the Date!
ACTS Uganda Plant Sale on
May 16th! Please will you
grow/ propagate plants for the
sale? Sue Carpenter would
love to hear from you!



Choral workshop
with Joe Beckhelling
and members of
Voce Chamber Choir



Sing With
Voce

10:30 - 4:00
Sunday 8th March
Trull Memorial Hall, TA3 7JZ
Tickets £20

For more event and music details:
www.ticketsource.co.uk/voce-chamber-choir
[/VoceTaunton](https://www.facebook.com/VoceTaunton) infovoce16@yahoo.com



Hymns & Tea

Twice monthly, 2nd & 4th Sundays
Hymns & afternoon tea 2:30 – 4:00 pm
Doors open at 2pm

THIS WEEK
All welcome

Lots of hymns you love, accompanied by the church organ and other musicians, Bible readings, and prayer.
A time to praise the Lord Jesus in an informal relaxed manner... followed by light refreshments.

Hymns & Tea

Jan	11th & 25th	Jul	12th & 26th
Feb	8th & 22nd	Aug	9th & 23rd
Mar	8th & 22nd	Sep	13th & 27th
Apr	12th & 26th	Oct	11th & 25th
May	10th & 24th	Nov	8th & 22nd
Jun	14th & 28th	Dec	13th Carols

at St James Church, St James Street, Taunton TA1 1JS
(next to the county cricket ground)

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

A service for everyone!

Friday 6 March

I will give you rest, come

You are invited to join with this ecumenical celebration which is taking place all around the world on this day

to be held at

St George's Catholic Church,
Billet Street, Taunton TA1 3NG
starting at 10.30am

or for a shortened Service in the lunch hour also at

St George's Catholic Church,
Billet Street, Taunton
from 1.15pm – 1.45pm

If anyone would like to volunteer as the St James Coordinator for WORLD DAY OF PRAYER
Please contact Carole Smith from St Georges Wilton carolesmith44@gmail.com



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PRAYER



Zoom Morning Prayer

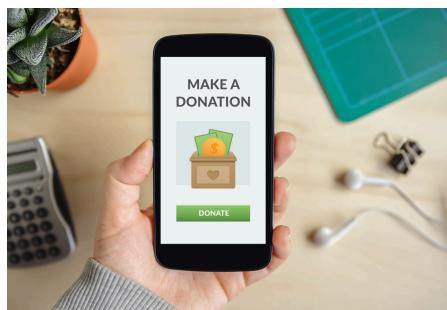
Topic: St James Morning Prayer
 Time: 9.15am
 Day: Monday and Thursday
 Meeting ID: 891 6439 9113

Church Opening Times

Typically Monday - Wednesday
 9am - 3.30pm. Sunday 10.00am -
 12.30pm

Prayer for Taunton

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



You can now donate electronically at
 the door or by clicking the link below

<https://givealittle.co/campaigns/8565dd91-35b1-4bd2-8007-fe59febcb9db3>

Cash can be placed in the outside wall
 safe on the righthand side of the church
 as you leave. You can use the card
 machine, shown above, situated by the
 notice board in the entrance, or you can
 gift aid donations by using the yellow
 envelopes that you will find by the card
 machine.



If you wish to set up regular monthly
 giving, please contact Chris Rickard
 to set up monthly stewardship
christine.rickard@sky.com

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