

Dear Friends,

Hello again! We hope you are doing ok, and managing to keep going despite all the difficult challenges around us. God is still good, even when our circumstances are not.

This email is all about Thy Kingdom Come, 10 days of prayer for more people to come to faith in Jesus, which starts this Thursday. Last year we set up the St James building as a 24 hour prayer room, but things are a little different now! Read on..

Thy Kingdom Come at St James' and St Peter's

Worship

On *Thursday 21st May 7.30pm* we kick off Thy Kingdom Come with an *Ascension Day Communion* service. We finish with a *Pentecost Sunday Communion* at 10.30am on the 31st. Both will be on the Preston Plucknett Youtube channel <https://tinyurl.com/wgkrcpq>

Daily Prayer

From *Friday 22nd – Saturday 30th May* we will be gathering online for prayer 4 times a day. The prayer booklet for these services is attached, or you can download it from the church website http://www.stjamesyeovil.org.uk/?page_id=1676 please join us online if you can, or use these services at home in your own time.

8.00am Morning Prayer: on Youtube Preston Plucknett channel (<https://tinyurl.com/wgkrcpq>)

12 noon Midday Prayer: on Zoom <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/741262254749> <<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74126225474?pwd=SzhENmpYMXBXc1ZNaUkydEYzc21MZz09>>, Meeting ID: 741 2622 5474, Password: 042405 (note: on Tues 26th the meeting will be at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6261684940>)

4pm Evening Prayer: on Facebook, live on the St James Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/groups/123274077467/>

8pm Night Prayer: on Facebook, live on the St James Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/groups/123274077467/> (may start at 8.05 on Thurs 28th!)

/(please note/: there will be no morning or noon prayers on Sun 24th May)/

Prayer Stations

There are 10 interactive prayer stations in St James Churchyard, as well as a 'Peg a Prayer' washing line. Please bring prayers, scriptures, pictures, and peg them on the line around the outside of St James Church room. All the prayer stations are prepared with hygiene and social distancing in mind.

Prayer Sign-Up

Sign up to pray for an hour (or more!) during the 10 days at <https://www.24-7prayer.com/signup/86cbcf>

Prayer Resources

Thy Kingdom Come at Home – simple daily prayer ideas for 21-31st May. Lots of great ideas for creating your own prayer space in your own house. ***Prayer Activities with Children*** – what it says on the tin! 10 prayer activities for families. Both of these can be downloaded from the church website as they are a bit large to attach to an email!

http://www.stjamesyeovil.org.uk/?page_id=1676,
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Prayer Adventure Map – being hand delivered to families with pre- and primary children, download the app and have fun learning to pray as a family

<https://www.thykingdomcome.global/resources/digital-family-prayer-adventure-map>

If you have difficulty downloading any of the prayer resources, please let us know and we will try to get them printed out and delivered to you. We do hope everyone is able to join in this special season of prayer in some way, and that we will see God at work in response to our prayers.

"Ask and you will receive, seek and you will find, knock and the door will be opened to you." (Luke 11:9)

yours in Christ

David and Ruth

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