Parish of Preston Plucknett

St. James'
Preston Road
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St. Peter's
Coronation Avenue
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Parish Notices: January 2021

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SUNDAY WORSHIP

The PCC has made the decision to close both churches for public worship and private prayer during the current lockdown.
Live streamed Sunday morning worship will continue at https://tinyurl.com/StJPY2020.
Both churches have done an amazing job at being Covid safe since March 2020, but with the end in sight (hopefully!) it would be foolish to take any risks now.
The service sheet can be found on either of the church websites under the Virtual Church/Worship at Home heading and can be downloaded or viewed on line.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH

To keep in touch with St. James' church family during this time, please contact us (see below) or join St. James' Church Yeovil Facebook group.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH

To keep in touch with St. Peter's church family please contact us (see below) or join St. Peter's Church (Westfield, Yeovil) Facebook group.

CHURCH CONTACTS

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St. Peter's Churchwarden: Caroline Turner carolineturner28@gmail.com
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ONLINE PARISH PRAYER MEETING

There is an informal prayer meeting for both churches hosted on Zoom every Wednesday 12.00-12.30 pm which is a good opportunity for us to pray together about the needs of the church, our town and the world.
For joining details contact Mark Felstead. If you can't join us on Zoom but have a prayer request, please send it to Mark mfelstead13@icloud.com

NEW TEACHING SERIES

The current teaching series on Sundays is based on 'The Very Good Book' - how God speaks through the Bible, how to use it and apply it today, how it changes lives and nations and how to deal with the tougher passages.
You can catch up with this on our Youtube channel.

The Lent course session from 2020: 'Is the Bible Reliable?' has been broken down into sections and is also posted on the Youtube channel.

LENT COURSE 2021

Lent begins on **Ash Wednesday, 17th February.** There will be an online service on that evening, and a Wednesday evening Lent course over Zoom starting the following week, in place of the usual cell groups. More details nearer the time.
We're going to try to make it fun and uplifting, with something to bless and inspire us but not reams of in-depth teaching.
It's for everyone, whether or not you're part of a cell group.

PRAYER WALK

A couple of St. James' folk are doing a regular (socially distanced) prayer walk on Wednesdays between 2 & 3pm. If you'd like to do the same around your neighbourhood, please let them know (gshardacre@btinternet.com), or if you're confined to the house, you could use Streetview to do a virtual prayer walk.

ONLINE TEAROOM DROP-INS

We're trying these out for both churches, to give a chance for people to catch up with each other and see a few friendly faces. They're happening every Monday, here's where to find them:

St. Peters: Monday morning on Zoom, for joining details please contact Frances Croxford francescroxford@hotmail.com

St. James': 2.30-3pm Monday, https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84164192567, password Cuppa.

Please turn up or leave whenever's convenient!

PARISH PRAYER

There will be an online Parish Prayer gathering next **Thursday, 4th February** between 7.30-8.15pm, the link will be in next weeks e-news. We're regularly hearing of answered prayers.

THE LORD'S LARDER

Thank you for giving to the Lord's Larder.
We are currently running low on the following:
Tins of Chilli Con Carne, Tinned Potatoes, UHT Milk,
Tins of Macaroni Cheese,Tins of Mixed Veg, Shampoo.
We are accepting food donations from Mon - Fri 10am - 2pm
at The Gateway, BA20 1QN
and you can still donate items via the major supermarkets.
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