

# Parish of Preston Plucknett

## St. James'

Preston Road

stjamesyeovil.org.uk

## St. Peter's

Coronation Avenue

stpeters-yeovil.org.uk

## April 2021

*Updated on 15th April*

### SUNDAY WORSHIP

Services have resumed in our two churches,  
9 am at St. Peter's and 10.30 at St. James', but due to social  
distancing please do not attend in person at present  
unless you have booked.

The morning on-line service for **Sunday, 18th April** will be  
live streamed From St. James' Church and can be found as usual at  
<https://tinyurl.com/StJPY2020>.

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 COMMUNITY COFFEE**

This has restarted at St. Peter's Church on Coronation Avenue  
on **Monday mornings** in the church grounds.

Wrap up warm!

For further details please contact the church wardens.

## **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](mailto:mfelstead13@icloud.com)

## **CHURCH OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER**

St. James' Church is open for Private Prayer twice a week.

This will be on **Tuesdays from 2 - 4 pm** and on  
**Saturdays from 11 am - 1 pm.**

Social distancing and face coverings must continue until further notice.

## **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](mailto:gshardacre@btinternet.com)), or if you're confined to the house, you could use Streetview to do a virtual prayer walk.

## **REGULAR DONATIONS**

If you have been putting aside donations for our Mission Partners during Lent, please bring them along to the church when it is open or when you next attend a service.

Similarly, please do the same with any money you would have regularly put in the weekly collection on a Sunday.

If you are unable to attend church in person, please contact the church wardens who can arrange for someone to collect it.  
(Contact details on the first page)

## **REMINDER**

David's has now started his Sabbatical for the next 3 months.

Please pray for David and his family during this time.

For any information about church activities please contact

Revd. Ruth or the churchwardens (See front page.)

To book for Sunday services at 9 am at St. Peter's please contact

Caroline Turner [carolineturner28@gmail.com](mailto:carolineturner28@gmail.com)

For St. James' 10.30 services please contact Maureen Harris

[maureenharris23@talktalk.net](mailto:maureenharris23@talktalk.net)

## **THE LORD'S LARDER**

The Larder is currently running low on the following;

Jars of Pasta Sauce, Tinned Spaghetti, Bags of Sugar, UHT Milk,

packets of Instant Whip/Angel Delight

At the moment we have all the Dried Pasta & Baked Beans we need.

Thank you for your generosity.

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.

**Updated on Tuesday, 13th April.**

## **SHOE BOXES: OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

Message from the Samaritan's Purse Charity: "The processing of shoe boxes was delayed this year because of lockdown but we were delighted to finish the final boxes a few weeks ago.

We have been sending lorries off since November when the first boxes were given, so some children will have received a shoe box in time for Christmas but others will be receiving late presents this year!"

People in the UK were very generous.

Despite the coronavirus challenges and concerns, around 265,000 boxes were donated. It is well documented that those who have suffered the most in this pandemic are the poorest and marginalised in society and the shoe boxes are often given to children in these communities, so they will be appreciated more than ever this year."

Grateful thanks to those from our churches and community who donated boxes.