

## Services next week: 9<sup>th</sup> February

Rev. Canon David Holt will be joining us for next week's services.

9:15am Holy Communion  
(CW with hymns)

10:45am Morning Worship



St. James' Church  
Rowledge

### For your prayers this week

In our weekly cycle of prayer please pray for the following members of our church family:

Jonathan and Clare Jupp, Susan Kelly, John and Susanne Kimber.

We also pray for the following people and situations:

Please pray for Benjamin Clifford, Tilly Freeguard and Freddie Hodkin who are away at college.

Also, Ryan Fowler for his operation and his successful recovery. (2)

For Revd. Haydon Wilcox for his surgery and a swift and complete recovery. (3)

For Russ our vicar, in his recovery.

**Don't forget that you can send your prayer requests to [prayer@stjamesrowledge.org.uk](mailto:prayer@stjamesrowledge.org.uk) for inclusion in the weekly notice sheet.**

### Special Prayer for today

Lord Jesus Christ,  
light of the nations and glory of Israel:  
make your home among us,  
and present us pure and holy  
to your heavenly Father,  
your God, and our God.  
Amen

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Please take this notice sheet with you to remind you what's happening during the coming week. All the most up to date information is available on our website:

[www.stjamesrowledge.org.uk](http://www.stjamesrowledge.org.uk)

Or follow us on:



## WEEKLY NOTICES

2<sup>nd</sup> February 2020

*Candlemas*



*We welcome this morning  
Bishop Chris Herbert who will lead and  
preach at our services this morning.*

This Sunday:

## Presentation of Christ in the Temple

A very warm welcome to our service this week:

9:15am Holy Communion  
(BCP Spoken)

10:45am Morning Worship (with Holy  
Communion)

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## A very warm welcome...

Welcome to our services this morning. We hope you find peace, comfort and hope during this time of worship. If this is your first visit, please say hello and fill in one of the welcome cards in the seats.

## Useful information

### Crèche and Children's Groups

The children's groups take place during the 10:45am service. Children will start in their groups and will return to church for communion.

### Hearing Loop



A hearing loop is available. Switch aids to "T" to pick up the signal.

### Bible Readings for Today:

Hebrews 2: 14-end (page 1212)

Luke 2: 22-40 (page 1009)

### What you need to know

### Clergy who will be joining us in the coming weeks:

9 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Rev. Canon David Holt
16 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Rev. Dr Russ Parker
23 <sup>rd</sup> Feb	Rev. David Eaton
1 <sup>st</sup> March	United Service led by Jane Walker followed by bring and share lunch.
8 <sup>th</sup> March	David Ashby

### Joint Village Prayer Meeting

The next meeting will be held on Thursday 13th February at the home of Bob and Anne Blackman, 12 Prospect Road, at 10.30.a.m. All are welcome.

### Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March - World Day of Prayer Service

Will be here at St James at 10.30am. The theme this year is 'Rise, take your mat and walk'. Everyone is welcome and refreshments will be served. We look forward to seeing you all. For more information contact Jan Clark on 077202056 or [jan.8@btinternet.com](mailto:jan.8@btinternet.com)

### Foodbank Donations



Farnham foodbank are collecting for local families in need. Donations can be left at the back of church. Farnham Foodbank is in urgent need of: UHT milk, long life fruit juice, instant coffee, sponge puddings, jam, noodles and snack pots. Also, toiletries including shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrushes and feminine hygiene products.

### After-school club

**St James' Church Rowledge**

# The Zoo!

**What:** An awesome new after school club for children in yr R-yr4, playing games, going on forest adventures and hearing exciting Bible Stories!  
**Dinner Included!**

**When:** Mondays in term time,  
3.20-5.30pm for Rowledge Primary School children  
4-5.30pm for other children in the community

**Where:** St James Church, Rowledge

**Cost:** £5 per session

For more information please email Adele Regan,  
St James' Youth & Children's Minister on:  
[adele.regan@stjamesrowledge.org.uk](mailto:adele.regan@stjamesrowledge.org.uk)

### An Update from Russ

Dear friends,

Jenny and I have been so incredibly grateful for your love, prayers and offers of practical support as I continue my recovery. Especially, thanks for the very generous gift of gardening vouchers, which will be put to good use as soon as the weather improves. As you can probably imagine, I am very keen to get back to work as soon as possible, but equally want to ensure I am properly better before doing so. In the meantime, I am holding on to the promise of St. Paul to the Romans,

*"And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose."* Romans 8:28

### Parish Giving Scheme

Supporting the mission of the local church is something to which all Christians should commit themselves. We ask all those who consider St. James' to be "home" to join the Parish Giving Scheme. Please speak to one of the Churchwardens or collect an information pack from the back of church for more information.

