



## ST JAMES' & ST JOHN'S MONTHLY HERALD

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### *Minister's Note*

Most, if not all of us, are amongst the richest people on this planet. We have so much for which to thank the Lord. We're also called to do what we can to provide for people who are less fortunate than ourselves. One way in which we can combine these two responses to our own good fortune is by joining in church celebrations of **Harvest**. We will be celebrating Harvest in both churches on Sunday 7 October. Both St James' and St John's have agreed to support Wrexham Feeding the Roofless this year. Please bring harvest gifts from the following list: chocolate biscuits (individually wrapped, especially Penguin or Rocky); powdered soups (chicken, vegetable, tomato and especially mushroom flavour); coffee, drinking chocolate, bags of sugar; crisps (big multipack bags). Alternatively, financial donations will also be gratefully received – loose money on the plate on 7 October will be given to WFtR.

Would you like to pray with others for our churches? Anyone is welcome to join a weekly **Prayer Meeting** at the Vicarage (160 Borrass Road) on Wednesdays. We'll pray from 7.00 pm for no more than an hour - come for 6.45 pm if you'd like a cuppa before we start

### *For Prayer*

- **School Assemblies:** Sarah will be taking the assemblies at Barkers Lane School on Friday 5 October, and at Rhosddu School on Thursday 18 October
- Those from both churches currently doing Christianity Explored and Discipleship Explored
- *Please make sure you have a copy of the 'Leading Your Church into Growth' prayer bookmark, and use the prayer for growth in your prayers as often as possible*
- **A prayer to say each day**  
Make me remember, O God, that every day is your gift and ought to be used according to your command, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*(a prayer of Samuel Johnson (1709 – 1786))*

### REGULAR SERVICES

#### ST JAMES'

Every Sunday at 11am

7<sup>th</sup> October – All Age Worship

14<sup>th</sup> October – Holy Communion

21<sup>st</sup> October – Morning Prayer

28<sup>th</sup> October – All Age  
Communion

#### ST JOHN'S

Every Sunday at 9.30am

7<sup>th</sup> October – Holy Communion

14<sup>th</sup> October – Holy Communion

21<sup>st</sup> October – Matins

28<sup>th</sup> October – Holy Communion

In addition at St John's:

Each Sunday at 4pm - Service  
Station – Food for Body & Soul

Each Wednesday at 10am -  
Communion Service

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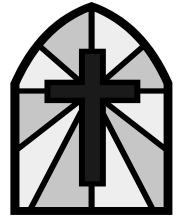
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## Church Events

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### At St James':

Tuesday 2 October, **Midweek Holy Communion**, 10.30 am in Church

Monday 15 October, **Silence**, film and discussion evening, from 6.30 pm in Church. Please let Sarah or Jackie know if you're coming, as we'll be serving pizza during the evening

### At St John's:

Saturday 20 October, **Prayer Breakfast**, 9.00 – 10.30 am in Church

### Elsewhere:

Sunday 7 October, **Collation and Installation of Ven John Lomas as Archdeacon of Wrexham**, 3.30 pm at St Asaph Cathedral

Tuesday 9 October, **Mission Area Conference**, 7.00 for 7.15 pm at St Mark's

Saturday 13 October, **Diocesan Conference**, at St Joseph's School

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## Forthcoming Events

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Mondays 5, 12, 19, 26 November and 3 December, **Someone to Believe In**, a Bible Study referring to the film *Miracle on 34<sup>th</sup> Street*. We will watch the film together on Monday 5 November, and spend the subsequent meetings discussing themes from it in relation to biblical teaching. Meetings will take place in St James' Church Hall, starting at 7.30 pm. Please let Sarah know if you're coming, and if you'd like a copy of the study book

Saturday 17 November, **Prayer Breakfast**, 9.00 – 10.30 am in Church at St John's

Saturday 24 November, **Ladies' Day** at St Johns'. A day for female churchgoers, with a speaker and a variety of activities

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## Church Activities

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- **SUNDAY CLUB:** During term time, for children during the 11am service at St James' (Except on family service's)
- **WHIST DRIVE:** Every other Friday, 7 pm at St. James'. £2 entry including refreshments
- **EVENING MOTHERS' UNION:** Second Wednesday, 7.30–9.00 pm in St John's Hall

