

ST JAMES' & ST JOHN'S MONTHLY HERALD



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Minister's Note

Do you read, and if you do, what do you read? There are loads of good Christian books out there, so here's a challenge: over this summer, get hold of a book which will feed your faith, and make sure you read it! Not sure what to read? Here are a few suggestions to get you started:

Darlene Deibler Rose, Evidence not Seen (Authentic Media): "un-put-downable" (Ruth Graham). One courageous woman's story from the New Guinea jungle to four years in a Japanese Prisoner of War camp. Testimony to the way in which God upholds his people through the most difficult of times.

Glen Scrivener, 3 2 1: The Story of God, the World and You (10Publishing): a fresh telling of the Christian story that assumes no prior knowledge; "thought-provoking and frequently surprising" (Barry Cooper).

For children:

Michael J Tinker, The Greatest Rescue Ever! Activity and Sticker Book (10Publishing). Come on an adventure of discovery and wonder! Junior detective - you must keep your wits about you as you uncover the truth of 'The Greatest Rescue EVER!' Unlock the secret codes, hunt for the hidden treasure and whatever you do, don't ask Dr Von Pomplenickel to build you anything... it'll probably blow up.

Order from Manna Christian Bookshop on Charles Street, or from www.eden.co.uk

If you read any of these, or have other suggestions to make, send Tracy a short review for the next Herald, or post a longer review on our Facebook page. Happy reading!!

Church Events

At St James'

Thursday 11 July, **Church Council Meeting**, 7.15 for 7.30 pm in the Hall

Thursday 25 July, **Coffee Morning**, 10.00 am – 12 noon in the Hall

At St John's

Saturday 13 July, **Afternoon Cream Tea**, 3.00 – 4.30 pm at St John's; homemade cakes/scones; prettiest hat competition; testimony. All welcome. Entrance: £2.00/50p. Tickets available from Chris, email: 777chrisamen@gmail.com, Tel: 01978 359679;

Tuesday 16 July, **Church Council Meeting**, 7.15 pm in the Hall

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

Elsewhere

Wednesdays 3 July, 17 July, **Wednesday Prayers**, 7.00 – 8.00 pm at the Vicarage

Thursday 4 July, **Christians Together in Wrexham AGM**, 7.15 for 7.30 pm at All Saints', Poyser Street

REGULAR SERVICES

ST JAMES'

Every Sunday at 11am

7th July – All Age Worship

14th July – Holy Communion

21st July – Morning Prayer

28th July – All Age Holy Communion

ST JOHN'S

Every Sunday at 9.30am

7th July – Holy Communion

14th July – Holy Communion

21st July – Morning Prayer

28th July – 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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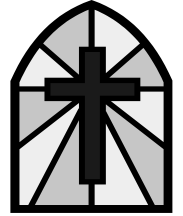
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Forthcoming Events



Saturday 10 August, **Car Boot Sale**, 10am-2pm at St James' Church, Rhosddu Road, Wrexham, LL12 8AW. Pre-booking available at £5 per car or £7 on the day! For further information or to book a place, please call 07708 947376.

Saturday 28 September, **Wrexham Worships**, 7.30 – 9.30 pm at Tŷ Pawb. An evening of praise and celebration, free to attend.

For Prayer

- There is one Baptism this month: at St James' on Sunday 7 July. Please pray for the child to be baptised, her parents and godparents, that each will continue to grow in their relationship with the Lord.
- Pray for the ongoing Conservative Party Leadership election, and for our next Prime Minister, that they will be given wisdom and humility to lead our nation in the coming months and years.
- *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 by Michael Seward

Lord of the Church, enable your people to be the Church – a redeemed people, a holy people, a united people, a missionary people, and in all things a people gladly submissive to the truth you have shown us in yourself, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(The SPCK Book of Christian Prayer, p 432)



Church Activities

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