

TODAY'S HYMNS are listed here, on the hymn board above the pulpit and can be found in the blue-covered *The Hymnal 1982* in the pew rack.

1. Opening: # 48
2. Gradual: # 440

3. Offertory: # 593
4. Closing: # 632

LOOKING AHEAD

WORSHIP

Sunday, July 23, 2017.....Liturgy of the Holy Eucharist
8AM – Rite I; 10AM - Rite II

*July 23 is Father Christopher's final Sunday with us as Interim Pastor.
Please make every effort to attend either of the worship services and then
the brunch that will follow the 10AM liturgy on that day.*

Sunday, July 30, 2017.....Liturgy of the Holy Eucharist
8AM – Rite I; 10AM - Rite II
The Rev. John Miller, Celebrant and Preacher

Sunday, August 6, 2017.....Liturgy of the Holy Eucharist
8AM – Rite I; 10AM - Rite II
The Rev. John Miller, Celebrant and Preacher

Sunday, August 13, 2017.....Liturgy of the Holy Eucharist
8AM – Rite I; 10AM - Rite II
The Rev. Mark A. Thompson, Priest-in-Partnership
Celebrant and Preacher

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Wednesday, July 19, 6:30PM... Meeting of the Vestry
Sunday, July 23, 2017..... Farewell to Father Christopher David
Saturday, August 5, 2017.....Norman's Attic
Saturday, September 30, 2017.....Harvest Fest

Today's Bean Counters: Phil Sherwin and Pat Clancy
Today's Coffee Hour Host: Jo Gillikin and Alma Graham
SLP Packers for July 18: Elizabeth & Fred Broberg; June Sherwin

The St. James' Weekly News

The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

July 16, 2017



*"The Sower", medieval stained glass, 1180.
Canterbury Cathedral, Great Britain.*

The Very Rev. Christopher L. David, Interim Pastor

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WELCOME

A warm welcome to all and a special welcome to those who are visiting; the addition of your praise and thanks heartens us all. If you are seeking a church home or simply a place to rest for a while on your spiritual journey, we invite you to consider St. James' to be that place. The service leaflet will guide you through the liturgy. In the pew racks you will find the *Book of Common Prayer* (red binding) and *The Hymnal 1982* (blue binding). Please do not hesitate to ask a fellow worshipper for help.

If you are new to St. James' and wish to be included in our weekly e-mails (*This Week At St. James'*), please fill in one of the welcome forms (available on the table in the narthex) and leave it in the offertory plate or with an usher. Restrooms are located in the undercroft on the right-hand wall. There is an elevator located in the narthex for those who need it. **Please do not hesitate to speak to an usher or any church member if you have questions or need assistance.** Whether you are a visitor or a parishioner, if you would like a call and/or a visit please call the office at 375-9952 or send an e-mail to stjamesparishoffice@gmail.com. If you have a need for hospital visitation for yourself or for a family member or friend, **you must call Fr. Christopher or the Parish Office.** The SWVMC, like many hospitals these days, does not inform us of nor do they make available the names of patients being admitted.

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OUR GUEST PREACHER TODAY is Kathleen Moore, Seminarian.

SUMMER LUNCH PROGRAM GREAT SNACK CHALLENGE. 1200 snacks to go toward our goal of 1500 for the season. There is a basket next to the table at the back of the pews. See Patricia Michael if you need more information. We can do this!!! Don't forget to check the SLP Packers' schedule on the bulletin board.

NORMAN'S ATTIC NEWS. Check the Bulletin Board in the Undercroft to find out who is doing what and where you are needed. Also check your email for a message from Joanna Taylor giving the full information about our biggest fundraising event. If you have any questions, please see Joanna or Marilyn King or any of the persons listed for specific responsibilities on the sign-up sheets.

MID-YEAR PLEDGE PROGRESS LETTERS are arranged alphabetically on the table in the narthex. Please remember to take yours.

HELP NEEDED to tidy up the flower beds and the patio at the rectory. Sandy Preble is organizing this for Saturday, July 29, 9-Noon. If you are willing to help, please check with Sandy at vermontlifeisnumber1@gmail.com or 375-6939.

TODAY'S COVER ART is "The Parable of the Sower", 1180. Medieval stained glass, Canterbury Cathedral, Great Britain. [From "Art in the Christian Tradition," a project of the Vanderbilt Divinity Library, Nashville, TN. Used with permission. [http://diglib.library.vanderbilt.edu/act-imagelink.pl?RC=54265.](http://diglib.library.vanderbilt.edu/act-imagelink.pl?RC=54265)]

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

For the Sick: Bob Alexander; Lynn Bates; Ken Blackler; Garrett Brewer; Janet Cassell; Peter Garneau; Jo Gillikin; Dot Grout; Thomas Hayton; Esther Jaffee; Jane Jersey; Bruce Keene; John Laughrey; Mary Loring; Alan Mears; Bob McCarthy; Gail McDevitt; Charlie Menghini; Jack Michael; Cecelia O'Brien; Andie Owen; Ralph and Natalia Panelli; Irene Roth; John and Judy; Dot Whitley; Wilfred Williamson; Ward Wilson; Jeanne Zouck; Barbara; Beth; Bob; Bruce; Celia; Chris; Dennis; Dick; Erika; Helen; Isaac; Jan; John; Kathy; Kay; Rick.

For the Departed: All our departed loved ones; the victims of violence, war, persecution and oppression in the United States and throughout the world.

For Those In Need of Our Prayers: Andie Owen and her family; Philip Brown; Erika Draper and her children; Charles; Anna, Sherri; Alyce; Sue; Sara; John; Katie; Joan; Cathy; Alex; Sofia; Eleanor; Wanda; the Kluj family; Hank; Ellen; Estelle; Michael; Piper; all who suffer from terrorism, strife, hunger and deprivation throughout the world; the homeless; refugees; for peace and justice everywhere; for all who need our prayers.

For Those Who Celebrate This Week:

Birthdays: 7/24-Jake Claro; 7/27-Todd Closs; 7/29-Tasha Gratton

Wedding Anniversaries: 7/24-Debbie and Gene Stone, Kelly and Alan Langlais

Baptismal Anniversaries: 7/18-Owen Thomas David

For Those Who Serve in the Armed Forces: Gary Marckres; Margaret; Willow Bucchieri-Sibley

In Thanksgiving For: Our Interim Pastor, Fr. Christopher; the work of the Ministry Discernment Committee; God's love, freely given; the gifts of faith and hope; the continuing presence and guidance of the Holy Spirit; the communion of saints.

For The Church: For Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Thomas, our Bishop; the people and mission of this Diocese; Lynn Bates, Canon to the Ordinary; the Very Rev. Christopher L. David, Interim Pastor; the Rev. Mark A. Thompson, Priest-in-Partnership; this parish of St. James' and its mission; the Revs. Paul Gratz, Sean Lanigan, John Miller, Keith F. Patterson, priests; Lynn Bates, Canon to the Ordinary; in the Diocesan Prayer Calendar we pray for the Congregation of St. John's Church, Randolph; and the Church of the Province of South East Asia.