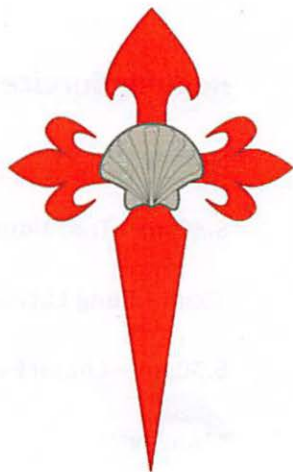


ST JAMES

TERM CARD



For surely I know the plans I have for you,
says the LORD,
plans for your welfare and not for harm,
to give you a future with hope.

Jeremiah 29.11

EASTER TERM 2025

Regular Services and Activities at St James

Sunday

8.30am – Traditional Said Holy Communion

10am – Sung Eucharist with Choir and coffee served afterwards

6.30pm – Choral Evensong

Monday

10.30am - Morning Prayer

11am - Breathe

Tuesday

First Tuesday in the month Evening Communion at 7.30pm in church.

Wednesday

10.30am – Morning Prayer

10.45am – Book Club

12 noon – Celtic Communion (15 minute service) in church, followed by lunch (bring your own or buy baked potatoes and toasted sandwiches).

1pm Chatterbox

Friday

7pm – Parish Choir Practice

Saturday

5pm - Healing Service – 1st Saturday of the month only

JANUARY

Wednesday 15th Launch of new Book Club – “Cuddy” by Benjamin Myers (see info later in this booklet)

Thursday 16th – 7.30pm Churches Together

Saturday 18th – 25th St James Players Christmas Panto
Matinees 18th, 19th and 25th, Evening Shows 23rd, 24th and 25th

Tuesday 21st - 7.30pm - Service of Prayer for Christian Unity.
Organised by Churches Together in New Malden - all welcome.

FEBRUARY

Sunday 2nd – Special services all day for Candlemas.
11am-1.00pm - PCC Lunch and Planning Day

Thursday 7th – 14th – National Marriage Week – The MU will be putting together a display for Sunday 9th

Saturday 8th – Quiz Night and supper - details to follow.

Sunday 9th - Name Tag Sunday! Have you spoken to someone so many times it is embarrassing to ask their name now? This is the answer to your prayers – name tag Sunday is when we ask everyone to have a name tag (we will provide you with this) – and there will be an opportunity within the service to speak to a neighbour and find out their name. A great way to speak to people you might not know yet – in a relaxed and fun service.

MARCH

Saturday 1st - Winter Quiet Afternoon led by Mthr Katie – a mini retreat (booking necessary) – take time out for yourself and God. 2.30-5.00pm in church – with refreshments. The afternoon ends with a short communion service.

Wednesday 5th – Ash Wednesday. We are offering two services for Ash Wednesday – midday shorter said communion and a full communion with music at 7.30pm – both in church.

Launch of Lent Book Club (in church) 10.45-11.45am. Chance to meet together before Celtic Communion and lunch and discuss. Runs throughout Lent.

Monday 10th through Lent - 7.30-8.30pm - Zoom Prayer Club Launch. Come and explore different kinds of prayer and meditation. Signing up necessary.

Wednesday 12th - 7.30-8.30pm Launch of Churches Together Lent Talks “We believe - exploring the Creed”. These will run every Wednesday evening throughout Lent, celebrating the 1700th anniversary of the Nicene Creed.

Sunday 16th - Parish Breakfast (after the 10am service) for the Bishop’s Lent Appeal. Always popular do book early!

Saturday 29th March – Wedding

Sunday 30th March – Mothering Sunday with cake sale after the 10am service.

APRIL

Sunday 6th - Passiontide Begins

Wednesday 9th - 7.30pm - Last of the Lent Talks

Sunday 13th – Palm Sunday with Palm Sunday Procession at 10am

Monday 14th - 7.30pm - Compline in the Lady Chapel

Tuesday 15th - 7.30pm - Compline in the Lady Chapel

Wednesday 16th - 7.30pm Compline in the Lady Chapel

Thursday 17th – Holy Communion for Maundy Thursday 7.30pm followed by the Watch until 10pm

Friday 18th – Good Friday

Walk of Witness through the High Street – details tbc

12-2.00pm – ‘Around the Cross’ (interactive and all age prayer stations in church and children’s craft activities in the hall) – a drop in activity – stay for 10 minutes or two hours!

2.00pm – ‘By the Cross’ – a reflective service for Good Friday with space for meditation and silent prayer.

Saturday 19th – Easter Vigil – 9pm with the lighting of the Easter Fire and followed by prosecco after the service.

Sunday 20th – Easter Day – He is Risen!

8.30am – Said Holy Communion

10am – Festal Holy Communion followed by Easter Egg Hunt for children.

6.30pm – Festal Evensong for Easter Day

Sunday 27th - St George’s Day Parade Service at 10am

Baptism/Confirmation classes

Could all those interested in being baptised and/or being confirmed please email Mthr Katie vicar@stjamesmalden.org

The course is open to anyone 10 years and above



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Our

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a comedy

Directed by Sarah Taylor

30th April – 3rd May

NEW WEDNESDAY BOOK CLUB

COMMENCING WEDNESDAY 15TH JANUARY

AT 10.45AM

- **Winner of the Goldsmiths Prize 2023**
- **Winner of the Winston Graham Historical Prize**
- **Shortlisted for the RSL Ondaatje Prize**
- **Chosen as a book of the year 2023 by *The Times*, *Guardian*, *Telegraph* and *New Statesman***

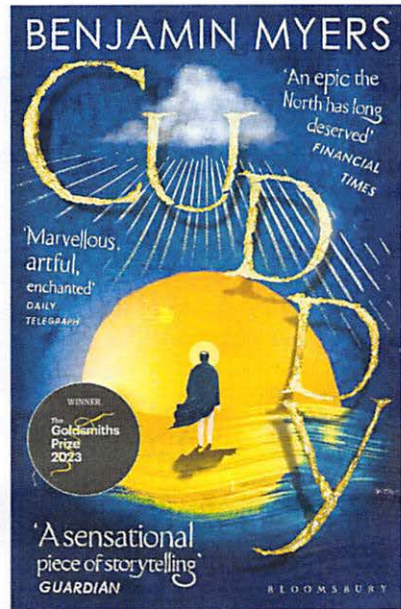
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For further information on any of the above, please contact
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2025 SUMMER FAIR
21ST JUNE
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