

Tithing at St Julian's & St James – How does it work?

How much money do we allocate each year?

We give away one tenth of the income we receive. Our Mission giving for 2011 has been £565.

Who decides how we should give this money?

The PCC

Where have we given our £565 this year?

Project	Gift
Annual Church Coffee Morning to a chosen charity	£200
Church Housing Trust	£40
Dorothy House	£40
Children's Society	£40
Home Farm Trust	£40
Water Aid	£40
Shoscombe Village Hall	£40
Village Newsletter	£100
Friends of Wells Cathedral	£25
GRAND TOTAL	£565

My favourite charity isn't represented, why not?

If you would like money to be given to a particular charity, please put your case to the PCC who will consider it.

The work at St Julian's & St James is made possible, under God, solely by individuals' giving, for which we are most grateful. If you would like to contribute you can either do so in the collection plate or through regular Gift Aid donations, enabling us to reclaim the tax. Gift Aid mandates are available from our Covenants Secretary: Geoff Swift Tel: 01761 434643 Email: geoff.swift005@btinternet.com



The Parish of Foxcote with Shoscombe

MISSION SUNDAY HOLY COMMUNION

10am - Sunday 27th November 2011 - 1st of Advent

Welcome/Notices

Hymn

1 O come, o come Emmanuel
And ransom captive Israel,
That mourns in lonely exile here
Until the Son of God appear.
*Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee, O Israel.*

2 O come, Thou Rod of Jesse, free
Thine own from Satan's tyranny;

From depths of hell Thy people save,
And give them vict'ry o'er the grave.
Chorus

3 O come, Thou Key of David, come
And open wide our heavenly home;
Make safe the way that leads on high,
And close the path to misery.

Chorus

Confession

Most merciful God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, we confess that we have sinned in thought, word and deed. We have not loved you with our whole heart. We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us to amend what we are, and direct what we shall be; that we may act justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with you, our God. Amen.

The collect for the 1st Sunday of Advent

Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness and to put on the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life, in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility; that on the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Hymn

*Go tell it on the mountain,
Over the hills and everywhere
Go, tell it on the mountain
That Jesus Christ is Lord*

1 O when I was a seeker
I sought both night and day
I asked the Lord to guide me
And he showed me the way *Chorus*

2 Then he made me a watchman
Upon a city wall
To tell of his salvation
That Jesus died for all *Chorus*

3 Go tell it to your neighbour
In darkness here below;
Go with the words of Jesus
That all the world may know *Chorus*

Readings - Mark 6:7-13 & Matthew 28:16-20

[7] Calling the Twelve to him, he sent them out two by two and gave them authority over evil spirits. [8] These were his instructions: "Take nothing for the journey except a staff—no bread, no bag, no money in your belts. [9] Wear

sandals but not an extra tunic. [10] Whenever you enter a house, stay there until you leave that town. [11] And if any place will not welcome you or listen to you, shake the dust off your feet when you leave, as a testimony against them." [12] They went out and preached that people should repent. [13] They drove out many demons and anointed many sick people with oil and healed them.

16Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. 17When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. 18Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. 19Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

Dorothy House - Miriam Hare

Prayer for Dorothy House

Hymn Tune:Fulda LM

1 We have a gospel to proclaim, good news for all throughout the earth; the gospel of a Saviour's name: we sing his glory, tell his worth.	4 Tell of that glorious Easter morn: empty the tomb, for he was free. He broke the power of death and hell that we might share his victory.
2 Tell of his birth at Bethlehem not in a royal house or hall but in a stable dark and dim, the Word made flesh, a light for all.	5 Tell of his reign at God's right hand, by all creation glorified. He sends his Spirit on his Church to live for him, the Lamb who died.
3 Tell of his death at Calvary, hated by those he came to save, in lonely suffering on the Cross; for all he loved his life he gave.	6 Now we rejoice to name him King: Jesus is Lord of all the earth. This gospel-message we proclaim: we sing his glory, tell his worth.

Communion

Gratitude, praise, hearts lifted high voices full and joyful; these you deserve. For when we were nothing, you made us something; when we had no name and no faith and no future, you called us your children; when we lost our way or turned away, you did not abandon us; when we came back to you, your arms opened wide in welcome. And, look, you prepare a table for us offering not just bread, not just wine, but your very self so that we may be filled, forgiven, healed, blessed, and made new again. You are worthy to receive all our praise. So we join our voices to those of the Church on earth and in heaven;

Holy, holy, holy, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory, Hosanna in the highest.

Lord Jesus Christ, present with us now, for all that you have done and all that you have promised. what have we to offer?

Our hands are empty, our hearts are sometimes full of wrong things. we are not fit to gather up the crumbs from under your table. But with you is mercy and the power to remake us. So as we do in this place what you did in an upstairs room, send down your Holy Spirit on us and on these gifts of bread and wine that they may be to us your body and your blood, healing, forgiving and making us whole; And grant that we may become, for you, your body, loving and caring in the world until your kingdom comes. Amen

On the night on which Jesus was betrayed, he sat at supper with his disciples. While they were eating, he took a piece of bread, said a blessing, broke it and gave it to them with the words, "This is my body. It is broken for you. Do this to remember me." Later on he took a cup of wine, saying, "This cup is God's new covenant, sealed with my blood. Drink from it, all of you, to remember me."

O Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us. O Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, grant us your peace.

Bread & Wine is shared

After Communion

Lord Jesus Christ, you have put your life in our hands. Now we put our lives in yours.

Take us, shake us, remake us; no longer is what we have been important; it is what, with you, we can be, starting now. Amen.

Hymn

1How lovely on the mountains are the feet of Him
Who brings good news, good news,
Proclaiming peace, announcing news of happiness,
Our God reigns, our God reigns.
*Our God reigns, our God reigns,
Our God reigns, our God reigns.*

2 You watchmen lift your voices joyfully as one,
Shout for your King, your King.
See eye to eye the Lord restoring Zion:
Your God reigns, your God reigns!
*Your God reigns, your God reigns!
Your God reigns, your God reigns!*

3 Waste places of Jerusalem break forth with joy,
We are redeemed, redeemed.
The Lord has saved and comforted His people:
Your God reigns, your God reigns!
*Your God reigns, your God reigns!
Your God reigns, your God reigns!*

4 Ends of the earth, see the salvation of your God,
Jesus is Lord, is Lord.
Before the nations He has bared His holy arm:
Your God reigns, your God reigns!
*Your God reigns, your God reigns!
Your God reigns, your God reigns!*

You are most welcome to stay for coffee after the end of service