

THE PEWS NEWS

MAY 2024

ST. JAMES' ANGLICAN CHURCH

PORTO

UPCOMING SERVICES IN CHURCH AND ON ZOOM

- Sunday 5th May 11am
- Thursday 9th May 7pm - Ascension Day
- Sunday 12th May 11am
- Sunday 19th May - Pentecost
- Sunday 26th May - 11am

ARCHDEACON'S VISIT

Archdeacon David Waller is visiting us over the weekend of 11/12 May. He will be available Saturday morning between 10:30 - 12:30 should any member of St. James' wish to see him.

UPCOMING EVENTS

ALGETH AND WILL'S PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITION IN THE WELL HOUSE

Join us in the Well House after the Eucharist on May 5th/12th/19th for a wonderful photography exhibition of 'Flowers of the Rainbow'.

ASCENSION DAY

9th May at 7pm. Sung Eucharist followed by refreshments.

FLOWER DONATIONS

Flowers beautify the church and can be a meaningful way to honour very special people and occasions in our lives. In addition to remembering a loved one, you can give flowers in celebration of:

- Marriages
- Anniversaries
- Baptisms
- Birthdays
- To say "congratulations" or "thank you."
- Special times of the church year such as Easter or Christmas

We invite you to contribute towards the cost of flowers by using the sign-up sheet in the narthex. Please consider a Sunday when you would like to thank God and honour a special person or a special moment with a gift of flowers. 25/30 Euros is the suggested donation amount. You can make a direct transfer to St. James' bank account, marking clearly that it is for flowers or you can hand the cash to the Churchwardens.

If you would like to keep the flowers you have donated, please let us know and we will arrange that.



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(please speak Portuguese)

OUTREACH SERVICE

At the home of Pauline Murphy. The next celebration at Gondarém will be on Saturday, 27th May at 3.00pm. You are invited to attend but please let Vicky know so she can make Pauline aware who to expect!

WALKING THE CAMINO

A group of walkers from St James led by Father Colin are proposing to walk the Camino starting on Monday, 27th May. The route will be the Portuguese Coastal Route. If you missed the initial meetings but are interested there is still time to join the group but please speak to Father Colin as soon as possible. A second meeting will be held on Saturday 18th May at 10:30AM at St. James'.

FINANCE MATTERS

You can support us in various ways:

- During the Offertory Hymn, the Collection is taken.
- Setting up a regular transfer ensuring a regular pledged gift to St. James'.
- Donate by visiting our Donations Webpage: <http://www.stjamesoportoo.org/financial>
- Help organise a fundraising initiative.
- Additionally, consider giving as time and talents too!

AND ALSO

ANNUAL APPEAL 2024

Our appeal has been launched and we would really appreciate your support this year.

St. James' Church bank details are as follows:
Account Name: St James Anglican Church, Porto
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