

## **Readings for St James the Apostle:**

### **Acts 11.27 – 12.2**

At that time prophets came down from Jerusalem to Antioch. One of them named Agabus stood up and predicted by the Spirit that there would be a severe famine over all the world; and this took place during the reign of Claudius. The disciples determined that according to their ability, each would send relief to the believers living in Judea; this they did, sending it to the elders by Barnabas and Saul.

About that time King Herod laid violent hands upon some who belonged to the church. He had James, the brother of John, killed with the sword.

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

### *Gospel Acclamation*

Alleluia, alleluia.

I have called you friends, says the Lord,  
for all that I have heard from my Father  
I have made known to you.

Alleluia.

### **Holy Gospel:** Matthew 20.20-28

When it is announced Glory be to thee, O Lord.

The mother of the sons of Zebedee came to him with her sons, and kneeling before him, she asked a favour of him. And he said to her, 'What do you want?' She said to him, 'Declare that these two sons of mine will sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your kingdom.' But Jesus answered, 'You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I am about to drink?' They said to him, 'We are able.' He said to them, 'You will indeed drink my cup, but to sit at my right hand and at my left, this is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared by my Father.' When the ten heard it, they were angry with the two brothers. But Jesus called them to him and said, 'You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. It will not be so among you; but whoever wishes to be great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be your slave; just as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.'

*At the end the reader says*

This is the Gospel of Christ.

**Praise be to thee, O Christ**

## **Intercessions: -**

### **In the church,**

we pray for our Bishops Alastair and Humphrey.

We pray for visitors to our Well Dressings.

In the Derby Diocesan Cycle of prayer we pray for the Parish of Whittington & New Whittington.

In the World Church we pray for the Diocese of Mumbai.

**For the world** We pray for the integrity of all politicians. We pray for peace and God's blessing on true peacemakers.

**For our local community,** on the 25<sup>th</sup> of the month for residents of Bramley Road, Stanhope Street and Mansfield Road, Bramley Vale. We pray for the children of the Parishes

**We pray for the sick.** We pray for all the sick and those who care for them. Especially we remember, Jean Statham, Kathleen Jeffery, Charlotte Paine, Geoff Eite, Evie Lena Dyke, Fay Standen, Dennis and Morag Kinchlea, Philip Treece, Sylvia Dickenson, Derek and Kathleen Sharpe, Joyce Chater, Ruth Audis, Elsie Ward, Ivan Spademan, Derek Musson, George Bunting, Charlotte Lock, Carol Barnard, Megan Barnard, Jack Metcalfe, Marjorie Mills, Ken Charlesworth and Ruth Pollard.

### **We commemorate the departed:**

#### **We remember with thanks all the Saints.**

St James the Apostle

St Martha.

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# Weeksheet

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25<sup>th</sup> July 2010

**St James the Great**  
9.30am S Sung Communion  
11am AH Sung Communion

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> August 2010  
**Trinity 9**  
9.30am P Holy Communion  
11am AH Sung Communion  
6pm S Evening Prayer

**Parish Trip**  
to  
**Oxford**  
September 4<sup>th</sup>  
Please see Keith Jones  
for details and tickets

## this Week

Mon 26<sup>th</sup>: Sick Communion  
7.30pm Scar PCC

Tues 27<sup>th</sup>: Sick Communion

Thur 29<sup>th</sup>: St Martha

9.30am S Holy Communion

**Heritage Lecture**  
By Mr David Black  
In Ault Hucknall Church  
"Artists in Holy Orders"

In the last lecture, David dealt with the earliest development of the building here. This time he will be concentrating on the period from the Normans to the Reformation.

7.30pm  
Wednesday September 15<sup>th</sup>  
£3 entry including Tea and Biscuits.

St John the Baptist, Ault Hucknall  
**Flower Festival**  
September 23<sup>rd</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup>  
"Autumn Glory"

Volunteers please see Mrs Sheena White.  
Your valuable help will be needed in some way.

**Next PCC Meetings**  
S Mon 7.30pm 26<sup>th</sup> July  
AH Thur Aug 5th

**Collect for St James the Apostle**  
Merciful God, whose holy apostle Saint James, leaving his father and all that he had, was obedient to the calling of your Son Jesus Christ and followed him even to death: help us, forsaking the false attractions of the world, to be ready at all times to answer your call without delay; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen