

Today in Promiseland....

Jesus has **INCREDIBLE POWER** over:

Matt 8 v 2



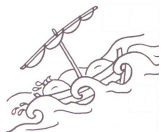
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Mark 2 v 3



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Luke 8 v 22



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John 11 v 43



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Because he is _ o _ !

Children's Concert in aid of The Organ Fund

Does your child play a musical instrument at Grade 1 standard or above? If so would they like to perform at an informal concert and raise money for the organ fund? Please contact Celia Webster on 020 8444 9875.

Spaces are limited and likely to go very fast, so don't delay.



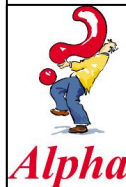
New Alpha Course

Alpha is a practical introduction to the Christian faith. This summer's course is held on Tuesdays and runs for 10 weeks, at 7.30pm . The venue is **Caffè Nero** (240-242 Muswell Hill Broadway, N10 3SH). If you would like to enquire or register for the course, please contact mark.simpson@st-james.org.uk or phone the church 020 8883 6277.

Community Outreach

Do you have a heart for people who are struggling? Do you have time during the day? If you would be interested in visiting a resident at St Luke's Psychiatric Hospital please get in touch with Rachel rachel.elliott@st-james.org.uk

Pray for Alpha in North London



North London Alpha Dynamic Prayer Evening
Thursday 1 July 8-9.30pm at St James

Date for your diary: The St James Golf Day is going to be on Friday 17 September 2010 at Muswell Hill Golf Club.



St James Muswell Hill

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SUNDAY SERVICES

9 May 2010

Today at St James

8.00am Holy Communion (1662) Celebrant: Penelope Swithinbank

9.30am & 11.15am

6.00pm

Holy Communion

Theme: The promise fulfilled

Passage: Genesis 17 & 21

Speaker: Kim Swithinbank

Evening Worship

Theme: Set apart Christ as Lord

Passage: 1 Peter 3:8-22

Speaker: Mark Simpson

UNDER 18s at St James

Promiseland: If your child is under the age of 11 then please take them through the glass door before the start of the 9.30am or 11.15am services, for crèche, Scramblers or Promiseland. Registration is from 9.15am and 11.00am. For details of the children's work please contact Ellen Hunter Smart at ellen.huntersmart@st-james.org.uk.

Engage: 11-14s meet at 11.00am at the Birchwood for Smoothies.

Root: 14-18s meet in the Church Centre at 7.45pm after the 6pm service. If you would like more details about any of the youth work at St James please contact Amy Powis, our Youth Associate at amy.powis@st-james.org.uk.

GRAHAM KENDRICK - ACOUSTIC GOSPELS TOUR

14 May 7.30pm

After a successful visit to St James last May, Graham has decided to go on tour with his singer/songwriter material and is thrilled to be coming back to Muswell Hill. This was tremendously popular last year and is the kind of event to which you can confidently invite friends, knowing they will be in for an excellent evening. Tickets at £8, available from the bookshop, from the back of church after services or online at www.wegotickets.com

Tea Time's 25th Birthday: If you're over 60, please come along to Tea Time's 25th Birthday Party which will take place on Wednesday 12 May at 2.30pm, in the Church centre.

CONGRATULATIONS PHYLLIS ON YOUR 100TH BIRTHDAY.



Phyllis Knapman will be celebrating her 100th birthday on Tuesday 11 May. If you are one of the many friends Phyllis has made over her time here at St James please join her for an informal gathering in the Church Centre after the 11.15am. service today.

CENTRAL PRAYER

Ascension Day Prayer and Communion

Come and join us for prayer, praise and communion as we celebrate Christ's Ascension into Heaven. 6.30am start with breakfast on Thursday 13 May in the Church.



Soup Kitchen

The soup kitchen needs cans of fruit. Please bring them to St James and give them to Rachel Elliott. Thank you

FAITH IN THE LOCAL CHURCH ... for living as God's household

2010

Thursday 10 - Sat 12 June at St John's Church Downshire Hill, 020 7099 9360, info@filc.org.uk, <http://www.filc.org.uk>

Brochures available at back of church. Do come for as short or as long a period of time as you can to hear some stimulating speakers. Crèche is available.

For details contact Paul Ellerby, 020 8883 6626 or p.ellerby822@btinternet.com

... this week

Monday	10.00am	Little Fishes
	8.00pm	Internationals
Tuesday	9.15am	Pilates
	7.30pm	Marriage Preparation
	7.30pm	Alpha at Caffé Nero
Wednesday	11.00am	Morning Prayer
	2.30pm	Teatime
Thursday	6.30am	Central Prayer, Ascension Day Communion
	9.15am	Focus
	5.45pm	Engage film night
Friday	10.00am	Challenge Group

Sunday - 16 May

8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP) Celebrant: Penelope Swithinbank
9.30am	Morning Worship Genesis 22
11.15am	Morning Worship Genesis 22
6.00pm	Evening Worship 1 Peter 4:1-11

Upcoming Events

14 May	Graham Kendrick concert
10 June	North London Alpha prayer evening.
10-12 June	Faith in the Local Church conference at Downshire Hill. Open to all crèche available
29-31 October 2010	Church Weekend Away

Church Office & Bookshop

Monday - Thursday 10.00am-5.00pm & Friday 10.00am-1.00pm.
The bookshop is also open Saturday 10.00am-12.00pm and after each morning service on Sunday. The bookshop enables our church to open to the Broadway seven days a week.

Church Offices are now alarmed at night. Please don't try to enter the office unless you know the code.

St Peter-le-Poer: On 26 & 27 June St Peter le-Poer is holding a flower festival to celebrate their 100th anniversary. Each church in Muswell Hill is being asked to contribute an arrangement. If you would like to help with this please contact Georgina Mortimer on mortimerg@btconnect or 0208 349 3637.

NGS Gardens open for Charity 16 May 2-6pm, 15 and 28 Princes Avenue (home of the Roberts family). Adm £3.50 (joint ticket) children free. Teas, homemade jams and plants for sale. Proceeds will go towards the work of Pathway and the organ fund.

Calling all golfers.... EducAid Charity Golf Day is happening on Friday 14 May 2010 at Muswell Hill Golf Club. The day includes breakfast and practice, golf clinic, 18 hole Stableford competition, talk about Educaid, prize giving, meal and auction. If you would like further information please contact Frank Langlois on 020 8348 5620 or e-mail Frank@123computing.co.uk.

Welcome to St James Church Muswell Hill

If you are new to the church, or just visiting, we would love to meet you. Please come to the Welcome Area at the back of church and introduce yourself.

PRAYER at St James

Can we pray for you? Please email prayer requests to churchoffice@st-james.org.uk
Please join us in prayer for:

- Primary schools work – [Please pray for Pathway assemblies at Hollickwood, St Michael's Highgate, St Michael at Bowes, Tottenham, Tetherdown, St James and clubs at St Aidan's, Coldfall, and St Michael at Bowes](#)
- Pray for Ali Grimes' mother Alena Lotova who is unwell in Sweden and for Ali and the family at this time.
- Pray for our church family and those who are unwell, in distress or struggling.
- Pray for other local churches particularly this week for Christchurch Finchley especially during an interregnum for smooth running of the services and that God will send the right person to take the Church forward.
- Pray for Jane Bradley and family following John's recent death.
- Pray for JP and Sue Aranzulla and their work in Bologna.
- Pray for continued healing for Mollie Nicholls..
- Pray for Anne Bergin who is unwell.
- Pray for Monty McAllister who is having an operation on 10 May in Glasgow Children's hospital and his parents George and Cathy and brother Albie.

PCC AWAY DAY

Please be praying for the PCC at their annual away day next Saturday 15 May. If there is any area of encouragement or concern that you may have please speak to a member of the PCC today.

Room urgently needed for an elderly lady from mid May for six months, as her house is repaired after severe storm damage. She would like a ground floor room with bathroom in central Muswell Hill. If you can help please contact Clare Hendry 020 8422 8283 or clare.hendry@st-james.org.uk.

Engage Film Nights

A Blockbuster Movie, Pizza, Popcorn and a Short Discussion in groups about the issues raised in the film...something your 11-14 would **ENGAGE** with? Meeting on Thursdays from 5.45pm-8.00pm in the Church Centre, food and film provided! Please email Amy for more details, amy.powis@st-james.org.uk or just turn up on Thursday.