

## THE CHURCH



The Priory Church has again continued to act as a place of solace, sustenance, calm and serenity. For some it is a peaceful refuge, for others a place for quiet reflection and renewal

and for others just a break away from the tensions of the day in the hustle & bustle of the City centre.

As a Grade 1 Heritage site it is an important part of the fascinating history of Bristol.

In July 2018 we celebrated the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary since the re-opening of St James with a Mass celebrated by Bishop Declan.

We have been fortunate to have received a private donation to commission a new Icon for the church which is now in situ.

## ST JAMES HOUSE

The House continues to provide quality support for men & women in recovery from addiction.

The property is maintained to a high standard and is registered with Bristol City Council as an HMO.

During 2018 we began an upgrading programme for the property:

- New Radiators have been fitted throughout;
- Residents Rooms are being upgraded one at a time. 3 have been completed so far.
- It costs £3,000 to upgrade each room.
- Please help us with this by making a donation [www.stjamespriory.org.uk](http://www.stjamespriory.org.uk) Tel: 0117 9299100



The service provides individuals with housing and general support during their time as residents. There is an expectation that they are involved in voluntary work and/or education.

Residents are provided with support for up to 2 years. However, with the shortage of social housing and increased demand for move on accommodation some have been supported for 3 years.

**Referrals to this service can be made by phoning Sean : 0117 9338945**

## WALSINGHAM HOUSE

St Mungos continues to operate the Men's Mental Health Crisis Centre from Walsingham House. They have extended their original 5 year contract until the end of March 2019.

Our Charity is very pleased to be able to support such a worthwhile project as it continues our charitable aim of supporting vulnerable people.

We are hopeful that this valuable service is recommissioned in Walsingham House in 2019.

## CAFÉ RÉFECTOIRE

The café has undergone major changes over the last year with new staff and new menus. It continues to be very popular and attracts a wide range of people throughout the day both regulars & passers-by.



Take away menus are available.  
Office catering – breakfasts/lunches can be provided on request.

It is open from Monday to Friday 8am – 4pm.

Vegetarian and vegan options are available.

[www.caferefectoire.co.uk](http://www.caferefectoire.co.uk)

**The café is available for hire for private functions:**

**Tel: 0117 9299100**

## MEETING ROOMS

Don't forget the Meeting Rooms that are available to hire. We have 3 rooms and the Church is also available for Concerts and Weddings.

This helps to generate a revenue for the Charity to continue its charitable work and for the ongoing maintenance of the church.



More information, booking forms, charges and menus can be found on our website.

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