

St James News: Thought for the day – Tuesday 16th June 2020

Piecing together God's Hope - Rev John Marshall

Thank you Jill for posting planet jigsaw, with pictures of church and the wall of light. I have been exploring the few jigsaws that sit alongside ours and got hours of entertainment.

When I was teaching one pupil loved jigsaws. He would set up a jigsaw at the beginning of the day and work steadily. By the end of the day it would have been knocked over; but he would tidy up and start again working patiently the next day.

The virtual jigsaw can't be knocked over, but I do manage to lose pieces; or suddenly I will make everything get bigger. The great feature is that you can choose the level of difficulty; I aim for something simple (I have done a 4 piece, but I usually choose around 60)

The pictures of St James' are signs of hope. I like the wall of light and the garden – but the first one Jill posted was of our letters of HOPE – I find that encouraging.

1 Peter 1.3 Blessed be the God and father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy we have been born anew to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.

Jigsaw Puzzle - how fast can you compete it! - Pentecost Light at St James

Bible Passage: [Psalm 121](#)

Song: I lift my eyes up by Brian Doerksen - you can listen to it [here](#)

I lift my eyes up unto the mountains
Where does my help come from?
My help comes from You, Maker of Heaven
Creator of the earth

Oh how I need You Lord, You are my only hope
You're my only prayer
So I will wait for You to come and rescue me
To come and give me life