

## Readings for St James

### Sun 18<sup>th</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

Reading 1: Jeremiah 23:23-29  
Reading 2: Hebrews 11:29 - 12:2  
Gospel: Luke 12:49-56

### Mon 19<sup>th</sup>

Psalm: 44  
Reading 1: Jeremiah 36:19-end  
Reading 2: Mark 1:1-13

### Tue 20<sup>th</sup>

Psalm: 48  
Reading 1: Jeremiah 37  
Reading 2: Mark 1:14-20

### Wed 21<sup>st</sup>

Psalm: 119:57-80  
Reading 1: Jeremiah 38:1-13  
Reading 2: Mark 1:21-28

### Thu 22<sup>nd</sup>

#### Morning Prayer Readings

Psalm: 57  
Reading 1: Jeremiah 38:14-end  
Reading 2: Mark 1:29-end

#### Morning Holy Communion Readings

Reading 1: Judges 11:29-end  
Gospel: Matthew 22:1-14

### Fri 23<sup>rd</sup>

Psalm: 51  
Reading 1: Jeremiah 39  
Reading 2: Mark 2:1-12

### Sat 24<sup>th</sup>

*Bartholomew the Apostle*  
Psalm: 86  
Reading 1: Genesis 28:10-17  
Reading 2: John 1:43-end

### Sun 25<sup>th</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

Reading 1: Isaiah 58:9b-end  
Reading 2: Hebrews 12:18-end  
Gospel: Luke 13:10-17

## Readings for Wanlip

### Sun 18<sup>th</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

Reading 1: Leviticus 25:39-43  
Reading 2: Philemon 1:10-16  
Psalm: 119:17-32

### Sun 25<sup>th</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

Reading 1: Isaiah 30:8-21  
Reading 2: 2 Corinthians 9  
Psalm: 119:49-72

### For our prayers this week

Guides, Brownies & Rainbows (*affiliated to St James*)  
Our Prayer & Healing Group

### For those in need or unwell

Evelyn Watson, Nicky Hardy, Phoebe Thomas,  
David Bark, Paul Harding, Tricia Emmett, Rupert  
& Diane Stant

### For our friends no longer able to come to church, but not forgotten

Kathleen Allen, Maureen Hardy, Ruth Wright,  
Joan Barnett, Jessie Wainwright, Lynn Mason,  
Gwen Johnson, Madge Nutting, Pat English,  
Mary Belton

### For those who have died

Gillian Ward

### For 1<sup>st</sup> anniversary of death this week

### A Prayer for Growth

Almighty God, you call all life into being and you call your Church to announce the Good News of Jesus to all people, and so we pray that through the power of your Holy Spirit, you will give us guidance and confidence to proclaim our faith to those in our community who do not know Jesus as their Lord and Saviour. We pray also that we will be sensitive to your leading and that all who are drawn to our Church receive a loving welcome. **Amen**



## Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> August

Welcome  
to you all



St James



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Our vision is to be an open Christian community where people feel loved, respected, and free to be fully themselves.



## 9<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

## Today

### St James the Great

08:00 Holy Communion  
10:00 Parish Communion

### Our Lady & St Nicholas

18:00 Evensong

## Next Week - 25<sup>th</sup> August

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08:00 Holy Communion  
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## In the week

### Monday 19<sup>th</sup>

09:00 Morning Prayer St James

### Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup>

09:00 Morning Prayer St James  
10:00 Old Nick's Coffee Shop Wanlip

### Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup>

09:00 Morning Prayer St James  
19:00 Nearer - Social 12 Oakfield Ave  
19:30 F & S Meeting Rectory

### Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup>

09:30 Eucharist St James

### Friday 23<sup>rd</sup>

09:00 Morning Prayer St James

### Saturday 24<sup>th</sup>

10:00 Open Church St James

Check out our Church Website: [www.Birstall.org](http://www.Birstall.org)

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## Diary Dates

18 <sup>th</sup> (Sunday) Flower Festival	Wanlip 11:30am - 5pm
20 <sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) Old Nick's Coffee Shop	Wanlip Hall 10am
21 <sup>st</sup> (Wednesday) Nearer - Social	12 Oakfield Avenue 7pm
21 <sup>st</sup> (Wednesday) F & S Meeting	Rectory 7:30pm
26 <sup>th</sup> (Monday) St James' Summer Fayre	St James 12:30-3:30pm
28 <sup>th</sup> (Wednesday) Nearer - Encounter	32 Northfield Avenue 7pm
28 <sup>th</sup> (Wednesday) Rectory Bible Study Group	251 Birstall Rd 7:30pm
30 <sup>th</sup> (Friday) Monday Group coach outing to Lincoln	Leaves School Lane 9am
<b>September</b>	
4 <sup>th</sup> (Wednesday) Deanery Mothers Union Service	East Goscote 2:30pm
4 <sup>th</sup> (Wednesday) Nearer - Inspired to follow	Venue T.B.A 7pm
4 <sup>th</sup> (Wednesday) PCC Meeting	Wanlip 7:30pm
8 <sup>th</sup> (Sunday) Nearer - prayer	Venue T.B.A 7pm
9 <sup>th</sup> (Monday) Riverside School visit	St James 9:45am
9 <sup>th</sup> (Monday) Monday Group	Day Centre 7:30pm
10 <sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) Highcliffe School Visit	St James 9:45am
11 <sup>th</sup> (Wednesday) Nearer - Social	Venue T.B.A 7pm
16 <sup>th</sup> (Monday) Mothers' Union Narrowboat outing	T.B.A
17 <sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) Old Nick's Coffee Shop	Wanlip Hall 10am
18 <sup>th</sup> (Wednesday) Nearer - Encounter	12 Oakfield Avenue 7pm
19 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday) Guild of Vergers Festival Evensong	Leicester Cathedral 5:30pm

## General Notices

### **Rectory Bible Study**

The next Rectory Bible Study Group will be on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> August. The study will be on Luke 14:1, 7-14.

### **Monday Group - coach outing**

St. James Monday Group, coach outing to Lincoln on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> August, leaving School Lane at 9-00am, leave Lincoln 4-30pm for return to Birstall. Cost £13-50. If anyone would like to go on this trip please contact Joan on 2672010.

### **Keep in Touch Magazine**

The latest edition of the magazine is now available at the back of church. Please take a copy. Large print copies are also available. Would visitors please collect their envelopes. Please return envelopes with any list amendments to the box in the church office, or let me know. Thanks. *Sheryl*

### **Who can count?**

Just one person is needed to complete the rota that helps to count the collection at the end of the service at St James. It is once every four weeks, and takes less than half an hour to do, and it is done alongside another person. It is not complicated, and you don't have to be a financial wizard. If you think you may be able to help with this task please have a word with one of the churchwardens.

## **Parish Holiday 2020 - Sidmouth, Lyme Regis, Budleigh Salterton & Bournemouth**

The list for people who would like to go on next years Parish Holiday is at the back of both Churches. Please sign up before 15<sup>th</sup> September should you wish to go. It really does sound very, very nice! *Leigh & Rita*

### **Summer Fayre - Surprise Parcels stall**

Surprise, Surprise! It's that time of year again – The Summer Fayre, so 'Once more unto the beach dear friends.' We are asking for donations for our Surprise Parcels stall – anything from tea-bags to toiletries, tea-pots to toilet rolls! Anything new would be very welcome. Items can be given to Jane Scott or Joan Folland or left in the box at the back of St James' marked Surprise Parcels. Thanks. *Jane*

### **Raffle Tickets**

There are Raffle Tickets at the back of both churches, please take some and sell them to your friends and neighbours.

### **Mothers Union**

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September. Deanery service at East Goscote to Celebrate 90 years of love and service by Queniborough, Rothley, Syston, Birstall & Wanlip. The service will be taken by Canon Lee Francis-Dehqani. The service starts at 2:30pm

### **The Church of England Guild of Vergers**

On Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2019, the Church of England Guild of Vergers are holding a Canterbury Province Festival at the Cathedral Church of St Martin, Leicester. There will be members from all across the country coming together to celebrate the ministry of being a Verger. You are warmly invited to join us for Festal Choral Evensong at the Cathedral at 17:30

### **5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Special at Wanlip**

The 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Service will be a Songs of Praise service led by Cynthia and Beryl

### **Shaped magazine**

The summer edition of the Diocese of Leicester's Shaped magazine is available at the back of Church. Please help yourself to a copy to find out the latest news from around the Diocese.

### **Rotas**

The Rotas for September - December are in the pigeon holes.

### **Fete – Craft Stall.**

I have agreed to host the craft stall at this years fete. Please would everyone consider if they could and would be willing to donate one or even two items of their particular handicraft. The bigger the variety and diversity of our crafts, the more attractive and successful the stall will be. Please do consider this – I would be very grateful. *Sarah Borrajo*

### **God, Me & Art**

The next meeting of God, Me & Art will be on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> October, in the Church office at 2pm. The theme will be 'Conflict'

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