

Readings for St James

Sun 25th 10th Sunday after Trinity

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

Mon 26th

Psalm: 71
Reading 1: Jeremiah 41
Reading 2: Mark 2:23 - 3:6

Tue 27th

Psalm: 73
Reading 1: Jeremiah 42
Reading 2: Mark 3:7-19a

Wed 28th

Psalm: 77
Reading 1: Jeremiah 43
Reading 2: Mark 3:19b-end

Thu 29th

Morning Prayer Readings

Psalm: 78:1-39
Reading 1: Jeremiah 44:1-14
Reading 2: Mark 4:1-20

Morning Holy Communion Readings

Reading 1: 1 Thessalonians 3:7-end
Gospel: Matthew 24:42-end

Fri 30th

Psalm: 55
Reading 1: Jeremiah 44:15-end
Reading 2: Mark 4:21-34

Sat 31st

Psalm: 76
Reading 1: Jeremiah 45
Reading 2: Mark 4:35-end

Sun 1st 11th Sunday after Trinity

Reading 1: Proverbs 25:6-7
Reading 2: Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16
Gospel: Luke 14:1, 7-14

Readings for Wanlip

Sun 25th 10th Sunday after Trinity

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

Sun 1st 11th Sunday after Trinity

Reading 1: Proverbs 25:6-7
Reading 2: Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16
Gospel: Luke 14:1, 7-14

For our prayers this week

Our Home Groups
Our home Holy Communion visitors

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 1st 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 25th 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.



10th 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 - 1st Sept

St James the Great

08:00 Holy Communion
10:00 All Together Service

Our Lady & St Nicholas

18:00 Holy Communion

In the week

Monday 26th

There will be NO Morning Prayer today
12:30 Summer Fayre St James

Tuesday 27th

09:00 Morning Prayer St James

Wednesday 28th

09:00 Morning Prayer St James
19:00 Nearer - Social 11 Oakfield Ave
19:30 Rectory Bible Study Group
251 Birstall Rd

Thursday 29th

09:30 Eucharist St James

Friday 30th

09:00 Morning Prayer St James
09:00 Monday Group coach outing

Saturday 31st

10:00 Open Church St James

Check out our Church Website: www.Birstall.org

Rector: Rev'd Vince Jupp: 0116 2674517, vincejupp@btinternet.com

Diary Dates

26th (Monday) St James' Summer Fayre	St James 12:30-3:30pm
28th (Wednesday) Nearer - Social	11 Oakfield Ave 7pm
28th (Wednesday) Rectory Bible Study Group	251 Birstall Rd 7:30pm
30th (Friday) Monday Group coach outing to Lincoln	Leaves School Lane 9am
September	
4th (Wednesday) Deanery Mothers Union Service	East Goscote 2:30pm
4th (Wednesday) Nearer - Encounter	32 Northfield Ave 7pm
4th (Wednesday) PCC Meeting	Wanlip 7:30pm
8th (Sunday) Nearer - Prayer	12 Oakfield Ave 7pm
9th (Monday) Riverside School visit	St James 9:45am
9th (Monday) Monday Group	Day Centre 7:30pm
10th (Tuesday) Highcliffe School Visit	St James 9:45am
11th (Wednesday) Nearer - Inspired to follow	12 Kiln Orchard Way 7pm
14th (Saturday) Ride and Stride	Both Churches from 10am
16th (Monday) Mothers' Union narrowboat outing	T.B.A
17th (Tuesday) Old Nick's Coffee Shop	Wanlip Hall 10am
18th (Wednesday) Nearer - Social	12 Oakfield Ave 7pm
19th (Thursday) Guild of Vergers Festival Evensong	Leicester Cathedral 5:30pm
25th (Wednesday) Nearer - Faith Pictures I	12 Oakfield Ave 7pm

General Notices

Rectory Bible Study

The next Rectory Bible Study Group will be on Wednesday 28th 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 30th 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.

Flower Festival

A big thank you to all who worked so hard to decorate Our Lady & St Nicholas for last weekends flower festival. For those of you who missed it the church looked truly amazing. Thank you to all those who visited the church and the coffee shop - so far we have raised £432.72 for church funds.'

Ride and Stride

Leicestershire Historic Churches Trust's annual bike ride and walk is on Saturday 14th September. If you would like to either cycle or walk between participating churches there are sponsorship forms and information at the back of the church. We are a participating church and both St James and Our Lady & St Nicholas will ideally be open from 10am to 6pm on the day; if you can help with this for an hour or more then please sign up on the form at the back of the church. Thank-you.

5th Sunday Special at Wanlip

The 5th Sunday Service will be a Songs of Praise service led by Cynthia and Beryl.

28th August

30th August

14th September

29th September

Parish Holiday 2020

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 15th September should you wish to go. It really does sound very, very nice! *Leigh & Rita*

Parish Holiday Accommodation

As you know we were allocated a limited number of single rooms in the hotel. There were, in fact, only 8, and so to keep it to the 'first come, first served' promise, I have drawn a line underneath the first eight people who asked for single rooms. If your name is under that line, could you please be friendly and join up with someone else? Thank you. *Leigh*

Mothers Union

Wednesday 4th September. Deanery service at St Hilda's church, East Goscote to celebrate 90 years of love and service by Queniborough, Rothley and 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 19th 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

God, Me & Art

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

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*

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.

Prayer Chain

If you have an urgent prayer request for yourself or for someone you know, please contact Doreen Wilson on 2674680 or Gill Pope on 2675086. This will be passed round the prayer chain as quickly as possible in strictest confidence.

Recycling Printer Cartridges

There is a box at the back of church for your used ink cartridges. Unfortunately, Recycle4charity will no longer accept mobile phones.

4th September

19th September

9th October