



**ST JAMES' WEYBRIDGE**

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**THIS WEEK AT ST JAMES' CHURCH, WEYBRIDGE**

*St James' Church is open 9.15am – 12.30pm.*

- Mon 27<sup>th</sup> 9.15am Morning Prayer; 9.15am The Ark; **7.30pm Wedding Couples evening in Church.**
- Tues 28<sup>th</sup> 8.45am Worship at St James' CofE School; 9am Vestry team in Church; 9.15am Morning Prayer via Zoom; 7.30pm Handbells group.
- Wed 29<sup>th</sup> 9.15am Morning Prayer; **11.00am Said Eucharist** followed by refreshments in Church; 7.30pm Choir practice.
- Thurs 30<sup>th</sup> *Damian & Tom at Clergy Training in Woking all morning;* 9.15am Morning Prayer; 12noon Foodbank in Church; 7.30pm Bell Ringing.
- Friday 31<sup>st</sup> *Damian & Tom are off duty today.*
- Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> 9.15am Morning Prayer; Church gardening today; preparations for Candlemas.

**NEXT SUNDAY CANDLEMAS – 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2025**

**8am Said Eucharist**

**10am Sung Festival Eucharist** with Junior Church, followed by reception in the Parish Centre.



The Rev'd Father Damian Harrison-Miles, Rector, the Churchwardens, and the PCC of St James' Church Weybridge cordially invite you to a

**Thanksgiving Service for our 'Access for All' and Church Re-ordering Projects 2021 – 2024**

**Sunday, 2nd February 2025**

Service at 10.00am followed by a Reception in the Parish Hall at 11.30am

**Please RSVP for the reception by 20 January 2025**

- sign up in the back of the church, or
- email Donna Miller at [donnamilleruk@outlook.com](mailto:donnamilleruk@outlook.com) (Please include number of people in your party.)

Please note that parking in the Churchfields Car Park, KT13 8DB, is complimentary *before noon*. Post noon, there is a charge.

**EPIPHANY 3 - 26<sup>th</sup> January 2025**

*Gluten free wafers are available; please ask one of the Wardens. For use of the hearing loop please select T.*

**8am Said Eucharist**

**Celebrant & Preacher: Father Damian.**

**Deacon & Server: Rev'd Tom. Reader: vacancy**

**10am Sung Eucharist** with Choir and Junior Church

**Today we use the green hymn book**

Introit	Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us	<b>393</b>
Gradual	Celtic Alleluia	<i>see over page</i>
Offertory	Thy hand, O God, has guided	<b>485</b>
Anthem	Teach me O Lord	<b>Attwood</b>
Communion	Soul of my Saviour	<b>305</b>
Recessional	Great is thy faithfulness	<i>see over page</i>

*The service is followed by refreshments in the Parish Centre.*

**Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Damian. Deacon & Gospeller:**

**Rev'd Tom. Organist: Lindsay Bridgwater. Reader: Jeff A.**

**Intercessions: Ann D. Servers: Valerie, Steve & Richard.**

**EM's: Valerie, Jane & Steve. Wardens: Jane & Donna.**

The 10am Eucharist is available to view live at:

[www.facebook.com/stjamesweybridge](http://www.facebook.com/stjamesweybridge) and later on YouTube

**12noon Holy Baptisms**

*We welcome Isabel Mae Alexandra Ford and Margot Bonnie Elizabeth Hyde for baptism into the Church Family.*

**Hymn At the name of Jesus CA 54**

**Led by Father Damian. Welcome: Donna & Jane.**

**4pm Children's Faith Confirmed**

**Led by Father Damian and Rev'd Tom.**

**PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

*If you'd like a name added please contact the Parish Office.*

*Please remember in your prayers the following who are in need:*

**In Acute Need:** Anne, Caroline, Christine, Christopher, Connie, Crystal, David, Haiqouy, Heather, Helen, Holly, Ian, Jane, John, Lindsay, Robin, Rory, Stanley, Stephen & Sue. **Recently Departed:** Bunny Wilson, Brenda Marsh & Alfred Harris. **In the Year's Mind:** Alan Hewes, Malcolm Kersey, Fred Glashier, Joe Sharp, John Hales & Albert Jenkins.

**MORNING PRAYER ON TUESDAYS AT 9.15 AM**

You'd be most welcome to join us on Tuesday mornings online via Zoom for Morning Prayer. It's approximately 30 minutes, and a lovely way to start the day! The Zoom link is here - <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82993801653>

**LOOKING AHEAD... DATE FOR YOUR DIARY**

**Ash Wednesday – 5<sup>th</sup> March.** 11am Said Eucharist followed by soup lunch. 7.30pm Sung Eucharist. *Both services with ashing.*

Cheques should only be made payable to: **Weybridge PCC.** We have a contactless payment device for card payments in Church.

**Reg. Charity No: 1130714.** Items for the newsletter and mailer by Tuesday 9am – items to [damomiles@btinternet.com](mailto:damomiles@btinternet.com)

**COLLECT**

Almighty God, whose Son revealed in signs and miracles the wonder of your saving presence:  
renew your people with your heavenly grace,  
and in all our weakness sustain us by your mighty power; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**FIRST READING 1 Corinthians 12.12–31a**

A reading from the first letter of Paul to the Corinthians. Just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body – Jews or Greeks, slaves or free – and we were all made to drink of one Spirit. Indeed, the body does not consist of one member but of many. If the foot would say, ‘Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body,’ that would not make it any less a part of the body. And if the ear would say, ‘Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body,’ that would not make it any less a part of the body. If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be? If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be? But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose. If all were a single member, where would the body be? As it is, there are many members, yet one body. The eye cannot say to the hand, ‘I have no need of you,’ nor again the head to the feet, ‘I have no need of you.’ On the contrary, the members of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, and those members of the body that we think less honourable we clothe with greater honour, and our less respectable members are treated with greater respect; whereas our more respectable members do not need this. But God has so arranged the body, giving the greater honour to the inferior member, that there may be no dissension within the body, but the members may have the same care for one another. If one member suffers, all suffer together with it; if one member is honoured, all rejoice together with it. Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers; then deeds of power, then gifts of healing, forms of assistance, forms of leadership various kinds of tongues. Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? But strive for the greater gifts. This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

**GRADUAL**

**Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia, alleluia!**

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Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone. When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written: ‘The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favour.’ And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. Then he began to say to them, ‘Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.’ This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia!**

**POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

Almighty Father, whose Son our Saviour Jesus Christ is the light of the world: may your people, illumined by your word and sacraments, shine with the radiance of his glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth;  
for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**RECESSIONAL HYMN**

**Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father,  
There is no shadow of turning with thee;  
Thou changest not, thy compassions they fail not;  
As thou hast been thou for ever wilt be:**

*Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning new mercies I see;  
All I have needed thy hand has provided,  
Great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me.*

**Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,  
sun, moon and stars in their courses above,  
join with all nature in manifold witness  
to thy great faithfulness, mercy and love:**

**Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,  
thy own dear presence to cheer and to guide;  
strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!**

**YOUR PCC** had our away day along with a PCC meeting on the 20<sup>th</sup> and set the following priorities for projects during 2025/26 including extending church opening hours, new toilets for church, spire re-pointing, new radiators in church, audio/visual upgrade to technology, and redecoration in the small hall.