

## St James' Church, Weybridge

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## Remembrance Sunday 19th November 2025 - Weybridge

Dear Church or Uniformed Organisation Leader,

I do hope this message finds you and your community well as the Autumn term continues.

## War Memorial 2pm for 2.15pm Act of Remembrance

Prior to the church service at 3pm there will be the annual laying of wreaths at the War Memorial on Hanger Hill <u>at 2.15pm</u>.

As the lead organisation, St James' Church has applied via Elmbridge Borough Council for the temporary Road Closure Order. Surrey Police no longer provide support on the day. Can we please ask for group leaders to wear high-vis jackets and assist with the safe movement of their contingent across the road and whilst at the War Memorial? Do let us know if you can support with this in any way. We have purchased new road closed signage, with the support of a grant from EBC, which will help enormously. We would also ask that numbers attending the wreath laying are, wherever possible limited as there is only a small area available for gathering, which makes managing risk difficult. The roads can't be closed until just before the ceremony. Each group is responsible for their own risk assessment.

## **3pm Remembrance Civic Service at St James' Church**

As in previous years, the Elmbridge Civic Service of Remembrance will take place at 3pm at St James' Church on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> November, followed by refreshments in the Parish Centre. There will be a rehearsal for the flag bearers on Wednesday 6th November at 6pm in church. Please reply to my new email: <a href="mailto:rector@stjamesweybridge.org.uk">rector@stjamesweybridge.org.uk</a> if you will be providing a flag bearer/colour party so that we can plan for numbers, etc.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

With every blessing,

Sincerely,

Revd Damian Harrison-Miles, BTh, Rector of Weybridge

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