



ST JAMES' WEYBRIDGE

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Inclusive Church

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THIS WEEK AT ST JAMES' CHURCH WEYBRIDGE

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

- Mon 1st 9.15am Morning Prayer; 9.15am The Ark;
The Visitation 8pm Festival Eucharist.
- Tues 2nd 8.45am St James' school worship; 9.15am Morning Prayer; 7.30pm Handbells Group.
- Wed 3rd 9.15am Morning Prayer; 9.45am Family & Children (Missions) Meeting in Lady Chapel;
11am Said Eucharist followed by Church Café; 7.30pm Choir.
- Thurs 4th *Fr Damian is on Leadership Training - PM*
Corpus Christi 9.15am Morning Prayer; 12.30pm Foodbank; 7.30pm Bell Ringing; **8pm Taizé Eucharist.**
- Friday 5th *The Clergy are off duty today.*
- Saturday 6th Gardening group – could you help around the churchyard this morning? 9.15am Morning Prayer; 9.45am Deanery Parish Needs Process meeting at All Saints Weston Green.

NEXT SUNDAY: TRINITY 1 – 7th June 2026

8am Said Eucharist, **10am Sung Eucharist** with Junior Church

LOOKING AHEAD – DATES FOR YOUR DIARY!

- CORPUS CHRISTI (Thanksgiving for Holy Communion)**
THIS Thursday 4th June, 8pm - Taizé Eucharist in All Souls
- VISION & CDP REVIEW SESSIONS Tuesday 9th June**
10am - 12noon and 7:30 – 9.30pm in All Souls Chapel
- FLOWER FESTIVAL Saturday 13th – Thursday 17th June**
- CHORAL EVENSONG Sunday 14th June 6pm**
- WEYBRIDGE SUMMER FESTIVAL FAIR Saturday 27th June**
- PETER & PAUL FESTIVAL EUCHARIST Monday 29th June 8pm**
- SUMMER PICNIC - CHURCHFIELDS REC Sun 30th Aug 12noon.**

LEGO CLUB

We next meet on Sunday, 21st June at 4pm, in the Parish Centre. Book children in: info@stjamesweybridge.org.uk.

THE ARK

The Ark group meets Mondays of term-time from 9.15am in Church. £2 per child.

JUNIOR CHURCH

Meet next on Sunday 7th June at 10am, Small Hall. Ages 4-11.

COMPASS – DISCUSSION GROUP FOR 18-30's

We meet next on Monday 8th June – 5.30 pm walk along the Basingstoke Canal to Wisley (The Anchor) for a meal.

GARDENING GROUP – 6 June

We meet on the first Saturday of every month at 9.15 am to help keep the grounds around the church and parish centre looking tidy. Please give it a try – no experience necessary, just some enthusiasm and a pair of gloves. Join us for conversation, gardening and refreshments!

TRINITY SUNDAY – 31st May

Gluten free wafers are available; please ask a warden. For use of the hearing loop select T.

8am Said Eucharist

Celebrant, Gospeller & Preacher: Fr Damian.

Welcome, Reader & Server: Chas and Sandra Burston.

10am Sung Festival Eucharist

Today we use the Green Ordinary Time service card

- Introit** Jesus shall reign, where're the sun **359**
- Gradual** Taizé Alleluia *see over page*
- Offertory** Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! **286**
- Communion** O Lord my God, when I in awesome **511**
- Anthem** Holy, Holy, Holy *Tchaikovsky*
- Recessional** To God, be the glory **695**

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

Organist: Lindsay Bridgwater. **Reader:** Gretchen.

Intercessions: Keith E. **Servers:** Tiffany, Valerie & Richard.

Eucharistic Ministers: Jill, Patricia & Steve. **Sides persons:**

Lesley & Donna. **Coffee:** Christine & Trish. **Warden:** Steve M.

Nominated Person: Jane Mason.

12noon Welcome Lunch in the Small Hall

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Please remember in your prayers those who are in need:

In Acute Need: Annie, Christopher, Connie, David, Deborah, Erica, Fiona, Graham, Haiqouy, Joyce, Julia, Lindsay, Lisa, Michael, Nigel, Peter, Robin, Roger, Sharon, Sue, Tim & Trevor. **Recently Departed:** Stanley Barnes, Revd David Coleman & Anita Knowles. **In the Year's Mind:** George Parry, Tom Abercrombie, Mary Coke, Reginald Cox, Barbara Simond, Chunks Gunner & Eric Brewer. **One-Year Wedding Anniversary:** Eleanor and Archie Moore.

FAITH CONFIRMED – CONFIRMATION PREPARATION

St James' will be hosting the Emly Deanery Confirmation Service in September. We have five candidates and hope that others will join that group. Contact

info@stjamesweybridge.org.uk for the application form.

Confirmation is a special service where a person confirms the promises that were made when they were baptised. If you were baptised as a child, your parents and godparents made these promises on your behalf. As a young person or adult, you may be ready to affirm these promises for yourself and commit your life to following Jesus Christ. At a confirmation service, you make these promises for yourself. Your friends and family, and the local Christian community will promise to support and pray for you. A bishop will lay their hands on your head and ask God's Holy Spirit to give you the strength and commitment to live God's way for the rest of your life.

Find out more at: [Confirmation | The Church of England](#)

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 rector@stjamesweybridge.org.uk



COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity: keep us steadfast in this faith, that we may evermore be defended from all adversities; 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 2 Corinthians 13.11–13

A reading from the second letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

Brothers and sisters, put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you.

Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you. This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

An Alleluia heralds the Gospel Reading: (Taizè)

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

GOSPEL Matthew 28.16–20

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

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Almighty and eternal God, you have revealed yourself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and live and reign in the perfect unity of love: hold us firm in this faith, that we may know you in all your ways and evermore rejoice in your eternal glory, who are three Persons yet one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

STEPHEN MASON APPROVED FOR TRAINING

For the past 18 months Steve has participated in the part-time CALEB Training programme, and he has recently attended his Stage Two Panel (formerly Bishops' Advisory Panel). He has now been approved for further training towards Ordination, being made a Deacon on the feast of Christ the King, Sunday 22nd November. He will then serve as an assistant Curate (Self Supporting) at St James' Church.

Congratulations to Steve! Prayers please for him, Jane and the family as they prepare for this transition.

WAITROSE WEYBRIDGE - TOKENS

Do you shop at Waitrose? Please collect green tokens for the St James' fundraising pot, near both entrances! We are one of the three options for the charity of the month.

VISION SESSIONS – 9 JUNE

We'll be reviewing our existing Church Development Plan and making plans for the future of St James' – focussing on Growing Community, Growing Discipleship, and Growing Diversity. Here's a small list of discussion topics – The 'Big Project' (car park, drains, toilets, eco gardens, solar panels), Inclusive Church, our visibility in Weybridge, starting a children's choir, hosting a holiday club in October, improved recycling schemes, and hosting a litter pick. Meaty topics and lots to discuss! We'll hold **two sessions on 9th June at 10 am and at 7.30 pm** in church – refreshments served.

APCM ELECTION RESULTS & APPOINTMENTS 2026

Thank you to everyone who attended our Annual Parochial Church Meeting, and to all those who have taken on responsibilities over the coming year(s) - Elected are:

Churchwardens: Hilary Butler & Juliet Marsh.

Deputy Wardens: Sue Barnes, Brian Davis, Howard Freeman, Lindy Fozard, Kathy Goodliffe, Jane Mason, Steve Mason, and Donna Miller. **PCC:** Jane Mason. **Deanery Synod:** Hilary Butler, Esther John, Susan Rubidge & Jill Wilson. **Sides**

people: Di, Lesley, Patricia, Hilary, Liz, Sue, Esther, Alison, Sally, Donna, Gretchen, Richard, Margaret, Jill, Chris & Jean. At Monday's PCC we agreed: **PCC Secretary & Safeguarding:** Donna Miller. **Treasurer:** Steve Mason, **Assistant Treasurer:** Caroline Button. **PCC co-opted:** Gretchen Spalt & Steve Mason. We have agreed to set-up a new sub-committee to lead on the 'Big Project' as discussed at the APCM. Please come to the vision sessions on 9 June (as reference above), to hear more about the Big Project!

FLOWER FESTIVAL 13-18 JUNE 2026

Our Flower Festival starts in two weeks, on **SATURDAY 13th JUNE**. We have been working very hard to organise the event and it is going to be wonderful. There will be 47 beautiful floral displays in church, the Festival Café will be open on Saturday and Sunday, we have a fabulous raffle, a lunchtime recital will take place on Tuesday the 16th, and we will host a Flower Demonstration on the evening of Thursday the 18th.

Thanks to those of you who have volunteered to help. **WE STILL NEED MORE OF YOU TO COME FORWARD!** Throughout the weekend we need volunteers in church to sell programmes and to greet visitors. In the Parish Centre we need help in the Festival Café and in the kitchen, and to assist with raffle ticket sales and flower demonstration sales. We will also need help with setting up and cleaning up.

Please sign up **THIS SUNDAY** during coffee or contact Alan Knowles on ajk62uk@yahoo.co.uk or message on 07903 960697. Thank you!

