

St James', Wulfstan Way, Cambridge

The Weekly Sheet



7 September 2025 / Baptism and First Communion



Today:

8.00 am	Eucharist (BCP)
10.00 am	All Age Eucharist

Welcome to our services. If you are visiting St James' for the first time, please introduce yourself to our curate, Rev'd Rob Hawkins, or one of the churchwardens, or a sidesperson. Today we celebrate Johnny's baptism and Amanda and Victoria's first communion. We welcome them and their family and friends, and we pray for them as they make these steps in their journeys with God.

Our readings are:

Deuteronomy 30.15-end; Psalm 1; Philemon 1-21; Luke 14.25-33

Our hymns at 10 o'clock can be found on a separate sheet.

Anthem: O Saviour of the world (*John Goss*).

Collect for Today:

Heavenly Father,
by the power of your Holy Spirit
you give to your faithful people new life in the water of baptism.
Guide and strengthen us by the same Spirit,
that we who are born again may serve you in faith and love,
and grow into the full stature of your Son, Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit
now and for ever.

Today's Psalm is: Psalm 1

1 Blessed are they who have not walked
in the / counsel of the / wicked,
nor lingered in the way of sinners,
nor sat in the as/sembly / of the / scornful.
2 Their delight is in the / law of the / Lord
and they meditate on his / law / day and / night.
3 Like a tree planted by streams of water
bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that / do not / wither,
whatever they / do, / it shall / prosper.
4 As for the wicked, it is not / so with / them;
they are like chaff which the / wind / blows a/way.
5 Therefore the wicked shall not be able
to / stand in the / judgement,
nor the sinner in the congre/gation / of the / righteous.
6 For the Lord knows the / way of the / righteous,
but the / way of the / wicked shall / perish.

This week:

Monday 8 th	9.10 am	Morning Prayer
Tuesday 9 th	2.30 pm	Hymn service at Cherry Hinton Care Home
	7.30 pm	PCC Meeting
Wednesday 10 th	9.10 am	Morning Prayer
		<u>No</u> Eucharist today
	2.00 pm	Thanksgiving service for Chris Calladine in church
Saturday 13 th	10.00 am	Saturday morning Café and Fairbite Food Club
	10.00 am – 1.30 pm	Church open for Cambridge Ride & Stride
	10.00 am	'Skip Day'

Dates for your diary:

Monday 15 th	12 noon	Meditation Group starts back today
Thursday 18 th	7.30 pm	Mental health awareness training (booking req'd)
Saturday 27 th	10.00 am	Bring & Buy Sale

Readings for next Sunday, 14 September (13th Sunday after Trinity)

Exodus 32.7-14; Psalm 51.1-11; 1 Timothy 1.12-17; Luke 15.1-10.

Notices

Thanksgiving service for Chris Calladine will be held this Wednesday (10 September) here at St James', at 2.00 pm.

This Saturday (13 September) is '**Skip Day**'. Pam would like some **volunteers** to help move unwanted items/rubbish from St James'. Please meet at church at 10 am. Thank you.

The church will stay open a little longer this Saturday, until 1.30 pm, in case we have any visitors taking part in the Cambridgeshire Historic Churches '**Ride and Stride**' event.

Mental Health Awareness Training Session, 18th September, 7.30-9.30pm. Anne Streather is kindly offering a free session of basic Mental Health Awareness Training. Learn how to spot warning signs in yourself and others, and how to respond safely and compassionately. To register attendance email annestreather5@gmail.com

Following the summer break we look forward to our next **Bring & Buy Sale** on Saturday 27 September. If you can help set up/clear away or run a stall, please contact Pam. Donations of cakes are always popular and we would welcome small gifts suitable for raffle prizes. Thank you.

We are looking to build up our **archive of photos** of church activities and services from 2015 up until now. If you have any photos, please let Pam know.

This week we are praying for:

Elizabeth and Nick Brown; Pam Butler and family; Mary Calladine and family; Peter Canning; Denis Chandler; Eric and Rhena Clouston and family; Ellen and Andrew Collings, Sharn and Troy.

If you would like to add your name to this list, please let Caroline in the office know.

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We provide a Zoom link for our 10 o'clock Sunday services: Join Zoom Meeting <https://us05web.zoom.us/j/83891911352?pwd=E6ixlzVLqGnx2joycwoPnWOUNEvua.1> Meeting ID: 838 9191 1352 Passcode: 826798



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