

The Weekly Sheet

27 September 2026 / 17th Sunday after Trinity



Today:

8.00 am	Eucharist
10.00 am	Parish Eucharist with Baptism

Welcome to our services. We pray for Aurelia today and give thanks for her baptism. We welcome Aurelia and her family to our church community.

If you are visiting St James' for the first time, please introduce yourself to one of our churchwardens, Pam or Alison, or a sidesperson.

Our readings are:

Exodus 17.1-7; Psalm 78.1-4, 12-16; Philippians 2.1-13; Mark 1.9-11

Our hymns at 10 o'clock are:

Opening:	All hail the power of Jesu's name	AM 223 omit *
Offertory:	Amazing Grace	AM 587 omit *
Communion:	The king of love my shepherd is	AM 794
Final:	To God be the glory	AM 818
Anthem:	God so loved the world (<i>Bob Chilcott</i>)	

Collect for Today:

Gracious God,
you call us to fullness of life:
deliver us from unbelief
and banish our anxieties
with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Today's Psalm is: Psalm 78.1-4, 12-16

1 Hear my teaching, / O my / people;
incline your / ears to the / words of my / mouth.
2 I will open my / mouth in a / parable;
I will pour forth / mysteries / from of / old,
3 such as we have / heard and / known,
which our / forebears / have / told us.
4 We will not hide from their children,
but will recount to gene/rations to / come,
the praises of the Lord and his power
and the / wonderful / works he has / done.
12 For he did marvellous things in the / sight of their / forebears,
in the land of Egypt, / in the / field of / Zoan.
13 He divided the sea and / let them pass / through;
he made the / waters stand / still in a / heap.
14 He led them with a / cloud by / day
and all the night / through with a / blaze of / fire.
15 He split the hard / rocks in the / wilderness
and gave them drink as / from the / great / deep.
16 He brought streams / out of the / rock
and made / water gush / out like / rivers.

This week:

Monday 28 th	12 noon	Meditation Group
Wednesday 30 th	10.15 am	Mid-week Eucharist
Saturday 3 rd Oct	10.00 am	Saturday morning Café
	10.30 am	Fairbite Food Club
	5.00 pm	Music Group Rehearsal

Dates for your diary:

Wednesday 7 th Oct	10.15 am	Eucharist at Dunstan Court
	11.00 am	Pastoral Team Meeting
Tuesday 13 th	2.30 pm	Hymn service at Cherry Hinton Care Home
Monday 26 th	11.00 am	Pumpkin Picnic and Holiday Lunch Club
Saturday 31 st	10.00 am	Bring & Buy Sale

Readings for next Sunday, 4 October (Harvest)

Exodus 20.1-4, 7-9, 12-20; Psalm 19; Philippians 3.4b-14; John 6.35-40

Notices

Thank you to everyone who came along and supported yesterday's **Bring & Buy** sale. The amount raised can be found on the noticeboard.

'Take time out to explore prayer and find God in daily life'. The Diocese of Ely Spirituality Group is holding an accompanied month of prayer from 29 October to 28 November. During this time there will be the option of individual face to face meetings with a guide on Saturday mornings, or at a pre-arranged time during the week via zoom or by telephone. For more details, including contact email and phone numbers, see the poster on the noticeboard. Closing date is 16 October.

Pilgrimage in honour of St Francis, marking 800 years since his death will start at 1 pm at St Bene't's Church, Cambridge on Saturday 4 October, for a free 6 mile walk ending at 6 pm at St John's Church, Waterbeach. Enjoy conversation and contemplation inspired by the Canticle of the Creatures. Open to people of all faiths and none. Register for free at www.bit.ly/camfrancis26

The office is open on Wednesday and Thursday this week, usual opening hours. Caroline is working from home on Monday and can be reached by email or the office phone (please leave a message).

This week we are praying for:

Ruth Holdstock, Jon Griffiths, Matilda and Theo; Geoff Howard; Elspeth Hutchison and family; Jin and family; Judith and Peter Judd; Donald Laming and family; Kristina Kobes, Tim and Nicola

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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

If you are ordering goods from **Amazon**, please remember to use the Amazon link on the St James' website fundraising page. It doesn't cost you any more but gives St James a percentage of the price you pay.



If you are not a regular giver, or would like to top up your regular **donations**, you can do this by scanning the **QR code here** or by using the Donation Station in the lobby for cashless donations

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