



Worshipping God
Making Disciples
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Working in partnership to serve Nuneaton, Weddington & Caldecote

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday 5th May 2024



A warm welcome to St Nicolas' & St James Church - especially if you are new or visiting with us. We pray that you may experience God's presence as you worship with us today. Rev Chris Routledge (Vicar/Priest-in-Charge)

This Sunday...

At St Nicolas Church, Vicarage St:

10am Service: Holy Communion
Bible Reading/Theme: 1 Timothy 3:1-16
 Ephesians 5:19-32
Service Leader: Dawn Beasley
Preacher: Rev Chris Routledge

3pm WEDDING REHEARSAL

At St James Church, Church La, Weddington:

10am Service: Morning Worship
Bible Reading/Theme: Acts 10:44-48
Service Leader Janet Flavel
Preacher: Rev Martin Butt

Next Week:

St Nicolas: Morning Worship
St James : 10am Holy Communion
12pm Baptism

This Week at a glance :

At St Nicolas Church and Hall:

Tues: 10am Swans (Hall)
 7pm Alpha follow up group (Lounge)
Wed: 10am BCP Holy Communion
Fri: 1.30pm Wedding
Sat: 10-12pm Child Contact Centre

At St James Church & Hall:

Tues: 10am Coffee Morning (Hall)
 1pm Swans (Hall)
Fri: 10am - Baby Jammers (Church Hall)

Prayer Requests:

Please pray for:-

- For peace - especially the wars in Israel/Palestine & Ukraine
- Those who will be receive Home Communion visits over this next week
- For the local elections on Thursday
- For the work of Saints, Nuneaton



Regular Monthly Events

Parish Prayer Meeting:	<i>See Thy Kingdom Come Events 2024</i>
St Nicolas Church Cleaning:	Sat 11th May 9am
St James Churchyard Maintenance:	Tue 21st May 9.30am
St James Parish Walk:	To be confirmed
St Nicolas Worship Singing Team:	To be confirmed
St Nicolas PCC Meeting:	20th May, 7pm
St James PCC Meeting:	13th May, 7pm
Deanery Synod:	6th June, 7.30pm

Banns of Marriage for Weddington & Caldecote Parish

Keith Thomas Jones & Linda Ann Markey
(both of Parish of St Peter's Higham on Hill)

Gordon Ian Richardson (Parish of St Thomas Keresley & Coundon)
& Susanne Clare Mustin Parish (Parish of St James, Weddington & Caldecote)

These are for the first time of asking



St James AV Project Meeting:



Are you interested to know more about the proposed Audio-Visual equipment update - how it will be used, what the different elements are, how much they will cost and how the PCC propose to fund it?

If so, please come to a meeting in church after the morning service on Sunday 5 May. If you have any questions, please forward them to Adrian or Chris in advance of the meeting if possible.



The Lent Group continues.....

The Tuesday evening Lent Group is going to have a final session of the 'Great Festivals; deep meanings' course looking at Pentecost. Everyone is welcome to this stand-alone session even if you didn't attend the Lent Group. **Tuesday 14 May 7.30 - 9.00 pm in St James Church Hall.**



Derek Paravicini
In Concert

Saturday 29th June, 7pm
St Nicolas Church, Nuneaton



Tickets: £20

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Messy Church

PENTECOST

19TH MAY 2024 3.30PM - 5.00PM
ST NICOLAS CHURCH NUNEATON
ALL WELCOME

COME ALONG AND JOIN US FOR CRAFTS, STORYTELLING, FOOD AND OF COURSE FUN



THY KINGDOM COME

Light Up The World In Prayer

9th–19th May 2024

Thy Kingdom Come 2024: 10 days of Prayer

‘Thy Kingdom Come’ is an international, interdenominational prayer movement started several years ago by the Archbishop of Canterbury, Rt Rev Justin Welby where we encourage each member of the church to commit to praying for 5 people we know to become Christians.

Who will your 5 be?

In support each other in this we are also aspiring to have a prayer room open during the daytime from Sunday 12th - Sunday 19th May and we are looking for people to commit to pray for an hour at a time by using this prayer room. The prayer room will be at St Nicolas Church in the Leeke Chapel. There will be prayer resources available for your to use during this time. Please sign up at the back of Church.

Can you give an hour in prayer?

Prayer is a wonderful gift not only to do in the quiet of a prayer room but also with other people and, in partnership with Holy Trinity Attleborough, we are going to be offering prayer in Nuneaton Town Centre for anyone who would like to be prayed for. **‘Say one for me’** will be on Thursday 9th & 16th May. We will be meeting at St Nicolas Church at 9.45 for some training followed by worship and then between 11am-12pm going out onto the street, offering prayer. If you would like to get involved with this please let Chris or Adrian know.

Worship and Prayer Evening

Sunday 12th May 4pm, St Nics

As part of ‘Thy Kingdom Come’ on Sun 12th May at 4pm we will be meeting at St Nicolas Church to pray for Nuneaton Town and the surrounding areas. All are welcome and encouraged to participate in this opportunity to pray for our community

Pentecost Messy Church

Sunday 19th May 3.30pm

Invite families you know to this fun event of craft, food and worship for all the family

Thy Kingdom Come 2024

- 1) Pray for 5
- 2) Commit to an hour in the prayer room 12th-19th May
- 3) ‘Say one for me’ 9th & 16th May 9.45am -12pm
- 4) Worship & Prayer Evening 12th May 4pm
- 5) Pentecost Messy Church, 3.30pm

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Dates for your Diary

Thu 9th May 9.45 -12pm 'Say One for Me' (St Nics & Town Centre)

Sun 12th May

Thy Kingdom Come prayer room opens 9-5pm each day

4pm - Worship & Prayer (St Nics)

Tues 14 May 7.30 - 9.00 pm Lent Group continues: Pentecost (St James Church Hall).

Thu 16th May 9.45 -12pm 'Say One for Me' (St Nics & Town Centre)

Sun 19th May 3.30pm Pentecost Messy Church at St Nicolas Church

Sat 1st June - Walk of Faith: Building friendship and understanding across Nuneaton faith groups

Thu 6th June - 'This is Me' Afternoon Concert (Children)

Thu 13th June - 'This is Me' Afternoon Concert (adults)

Sun 16th June - MENCAP Service

Sat 29th June 7pm Derek Paravicini - St Nicolas Church. Tickets £20