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*Working in partnership to serve Nuneaton, Weddington & Caldecote*

# WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday 7th July 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:** Morning Worship  
 Joint Service with St James  
 Welcome to Rev Modupe Adeyeo  
**Bible Reading/Theme: 2 Corinthians 8: 7-15**  
**Service Leader:** Rev Chris & Modupe  
**Preacher: Rev Chris Routledge**  
**6pm** -Evening with the Salvation Army

*At St James Church, Church La, Weddington:*

**10am Service:** Morning Worship at St Nicolas  
**Bible Reading/Theme:**  
**Service Leader**  
**Preacher:**  
**3pm** Messy Church, St James Church Hall  
**Next Week:**  
**St Nicolas: 10am Morning Worship**  
**St James: 10am Holy Communion**  
**12pm Baptism of Isaac**

## This Week at a glance :

### At St Nicolas Church and Hall:

**Mon:**  
**Tues:** 10am Swans (Hall)  
**Wed:** 10am Morning Prayer/Bible study group  
**Thurs** 7.30pm Alpha (Church)  
**Frid** 2.30pm G.E. Bereavement Point  
**Sat:** 10-12pm Child Contact Centre  
 7pm Talent Showcase

### At St James Church & Hall:

**Mon:**  
**Tues:** 10am Coffee Pot (Hall)  
 1pm Swans (Hall)  
**Thurs**  
**Fri:** 10am - Baby Jammers (Church Hall)  
**Sat**

## Prayer Requests:

Please pray for:-

- For peace - especially the wars in Israel/Palestine & Ukraine
- For Year 6 at Weddington School who will be receiving 'It's Your Move' Booklets
- For Rev Modupe as she settles into her new role
- For those who are unwell at this time

Diocesan Prayer Diary: [https://www.equiphub.org.uk/newsletters/equip-update-16/?newsletter\\_email=office@stjamesweddington.org.uk](https://www.equiphub.org.uk/newsletters/equip-update-16/?newsletter_email=office@stjamesweddington.org.uk)



# Regular Monthly Events

Parish Prayer Meeting:	Tues 16th July
St Nicolas Church Cleaning:	Sat 20th July 9.30am
St James Churchyard Maintenance:	Tue 16th July 9.30am
St James Parish Walk:	Sat July 20th 9.30am
St Nicolas Worship Singing Team:	To be confirmed
St Nicolas PCC Meeting:	16th Sept 7.00pm
St James PCC Meeting:	2nd Sept 7.00 pm
Deanery Synod:	

**Banns of Marriage for St Nicolas Parish & St James Parish  
No Banns to be called in July**

## Coventry Diocese Newsletter

[https://www.equiphub.org.uk/newsletters/equip-update-19/?  
newsletter\\_email=office@stjamesweddington.org.uk](https://www.equiphub.org.uk/newsletters/equip-update-19/?newsletter_email=office@stjamesweddington.org.uk)



## **Rev. Adrian and Juliette announce retirement**

At the St James morning service last Sunday, Adrian and Juliette shared their plan to retire at the end of September and that their last Sunday will be the joint service at St James Church on 29 September. The service will be an opportunity to celebrate their ministry over the last few years and say farewell: I know we are all grateful for their support, leadership and friendship

## **Congratulations to Ben James on his appointment as a Notary Public**

We were treated to a very special moment at our BCP Communion Service on Wednesday: Ben James swore his oath of allegiance to the King during this service as part of his appointment as a Notary Public. A Notary is an ancient role and is used today as a way of checking and authorising legal documents, especially in different jurisdictions or countries. Ben and his mum are members of Horeston Grange LEP Church so we pray God's blessing on this new role



## New Curate for St Nicolas and St James Churches



Modupe Adeoye has been appointed by the Acting Bishop of Coventry, Rt Rev Ruth Worsley to be a SSM curate with us across both Churches. She will be ordained deacon on Sunday 30th June 4pm at Coventry Cathedral to which you are warmly invited to attend. It would be lovely to have a strong team of people from both parishes to welcome her on that special day. If you can attend please let Chris know so that we can inform the cathedral. She will be formally welcomed into the parishes at our Joint service on 7th July at St Nicolas followed by refreshments

### Nuneaton Prayer

If you would like to be receive the Nuneaton and Bedworth prayer web, please contact <nuneatonandbedworthprayerweb@gmail.com> They do a monthly prayer update circulated around the Nuneaton and Bedworth Churches



### Evening with The Salvation Army "Jesus Band" with St Nicolas Handbells & Occasional Choir

7th July 6:00 PM ST NICOLAS CHURCH

A FREE evening of faith-filled music and song from our local Salvation Army's extended band playing a mix of styles devotional and celebratory. Music from the St Nicolas Handbells and our brand new "occasional" choir (used for weddings and funerals)

Come and enjoy this time of music, faith and friendship together



Messy Church Summer Special at St James Church hall Sunday 7th July 3pm

## Saturday 13th July 7pm Talent Showcase

Local musicians to raise money for the *Megan Newborough foundation*.

*Tickets £8 (£5 concessions) available from:*

*<https://www.themegannewboroughfoundation.com/event-details/talent-showcase-1>*

## Team Contacts

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## Dates for your Diary

### Sunday 7th July

10am (St Nics) St Nics & St James Joint Service: Welcome to our new Curate

3pm Messy Church 'Summer Special' at St James Hall

6pm Salvation Army Band & 'Jesus' Band in Concert with St Nicolas & St James Hand Bell Ringers and Occasional Choir

Saturday 13th July 7pm

### Talent Showcase in Memory of Megan

(Tickets from the Megan Newborough Foundation - £8 (£5 Concession))

Saturday 20th July 9.30am

Parish walk from St James Car Park

Saturday 10th August 6.30pm

### Dance for Meg

(Tickets available from Megan Newborough Foundation)

22nd to 31st August

Dance Together Project with Saints

Nuneaton (Register at Saints Coffee Shop)

### September Heritage Open days:

7-8th September at St Nicolas

Open Church Sat 10-3pm/ Sun 11-3pm (St Nics)

3.30pm From Eaton to Nuneaton Concert (St Nics)

Sat 14th September at St James 10-4pm (St James)