



**Worshipping God**  
**Making Disciples**  
**Transforming Community**



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

# WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday 28th 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:** All Age Worhsip  
**Bible Reading/Theme:**  
**Service Leader:** All Age Worship Team  
**Preacher:**

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

**10am Service:** Holy Communion  
**Bible Reading/Theme:** Ruth 1: 1-22  
**Service Leader** Janet Flavel  
**Preacher:** Rev Adrian Guthrie

**Next Week:**

**St Nicolas: 10am Holy Communion**  
**St James: 10am Morning Worship**

## This Week at a glance :

### At St Nicolas Church and Hall:

**Mon:**  
**Tues:** 9.30am DAC Visit  
**Wed:** 10am Holy Communion  
**Thurs**  
**Fri:**  
**Sat:** 10-12pm Child Contact Centre

### At St James Church & Hall:

**Mon:**  
**Tues:** 10am Coffee Pot (Hall)  
**Sat:** 15.30pm Wedding Blessing

## Prayer Requests:

Please pray for:-

- For peace - especially the wars in Israel/Palestine & Ukraine
- For those attending Christian conferences and festivals over the summer
- For those travelling on to and from holidays
- 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 17th Sept 7pm
St Nicolas Church Cleaning:	Sat 7th Sept 9.30am
St James Churchyard Maintenance:	Tues 13th Aug 9.30am
St James Parish Walk:	To be confirmed
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://mailchi.mp/07425811aef3/the-wednesday-update-5682708?e=abf7eda17b>



**Confirmations Oct 27th 10am at  
St Nicolas Church, Nuneaton  
by Bishop Ruth  
(Acting Bishop of Coventry)**

## **Have you thought of being Confirmed?**

Confirmation is a special church service in which a person confirms the promises that were made when they were baptized. If you were baptized at a christening when you were 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 as well as the local Christian community will be there to promise to support and pray for you.

The local 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.

For more information about confirmation, speak to Rev Adrian, Rev Chris, Rev Modupe, or Rev Martin or you can look at these frequently asked questions online:

<https://www.churchofengland.org/life-events/confirmations/confirmation-faqs#na>

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## Dates for your Diary

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)

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**September Heritage Open days:**

7-8th September at St Nicolas

Open Church

Sat 11-3pm

Sun 11-3pm (St Nics)

Sat 7th Sept 3.30pm

From Eaton to Nuneaton Concert (St Nics)

Sun 8th Sept - George Eliot Society walk (including

Visit of St Nicolas)

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

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Sunday 8th September

Welcome of New St Nicolas Headteacher: Mr Ian Meikle (with Rev April Gold- Director for Education Coventry Diocese)

Thur 19th September: Coventry Diocese ECO - Church celebration (St Nics)

Sat 28th September 6pm Celebration of Music

Sunday 29th September

10am Joint Service at St James (Adrian & Juliette Farewell Service)

6pm Ecumenical Service (tbc)

**Harvest 2024**

Friday 4th October 7pm - Joint Churches Harvest Quiz (St James Church Hall)

Saturday 12th October 6pm - Joint Churches Harvest Supper (St Nicolas Church)

Sunday 13th October 3pm - Harvest Messy Church