

Worshipping God Making Disciples





WEEKLY BULLETIN

This Sunday...

Sunday 28th September 2025

At St Nicolas Church, Vicarage St:

10am Service: All Age Worship

Theme: We are all one body in our Church

Service Leaders: All Age Team

Preacher: AAW

At St James Church, Church La, Weddington:

10am Service: Holy Communion

Bible Reading/Theme Matthew 6:19-33

Service Leader: Janet Flavel Preacher: Rev Chris Routledge

Baptism 12pm & 1pm

Services Next Week:

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

This Week at a glance:

At St Nicolas Church and Hall:

Sun: Mon:

Tues: 10am Swans

Wed: 10 am Holy Communion

Thurs: 11am Funeral

Fri:

Sat: 10-12pm Child Contact Centre

At St James Church & Hall:

Sun:

Mon:

Tues: 10am Coffee Pot

Macmillan Coffee Morning

1.30pm Swans

Wed:

Thurs:

Fri: 10am Baby Jammers

Sat: 11am Internment of Ashes

Let us pray:

- 1 For the people of Gaza, particularly those who are desperately trying to leave Gaza City to find a safe place to live, with their families, amidst all the violence in their country.
- 2 For our outreach mission partners working to re-leave the difficulties that are facing so many people at the moment. Praying especially this week for Here2Help and CAP and the volunteers who work in those organisations.
- 3 For the members of the committee charged with the selection of the next Archbishop of Canterbury.
- 4 For those who are unwell at this time and those who are lonely and feel unloved, that they may feel the love of our Lord arround them comforting them and bringing them his peace.. lease pray:-

Regular Monthly Events

St James Prayer Meeting: Wed 17th Sept 10.30am

St Nicolas Church Cleaning : tba

St James Churchyard Maintenance: Tues 21st Oct 9.30am

St Nicolas Worship Singing Team: tba

St Nicolas PCC Meeting Mon 3rd Nov 7pm

St James PCC Meeting:

St James Coffee Morning Tues 30th Sept 10am

Baby Jammers: Friday 3rd Oct 10am

Home Group Tues 14th Oct 7pm

Deanery synod: Thur 13th November

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

Coventry Diocese Newsletter

https://www.equiphub.org.uk/newsletters/equip-update-43/

St James Prayer Meeting

St James Prayer Meetings will now be held during the day at 36 Butteremere Avenue, CV11 6ET

The next Prayer Meeting will be **Wednesday 22**nd **October at 10.30am**

Tues 14th Oct 7pm Home Group at: Andrew & Jean Harris

Please call 07925 93 1988 if more information needed

Come along and join this new home group in the Parishes.

All welcome from both St James & St Nicolas

Planned dates for home groups 2nd & 4th Tuesdays

Please contact the office or Brenda (Churchwarden) for more details

Regular Social Groups At St Nicolas & St James: All Welcome

To reserve a place please email: stnicssocialgroups@gmail.com

A great way to get to know more people in the congregations in a relaxed and informal way.

Milkmaids (Ladies Group) 2nd Wednesday 10.30 at the Cow Shed (Poplars Farm) - Oct 8th Men's Group 1st Friday 12pm at Attleborough Arms - Oct 3rd Evening Group (Everyone welcome) 4th Monday at Harvester 19:00 - tbc Parish Walking Group (selected dates on Saturdays) meeting at St James Car Park



next events







Mission Support

- Please pray for these organisations go on their websites find out a bit more and be open to knowing more about them.
- Please consider whether you might be a link person for ONE of these. I
 would love to have someone who is able to be a point of contact for
 news, prayer requests, be able to share information from these
 organisations with the parishes.

If you think you might be able to help please contact Chris or Marina through the parish office and we will discuss this further with you.

- 1) Nuneaton Foodbank: https://nuneaton.foodbank.org.uk/
- 2) **Nuneaton CAP**: https://mcbcnuneaton.org.uk/cap-christiansagainst-poverty/
- 3) **Saints: Student Lounge** https://www.saintsnuneaton.org/student-lounge
- 4) Signers & Speakers United: Fielders ' Deaf Hearing United' mission in Uganda (on Facebook)
- 5) **Tearfund:** https://www.tearfund.org/
- 6) Bible Society https://www.biblesociety.org.uk/
 Can you Help with Baby Jammers?

We are looking for people (from both churches) who might be able to help with refreshments and welcome. It is for a couple of hours on a Friday Morning if you might be able to help please speak to Janet Flavel on 07551565022 or Sally-Ann who will be able to give you further information.

All volunteers will need to go through our safer recruitment process and will need a DBS for this role



YOU ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US AT OUR MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

Place: Weddington Church Hall,

Church Lane, Weddington

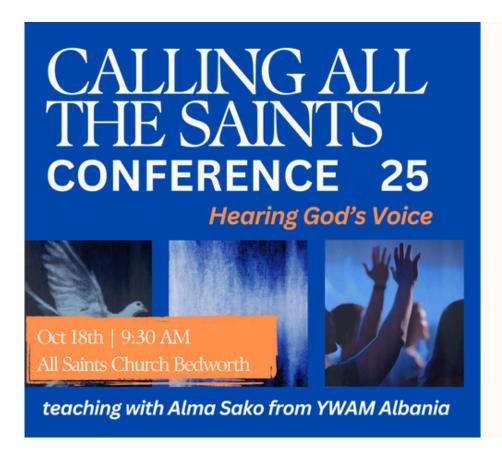
Date: Tuesday 30thSeptember

Time: 10.00 am - 12.00 pm

Entry: £1.50 to include a drink & cake

There will be stalls, games and a raffle





Sign Up Here

scan the QR Code to sign up and get you ticket



or access the link https://bedworthparish.churchsuite. com/events/8pzwccjy

Basic Foundation Skills in Reconciliation

20th October 2025 7-9pm £5.00

(Contact St Nicolas Office for a free place on this course)

What is it?

Interactive session about reconciliation looking at both theories and practices that can impact us and our communities. This session will be led by Emma Griffiths (Head of Reconciliation and Education at Coventry Cathedral).

Who is it for?

This event is open to both lay and ordained people.

This is a core training session for those on the Reconciliation Pathway.

Venue: St Nicolas Church, Vicarage Street, Nuneaton, CV11 4AZ

Led by Emma Griffiths

If you have any questions, please contact <u>Pathways@Coventry.Anglican.org</u>

To book use the link below:

https://www.equiphub.org.uk/courses-events-and-resources/basic-foundationskills-in-reconciliation/

Members of St Nics and St James congregation can register for the training session on the Equip Hub website for free using the following code - F3P6A8QF.

<u>Keep the</u> <u>Date:</u>

St Nicolas Festival 2025:

Saturday 29th November 2025 2-5pm

Please consider if you would be able to assist with this in some way. Please speak to Catherine Robbins, Elaine Newborough or Chris Routledge for more information





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Dates for your Diary

28th - 5th Oct Generosity Week: Considering our giving

30th Sep Coffee Pot Macmillan Coffee Morning (St James Hall)

2nd Oct Alpha Starts 7.30 (St Nics)

18th Oct Harvest Supper and Barn Dance 6.30pm

19th Oct 10am Harvest (St James)

19th Oct 3pm Messy Church (St James Hall)

26th Oct 10am Harvest (St Nicolas)

9th Nov Remembrance Sunday

16th Nov Safeguarding Sunday (St Nics)

23rd Nov Safeguarding Sunday (St James)

29th Nov St Nicolas Festival 2-5pm

30th Nov Advent Sunday (Joint Service at St Nicolas)