



**THE PARISH OF
ST JAMES,
CHRISTLETON**

Church Diary

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THE PARISH IS: CHRISTLETON, COTTON ABBOTTS, COTTON EDMUNDS, LITTLETON & ROWTON

St James' Church is normally open between about 10am and 5pm. If you find it closed and wish to enter then speak to John Milton (Verger), Tina Lightfoot or Bettie Gilliatt (Churchwardens) or Rev'd Elizabeth Inall (one of our clergy who assists).

This diary will be regularly updated on behalf of the PCC and will be subject to change and corrections.

If you spot errors or require that more information is included, then please speak to or email the Churchwardens, the Parish Administrator or me. If accurate information is particularly important to you then you are advised to independently verify details as needed. We hope you find the diary useful. (Brian Inall)

GDPR: St James' Church has published a Privacy Notice regarding Data Protection. It can be found on the "Church Notices and Diary" page of the Christleton website, and a printed copy is displayed in the church porch.

The latest **Good News** is that a new Rector has been appointed for this parish and **Rev'd Dr Stefan Collier** will be licensed here at 7.30pm Thursday 13th September. More information in due course. Keep Stefan and his family in your prayers as they prepare to move. He leaves Esher Parish in Surrey, so also remember the people of that parish in your prayers as they prepare for a vacancy.

Day / Date / Festival	Service, Meeting or Event. (In St James' Church unless shown otherwise.)
Wednesday 11/7/18	10.45am: Holy Communion (BCP). Refreshments in church.
Saturday 14/7/18	10.30am: Churchyard working party. Come along and help us tidy around the graves. A soup & bread lunch with drinks will be served. (Next working party is 18th August) 2.00pm: Christleton Village Show in the Parish Hall. Entries to be delivered during the morning or on previous day. See Show publicity for details.
Sunday 15/7/18 7th after Trinity (3rd Sunday in month)	8.00am: Holy Communion. 10.45am: Holy Communion - with prayers for healing. Refreshments afterwards in Parish Hall. 2.30 - 4.30pm: Churches Together Summer Teas at Methodist Church. 4.00pm: Messy Church in Parish Hall followed by: 5.00pm: Messy Church Worship in Parish Hall. All invited. 6.00pm: The Crew Youth Group in the Parish Hall. <i>NOTE: Because of World Cup football this afternoon the above may be changed. See notices for latest info, or ask a Churchwarden.</i> 6.30pm: No service. Please come to the hall at 5.00pm instead. (See above note)
Monday 16/7/18	12 noon for 12.30pm: Luncheon Club In Parish Hall.
Wednesday 18/7/18	10.45am: Holy Communion (BCP). Refreshments in church.
Friday 20/7/18	5.00pm: Fund raising BBQ at Bettie's in Littleton. For Parish Hall Refurbishment Fund. Food & welcome drink provided but bring your own extra drinks. Games. Raffle. Tickets £12.50 each (£6 children, £30 family) from Christine Abrams or PCC members.
Sunday 22/7/18 8th after Trinity. Mary Magdalene (4th Sunday in month)	8.00am: Holy Communion. 10.45am: Morning Worship with Baptism. Refreshments afterwards in Parish Hall. 2.30 - 4.30pm: Churches Together Summer Teas at Methodist Church. 6.30pm: Holy Communion.
Wednesday 25/7/18	10.45am: Holy Communion (BCP). Refreshments in church.

Sunday 29/7/18 9th after Trinity (5th Sunday in month)	8.00am: Holy Communion. 10.45am: Holy Communion Refreshments afterwards in Parish Hall. 2.30 - 4.30pm: Churches Together Summer Teas at Methodist Church. 6.30pm: Taizé style service.
Monday 30/7/18	7.30pm: PCC Meeting.
Wednesday 1/8/18	10.45am: United Holy Communion. (CW or Methodist liturgy.) Refreshments in church.
Friday 3/8/18	1.00pm: Wedding of Louise and Andrew
Saturday 4/8/18	12.30pm: Wedding of Joanne & Oliver
Sunday 5/8/18 10th after Trinity (1st Sunday in month)	8.00am: Holy Communion. Followed by 'Breakfast@8' in Parish Hall. All invited. 10.45am: Holy Communion. Refreshments afterwards in Parish Hall. 2.30 - 4.30pm: Churches Together Summer Teas at Methodist Church. 6.30pm: Evening Prayer.
Wednesday 8/8/18	10.45am: Holy Communion (BCP). Refreshments in church.
Sunday 12/8/18 11th after Trinity (2nd Sunday in month)	8.00am: Holy Communion. 10.45am: Morning Worship. Refreshments afterwards. 2.30 - 4.30pm: Churches Together Summer Teas at Methodist Church. 6.30pm: Holy Communion.
Monday 13/8/18	1.45pm: Mothers' Union meeting in the Parish Hall.
Wednesday 15/8/18	10.45am: Holy Communion (BCP). Refreshments in church.
Friday 17/8/18	12.30pm: Wedding of Joanne and Matthew
Saturday 18/8/18	10.30am: Churchyard working party. Come along and help us tidy around the graves. A soup & bread lunch with drinks will be served.
Sunday 19/8/18 12th after Trinity (3rd Sunday in month)	8.00am: Holy Communion. 10.45am: Holy Communion. Refreshments afterwards in Parish Hall. 2.30 - 4.30pm: Churches Together Summer Teas at Methodist Church. 6.30pm: Evening Prayer.
Monday 20/8/18	12 noon for 12.30pm: Luncheon Club In Parish Hall.
Wednesday 22/8/18	10.45am: Holy Communion (BCP). Refreshments in church.
Sunday 26/8/18 13th after Trinity (4th Sunday in month)	8.00am: Holy Communion. 10.45am: Morning Prayer. Refreshments afterwards in Parish Hall. 2.30 - 4.30pm: Churches Together Summer Teas at Methodist Church. 6.30pm: Holy Communion.
Wednesday 29/8/18	10.45am: Holy Communion (BCP). Refreshments in church.
Sunday 2/9/18 14th after Trinity (1st Sunday in month)	8.00am: Holy Communion. Followed by 'Breakfast@8' in Parish Hall. All invited. 10.45am: Holy Communion. Refreshments afterwards in Parish Hall. 2.30 - 4.30pm: Churches Together Summer Teas at Methodist Church. 6.30pm: Evening Prayer.
Wednesday 5/9/18	10.45am: United Holy Communion. (CW or Methodist liturgy.) Refreshments in church.

Saturday 8/9/18	10am - 4pm: Ride & Stride. Historic Churches fundraising with church visits by bike or on foot. Anyone can enter and get sponsors. Half of the money raised goes to St James. See publicity for details.
Sunday 9/9/18 15th after Trinity (2nd Sunday in month)	8.00am: Holy Communion. 10.45am: Morning Worship. Refreshments afterwards. 2.30 - 4.30pm: Churches Together Summer Teas at Methodist Church. 6.30pm: Holy Communion.
Monday 10/9/18	1.45pm: Mothers' Union meeting in the Parish Hall.
Wednesday 12/9/18	10.45am: Holy Communion (BCP). Refreshments in church.
Thursday 13/9/18	7.30pm: Licensing service in St James for Rev'd Dr Stefan Collier, our new Rector. We welcome Stefan and his family as they begin their ministry with us. All welcome to the service and the refreshments that will no doubt follow - more details to come.
Sunday 16/9/18 16th after Trinity (3rd Sunday in month)	8.00am: Holy Communion. 10.45am: Holy Communion. Refreshments afterwards in Parish Hall. 2.30 - 4.30pm: Churches Together Summer Teas at Methodist Church. 4.00pm: Messy Church in Parish Hall followed by: 5.00pm: Messy Church Worship in Parish Hall. All invited. 6.00pm: The Crew Youth Group in the Parish Hall. 6.30pm: No service. Please come to the hall at 5.00pm instead.
Monday 17/9/18	12 noon for 12.30pm: Luncheon Club In Parish Hall.
Wednesday 19/9/18	10.45am: Holy Communion (BCP). Refreshments in church.
Sunday 23/9/18 17th after Trinity (4th Sunday in month)	8.00am: Holy Communion. 10.45am: Morning Prayer. Refreshments afterwards in Parish Hall. 2.30 - 4.30pm: Churches Together Summer Teas at Methodist Church. 6.30pm: Holy Communion.
Wednesday 26/9/18	10.45am: Holy Communion (BCP). Refreshments in church.
Sunday 30/9/18 18th after Trinity (5th Sunday in month)	8.00am: Holy Communion. 10.45am: Holy Communion. Refreshments afterwards in Parish Hall. 2.30 - 4.30pm: Churches Together Summer Teas at Methodist Church. Last this year. 6.30pm: 5th Sunday Evening Service (service type to be advised).
Wednesday 3/10/18	10.45am: United Holy Communion. (CW or Methodist liturgy.) Refreshments in church.
Sunday 7/10/18 19th after Trinity (1st Sunday in month)	8.00am: Holy Communion. Followed by 'Breakfast@8' in Parish Hall. All invited. 10.45am: Holy Communion. Refreshments afterwards in Parish Hall. 6.30pm: Evening Prayer.
Monday 8/10/18	1.45pm: Mothers' Union meeting in the Parish Hall.
Wednesday 10/10/18	10.45am: Holy Communion (BCP). Refreshments in church.

<p>Sunday 14/10/18 20th after Trinity Harvest Festival (2nd Sunday in month)</p>	<p>8.00am: Holy Communion.</p> <p>10.45am: Harvest Festival Service.</p> <p>Followed by: Fundraising Apple Pressing, refreshments and BBQ afterwards with children's activities.(Bring your apples and for a donation to St James we will press your apples into juice. Please bring a container for the juice.) To be held on the grass in front of the church.</p> <p>6.30pm: Holy Communion.</p>
Monday 15/10/18	12 noon for 12.30pm: Luncheon Club In Parish Hall.
Wednesday 17/10/18	10.45am: Holy Communion (BCP). Refreshments in church.
<p>Sunday 21/10/18 21st after Trinity (3rd Sunday in month)</p>	<p>8.00am: Holy Communion.</p> <p>10.45am: Holy Communion. Refreshments afterwards in Parish Hall.</p> <p>4.00pm: Messy Church in Parish Hall followed by: 5.00pm: Messy Church Worship in Parish Hall. All invited. 6.00pm: The Crew Youth Group in the Parish Hall.</p> <p>6.30pm: No service. Please come to the hall at 5.00pm instead.</p>
Monday 22/10/18	10.30am: Fundraising Chicago Bridge Drive event with Christleton's Deva Bridge Club. Tickets available for players wishing to join in. Lunch and refreshments included. More details from the club or from Christine Abrams. Raising funds for the Parish Hall.
Wednesday 24/10/18	10.45am: Holy Communion (BCP). Refreshments in church.
<p>Sunday 28/10/18 22nd after Trinity (4th Sunday in month)</p>	<p>8.00am: Holy Communion.</p> <p>10.45am: Morning Prayer. Refreshments afterwards in Parish Hall.</p> <p>6.30pm: Holy Communion.</p>
Wednesday 31/10/18	10.45am: Holy Communion (BCP). Refreshments in church.
Further details:	<p>Tues 6th November: Coffee Morning. Bring Christmas ingredients so produce can be made to sell on 1st December. More details to come.</p> <p>Saturday 10th November: Remembrance Concert at Christleton High School.</p> <p>Sunday 11th November: Remembrance Sunday.</p> <p>Sat 1st December: Christmas Wreath and Decoration making day with Angela Haswell. Instruction & demonstrations in the morning, followed by lunch and an open sale of wreaths, decorations and Christmas produce in the afternoon. More details to come.</p>
Regular items:	<p>'Breakfast@8': on 1st Sundays in the month (at approx 8.40am after the 8am service), and other special times. Open to all. Parish Hall.</p> <p>Luncheon Club: 12.30pm on 3rd Monday each month in the Parish Hall.</p> <p>Messy Church 4pm on 3rd Sundays in the Parish Hall. Not in school holidays.</p> <p>Crew usually at 6pm on 3rd Sunday in month in the Parish Hall. Not in school holidays.</p> <p>Mothers' Union 1.45pm on 2nd Monday in month in the Parish Hall.</p>
<p>'BCP' services (Book of Common Prayer) use older traditional language. Other services are generally 'CW' (Common Worship) using modern language unless otherwise stated. 'United' services are where Churches Together in Christleton congregations worship together.</p>	