

**ST JAMES' METHODIST & UNITED REFORMED CHURCH  
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Peter's day off is Friday, messages and emails left on Fridays will not be received by him until Saturday.



**Weekly Notices 28<sup>th</sup> June – 5<sup>th</sup> July 2026**

**This Week's Collect:**

Lord of heaven and earth, you sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and power of your Church. Sow in our hearts the seeds of your grace that we may bear the fruit of the Spirit, in love and joy and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

**This week's Worship:**

**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June 10.30am** - Andrew Gillespie (Bible month 4)

**This week's readings:**

Philippians 4, 2-9

Philippians 4, 10-19

Philippians 4, 20-23

**Forthcoming services at St James':**

**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June 10.30am** - Andrew Gillespie (Bible month 4)

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July 10.30am** – Paul Holt

**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> July 10.30am** – Rev Peter Hughes, Holy Communion, All age worship

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> July 10.30am** – Rev John Lansley

**Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> July 10.30am** – Local arrangement

**Forthcoming events:**

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 9.30am – 11.30am:** Morning Coffee

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July 7.30pm:** Wednesday Fellowship Group (Margaret Dee's house)

**WORSHIPPING BY PHONE:**

**IF YOU CANNOT COME TO WORSHIP AT ST JAMES IN PERSON WHY NOT  
LISTEN IN**

**The dial in instructions are as follows:**

Between 2.20pm for 2.30pm on Sunday:

1. From your normal "landline" telephone: Dial: 0333-016-0300

2. You will then be asked for your Room number:

Enter 86 10 75 55 followed by the # key

Then when asked, enter the PIN: 2544 followed by the # key

You will then be directly entered into the pre-service "worship chat".

Please say your name so people know you have joined.

**This Sunday the host is Graham Martin, Speaker: Andy Gillespie,**

**Reading: Kate and Jamie: Genesis 1, 9-11 and 20-25 and Matthew 6, 28 and 29,**

**Prayers: Pam Bellis**

### **Praying for the Growth of our Church**

*God of mission, who alone brings growth to your church,  
send your Holy Spirit to give vision to our planning,  
wisdom to our actions, joy to our worship, and power to our witness.  
Help our church to grow in numbers,  
in spiritual commitment to you, and in service to our local community,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
AMEN*

### **JMA boxes**

Hi folks! It's that time of year again! We are nearing the end of the financial year, so if you have a JMA box would you please give it to me for emptying or if you would like to make a donation for JMA and the work of overseas missions, please let me have your donation.

Many thanks for your continued support  
Pam Bellis

### **Benevolent Fund**

The collection for Methodist Homes last Sunday raised £250.

### **Walk for UNICEF**

Jane Laverty, friends and work colleagues are walking 30 miles, from Woolton to Southport Pier on **July 13th**. To walk the 30 miles is challenging, if anyone would like to join for all or part of the walk, they are more than welcome.

All money raised will be for UNICEF, who support children in crisis all over the world. There will be a sponsor form in Church and Just Giving page if anyone would like to donate.

[https://www.justgiving.com/page/jane-laverty-4?utm\\_medium=FR&utm\\_source=EM](https://www.justgiving.com/page/jane-laverty-4?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=EM)

Thanks, Jane

### **Church Flowers**

If you would like to donate money for flowers on a particular Sunday - perhaps in memory of a loved one or in celebration of a happy event - please speak to Jonquil Dickson who can add you to the calendar for the months ahead. Also, if you would simply like to donate for flowers so that we can make sure all Sundays are covered, please speak to Jonquil. At present, we have many dates available. We have a box at the back of church for any donations or small change. All donations are gratefully received.

### **Saturday coffee morning**

On the **8th August**, the coffee morning will be held in the church hall.  
Coffee, light lunches strawberry scones and cream, homemade cakes.  
Raffle 10.00 until 1.30

### **Prayers**

Please keep in our prayers this week all those who are in poor health, either in hospital or at home, and their family and friends and those caring for others.

We also pray for everyone in our Church family who are unable to attend church.

Please pray for those known to us who are in need of our prayers this week.

### **Prayers for Pride Month**

Loving God, we thank you for the richness of Diversity which you have created. As we go through the month of June when the LGBTQ+ community celebrate Pride, we ask of you: Teach us the real meaning of "All are welcome" where all are fully and richly included in every aspect of our Christian lives.

### **Next weeks' notice sheet**

You can download all notices [from our website](#).

Anything you wish to be included in the weekly notices, please email by Thursday evening to:

[St.James.notices@gmail.com](mailto:St.James.notices@gmail.com)