

**ST JAMES' METHODIST & UNITED REFORMED CHURCH
WOOLTON L25 7RJ**

Web address: <http://stjameswoolton.org>



Weekly Notices 23rd August – 6th September 2026

This Week's Collect:

Holy God, you liberate the oppressed and make a way of salvation. Unite us with all who cry for justice, and lead us together into freedom; through our Lord and Liberator, Jesus Christ.
Amen.

This week's Worship:

Sunday 23rd August 10.30am – Chris Annells

This week's readings:

Exodus 1:8–2:10
Matthew 16.13-20

Forthcoming services at St James':

Sunday 30th August

On Sunday 30th August our Sunday worship will be a joint service taking place at Garston Park Church at 10:45 am. It would be wonderful if as many of our regular congregation as possible could attend. Andrew Gillespie will be leading the service.

**PLEASE NOTE: ST JAMES' WILL BE CLOSED THAT DAY.
THERE WILL BE NO WEEKLY NOTICE SHEET THAT WEEK.**

Sunday 6th September 10.30am: Andrew Gillespie

Sunday 13th September 10.30am: Marrissa Thorpe, All age worship

Forthcoming events:

Thursday 27th August & 3rd September 9.30am – 11.30am: Morning Coffee

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: Chris Bolton,
Reading: Jamie Cook (Matthew 16:13-20), Prayers: Liz Hudson**

Praying for the Growth of our Church

Lord Jesus, We thank you for the signs of growth in our Church.

We rejoice in welcoming those who join us for the first time.

Thank you for those who are exploring commitment.

Thank you for those times when we grow in our own understanding and commitment to you.

We celebrate the ways in which, as individuals and a Church, we are able to serve others.

We ask you to fill us again with your Spirit and to encourage us in our mission.

In the name of Jesus, Amen

Request from an accommodation unit we support

We are looking for donation of a double bed

If anyone has one they are considering letting go!

Please contact Wendy on 07867795179

Lost Property

'Following the United Circuit Service at St James on August 9th someone left a lightweight blue cardigan under a chair in church, quite near the back on the right hand side. If anyone can identify it we will try to return it.

Please contact 07866213330

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.

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.

Next weeks' notice sheet (6th September)

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