



**Welcome to  
Shirley Parish  
Christ the King, St James the Great and St John the Divine**

**This week: 16<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2022**  
Trinity 18

Sun 16 <sup>th</sup>	8am Eucharist (St James) 9am Morning Worship (St John's) 10.30am Eucharist (St James & Youtube) 12.30pm Baptism (St James) 12:30pm Sunday Lunch Club (Church House)
Tues 18 <sup>th</sup>	10am Welcome Café (Church House) 7.30pm Friends of St James committee meeting (Church House)
Weds 19 <sup>th</sup>	12pm Ploughmans Lunch (Church House)
Thurs 20 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am Eucharist (St James) 12noon Funeral (St James)
Fri 21 <sup>st</sup>	10am Jimmy Tots (Church House)
Sat 22 <sup>nd</sup>	9am Parish Prayers (Zoom)
Sun 23 <sup>rd</sup>	9am Eucharist (St John's) 10.30am Morning Worship (St James & Youtube) 10.30am Morning Worship (Christ the King) 12.30pm Baptism (St James)

You can find the videos for the services on the Shirley Parish YouTube channel  
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCpcB9321NJzEHS1K9LU-kAg>

**Coming up.....**

**Mothers Union meeting on Wednesday November 2nd.** Our own Jan Dalton will lead us in another of her lovely Craft Sessions, this time with a Christmas theme. The meeting will be in Church House starting at 2.00 pm. EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO OUR MEETINGS.

**Parish Notices**

**Some changes to our Service Pattern**

The PCC has decided to make a few changes to the service pattern across the Parish. This will ensure that there are never two Sunday mornings in succession when there is no service at either St John's or Christ the King.

The revised pattern is below:

	1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday
St James 8am		HC		HC	HC
St James 10:30	Parish HC	MW	HC	MW	HC
St Johns 9am		HC	MW	HC	MW
St Johns 3:30 /6	Reflective				Forest
CTK 10:30		HC	MW	HC	MW

The changes are highlighted.

(HC – Holy Communion; MW – Morning Worship)

The main differences are that the 8am service moves to 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays, and that apart from the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday there is always a morning service at St John’s and Christ the King.

This will begin from the last Sunday in October – October 30<sup>th</sup>.

**THANK YOU.** A big thank you to everyone who supported the Friends of St. James Coffee Morning. Thank you to all who provided items to sell, to all who supported us on the day and to those who helped clear up. The amount raised was just over £448. Please note we are still collecting books which can be left at the Parish Office.

**100 Club Winners** - £50 Lorna Bevins - £25 David Price

**Magazine Distributors** – Parish Magazines will now be available to/delivered to distributors from 25<sup>th</sup> of each month. There will also be copies available in church.

**Safeguarding** - As you all know we are a parish that takes safeguarding very seriously. Everyone who comes to our churches deserves to feel included and very importantly, safe. We want you to know that if anything is concerning you, please talk to Sue Harries, safeguarding coordinator, or Paul Day, vicar. We must all look after one another.

**Help with Ukrainian Refugees’ English** – Could you spare some time to help refugees practise their English? No experience required – please contact Margaret Hill on [mrsheem@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:mrsheem@tiscali.co.uk) if you are able to help.

**Troop Aid** is a local charity which supplies ‘grab bags’ with basic essentials to our injured troops at home and abroad. They require clothing, men’s, women’s (including bras) and children’s to sell on to help with funding. Please contact Margaret Kew on 0121 682 0957.

**Food bank – Demand for food banks is still increasing.** During Harvest, we most urgently need tinned fruit and veg as well as tinned meat and fish as well as hearty soups. All other non-perishable food welcome **including** baked beans and pasta. Thank you

**For Prayer – Nursing Homes: residents**

**The departed and those who mourn them – Joyce Wainwright**

**Years Mind:** Herbert Joyce, Dennis Cheshire, Florence Coombe, David Hunt, Dennis Gessey

**Keeping in touch....**

**Next week's Pewslip**

**CONCISE** items (max 3 sentences) to Parish Office by 9am on Wednesday please.

Longer articles to [shirleyparishmagazine@gmail.com](mailto:shirleyparishmagazine@gmail.com) by 12<sup>th</sup> of the month.

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