Parish diary...



St James & Emmanuel, Didsbury

August 2025

We are made in the image of God



"I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made."

Psalm 139v14

Day	Date	Diary: August 2025				
Fri	1	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Sat	2					
Sun	3	Sunday - Trinity 7 - Carers' group 12noon, Emm vestry				
Mon	4	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Tue	5	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
		8pm Monthly Parish Prayer meeting (on Zoom)				
Wed	6	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Thu	7	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
		7.30pm Contemplative Prayer group (St James)				
Fri	8	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Sat	9					
Sun	10	Sunday – Trinity 8				
Mon	11	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Tue	12	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
		Holiday Club (Tues-Thurs - booking required for any day)				
		7.30pm Deaf BSL Monthly Service (Parish Centre)				
Wed	13	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
		Holiday Club				
Thu	14	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
		Holiday Club with Communion (Lower Hall, Parish Centre)				
Fri	15	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Sat	16					
Sun	17	Sunday - Trinity 9				
Mon	18	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Tue	19	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Wed	20	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Thu	21	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Fri	22	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Sat	23	6.30pm - Game On (Parish Centre, Upper Hall)				
Sun	24	Sunday - Trinity 10				
Mon	25	Bank Holiday Monday				
Tue	26	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Wed	27	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Thur	28	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Fri	29	9.00am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)				
Sat	30	Didsbury Pride (noon – 9pm, Emmanuel grounds)				
Sun	31	31 Sunday – Trinity 11 – Katrin's final service				

Parish Registers – June 2025 Baptisms

1 June Noorsa and Noyan Mashhon Emm 12.30 8 June Adult Baptism Emm 10.30

Amirhossein, Bahman, Farshad, Javad, Maria,

Mohammad, Mohammadreza, Mostafa, Saeid, Seyed

8 June Anita & Aryan Inanlou Salehi Emm 12.30 29 June Adult Baptism Emm 12.30

Anisa, Azam, Bahareh, Benjamin, Dorsa, Effat, Eisa, Erfan, Gholamreza, Kazem, Mahdi, Majid,

Marai, Mojgan, Ofogh, Parham, Reza, Saba, Sajad, Satiar.

Weddings

Mon 9 June Maria F SIAR & Javad MIRGHALAMI Emm



Rivers of the Bible – joint summer services at St James 11am

DATE	RIVER	READING
July 27 (HC)	Nile	Exodus 2: 1-10 - Moses in a basket
August 3 (SOTW)	Jordan 1	Joshua 3: 12-17 - Israel crossing into the promised land
August 10 (HC)	Wadi Cherith	1 Kings 17: 1-7 - Elijah in the drought
August 17 (SOTW)	Tigris & Euphrates	Psalm 137: 1-6 - By the rivers of Babylon
August 24 (HC)	Jordan 2	Mark 1v4-11 - Baptism of Jesus
August 31 (SOTW)	River of life	Revelation 22: 1-5 - River of the water of life

Sunday Services

Date	Time	Venue	Services – August 2025				
3 August			Readings: (Col 3v1-11; Lk 12v13-21)				
Trinity 7	9am	St J	Prayer Book Holy Communion				
-	11am	St J	United All Age Morning Worship *				
	12.30pm	Farsi (Emm)	Farsi Worship				
	6.15pm	Parish Centre	Evening Gathering for Worship-				
10 August			Readings: (Hebrews 11v1-3, 8-16; Lk 12v32-40)				
Trinity 8	9am	St J	Prayer Book Communion				
	11am	St J	United All Age Holy Communion *				
	12.30pm	Farsi (Emm)	Farsi Worship				
	6.15pm	Emm	Evening Gathering for Worship				
17 August			Readings: (Heb 11v29- 12v2; Lk 12v49-56)				
Trinity 9	9am	St J	Prayer Book Communion				
	11 am	St J	United All Age Morning Prayer *				
	12.30pm	Farsi (Emm)	Farsi Worship				
	6.15pm	Emm	Evening Gathering for Worship				
24 August			Readings: (Col 2v6-15; Lk 11v1-13)				
Trinity 10	9am	St J	Prayer Book Communion				
	11am	St J	United All Age Holy Communion *				
	12.30pm	Emm	Farsi Worship				
		Cathedral	Pride Service				
31 August			Readings: (Col 1v15-28; Lk 10v38-42)				
Trinity 11	9am	St J	Prayer Book Communion				
	10.30 am	St J	United All Age Morning Prayer *				
	12.30pm	Farsi (Emm)	Farsi Worship – Katrin's Final Service				
	6.15pm	Emm	Evening Gathering for Worship				
	End of Summer Service Pattern						
7 September			Readings: (Deut 30v15-20; Lk 14v25-33)				
Trinity 12	9am	St J	Choral Prayer Book Holy Communion				
	10.30	Emm	All Age Holy Communion				
	11am	St J	Holy Baptism				
	12.30pm	Farsi (Emm)	Farsi Worship				
	6.15pm	Emm	Evening Worship-				

* Readings for 11am joint services at St James are about Rivers of the Bible (see table on previous page)

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