



WARBLINGTON
with EMSWORTH



Sunday 21st June 2026

The Third Sunday after Trinity

New Today? Welcome!

We would be delighted to keep in touch. Please fill in a Welcome card (from sides people) or contact our Parish Office to be added to our email list.

Our vision:

To see our lives and community transformed and renewed by encountering God and responding to His love in Jesus

Readings	Colossians 3:12-4:1 (p199); John 1:1-14 (p88)
8am St James	Holy Communion - Bible Sunday: Revd Andrew Sheard and Revd Clive Main
10am St James	Holy Communion with Pre-School Group in the Parish Office & Youth & Children's groups in the Community Centre – Bible Sunday: Revd Lizzie Davidson and Revd Clive Main Hymns: 427, Speak, O Lord (screen), 532, 560, 362
10am Parish Hall	Breakfast Church with Pre-School Group in the Parish Office & Youth & Children's groups in the Community Centre – Bible Sunday: Revd Bruce Watson and Revd Andrew Sheard
11am St Thomas à Becket	Holy Communion followed by refreshments: Revd Julie Price Readings: Romans 6:1b-11 (p152); Matthew 10:24-39 (p10) Hymns: 420, 76, 318, 445, 361
5pm Parish Hall	All-in@5 – Bible Sunday: Revd Bruce Watson and Revd Andrew Sheard
6.30pm St Thomas à Becket	Evensong: Revd Lizzie Davidson and Myra Wilkinson Readings: 1 Samuel 24:1-17 (p276); Luke 14:12-24 (p74) Hymns: 475, Psalm 121 (chant Walford Davies), Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, 434, 404, 244



THIS WEEK

Monday to Saturday 9:00-9:30am morning prayers on Zoom		
Mon 22 nd	12:30-2pm 7:30pm	Anna Café Church – Parish Hall Men’s Firepit – St James Garden
Tue 23 rd	10am 11am 12pm 7:30pm	Babies, Biscuits, and Banter – Parish Office Anna Chaplains visiting Prinsted Care Home Tuesdays@12 Prayers – Parish Office Holiday Club Training – Parish Office
Wed 24 th	10am 3:20-4:20pm	Holy Communion - St James Teas in the Park – Emsworth Park, Horndean Road
Thurs 25 th	9:30-11am 12:30pm	The Ark Toddler Group – Parish Hall Funeral – St James
Fri 26 th	11am	Anna Chaplains visiting White Lodge Care Home

Sunday 28th June 2026

The Fourth Sunday after Trinity

Readings	Romans 6:12-end (p152); Matthew 10:40-end (p10)
8am St Thomas à Becket	Holy Communion: Revd Lizzie Davidson and Revd Bruce Watson
10am St James	Holy Communion with Youth Group and Bible2GO in the Parish Hall: Revd Andrew Sheard and Revd Bruce Watson
11am St Thomas à Becket	Matins – Bible Sunday: Revd Julie Price and Revd Clive Main
4pm St James Garden	Wild Church: Revd Bruce Watson and Jacqui Watson
6:30pm Emsworth Methodist Church	Reflective Service:
ChurchSuite	Missed the St James 10.00 Service talk – or perhaps want to hear it again? It is available on My ChurchSuite – click on the menu item St James Talks.

PARISH NEWS

Anna Café Church Monday 22nd June at 12:30pm in the Parish Hall: All are welcome to join us for this short service followed by a simple lunch. It is especially suitable for those who maybe older or more frail.

We are sad to report that **Pat Wilson** has passed away. More details to follow and please keep her family in your prayers.

1.	<p>The Funeral for the late Derek Weedon will be on Thursday 25th June at 12.30 pm in St James, Emsworth. All are welcome to attend.</p> <p>The funeral for the late Gwen Devoil will be on Monday 6th July at 12pm in St James Church, Emsworth.</p> <p>The funeral for the late Patricia Claxton will be on Tuesday 14th July at 10:45am at The Oaks Crematorium, Havant. Please pray for their families.</p>
2.	<p>Wednesday Morning Communion: Don't forget this midweek reflective Communion Service. A place to come and quietly engage with God.</p>
3.	<p>Men's Breakfast 8am Saturday 27th June in The Woolpack PO19 3JJ £10 (cash payable on the day): All are welcome to join us at our breakfast to hear Professor Andrew Tomkins speak about his medical work especially in less developed countries. You need to book your place please use the link https://immanuelchichester.com/community/mens-breakfast/</p>
4.	<p>A Service followed by a Bring and Share Lunch to celebrate our patronal festival will be held in St Thomas a Becket Church on Wednesday 8th July. Holy Communion at 11 am and lunch circa 12 (noon). Everybody is welcome to either or both events. If you have any queries about the lunch, please contact Liv Dykes.</p>
5.	<p>Refugee Tales Event Saturday 11th July 7pm in St James Church tickets start from £5 concession and adult £12. There will be readings from prominent writers and our lived experience community as well as music from Pollito Boogaloo. All are welcome to attend this lively event hosted by the Gatwick Detainees Welfare Group. Tickets available at https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/evening-with-refugee-tales-emsworth-tickets-1986068693927?aff=erellivmlt</p>
6.	<p>Deep Sea Divers Holiday Club St James School August 25th and 26th 10am – 4pm: Have you signed up your primary aged child(ren) to our holiday club, it's £6 per day per child, it will be full of fun, and games. Please see the leaflet in church for the QR code to sign up today or speak to Jacqui Watson for more information.</p>
7.	<p>Teas in The Park Wednesday after school 3-4:30pm We need HELP! Volunteers to set up and serve needed and also additional cakes needed to feed the hoards!! Please sign-up or speak to Revd Bruce Watson. Many thanks.</p>
8.	<p>Drivers needed: Some members of St James who are now less mobile, would appreciate lifts to the 10 o'clock service. We would like to increase the small number of volunteer drivers to help once a month or on an occasional basis. Basic safeguarding training is required, available online, or on 13th June in person. Please contact Janet Boaz for further details. Thank you</p>
9.	<p>Food Banks - do not forget our commitment to the foodbanks: We have been able to keep a steady flow of donations going, but the flow is diminishing and the need is increasing. Our local (OneChurch) bank is now preparing 80 food parcels a week. See the drop off point at St James for suggestions. More info please contact Bee.</p>
10.	<p>Moving on Project in Portsmouth need the following donations cereal bowls, glasses such as water or squash (no wine glasses), and plastic carrier bags. Please contact Revd Caroline Brown for more information or give your donations. Many thanks.</p>

11.	There is an exciting opportunity for someone to join the team at Hope into Action Portsmouth as an Empowerment Worker (24 hours per week) . This is ideal for a Christian looking to exercise their faith in a challenging yet rewarding role, empowering churches to end homelessness. The application pack and application form is now up on their website, or you can use the link below https://www.hopeintoaction.org.uk/empowerment-worker-portsmouth
12.	Victims and survivors of abuse - Please remember that there is support for anyone who has been affected by abuse in any way, both inside and outside the Church setting. If you would like help, please ask one of the clergy or the safeguarding team who are all available to support you. There is a specific support organisation for victims of abuse within a Church setting to be found at https://www.safespacesenglandandwales.org.uk Details of other organisations can be found at the bottom of the safeguarding page of the parish website. https://www.warblingtonwithemsworth.org/safeguarding/

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