

Parish Priest: Fr Christopher Heaps



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3rd & 10th August 2025

18th & 19th Sundays Ordinary Time



St James & St William
of York, Reading



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WELCOME

Thank you for being part of our parish community, bringing people closer to Jesus Christ in worship, prayer and action.

Mass Celebrants

2nd & 3rd August

Fr Brendan: 6pm (Sat)

Fr Chris: 9am St William of York

& 11am

Fr David: 12.30pm



9th & 10th August

Fr Chris: 6pm (Sat)

& 12.30pm

Fr Richard: 9am St William of York

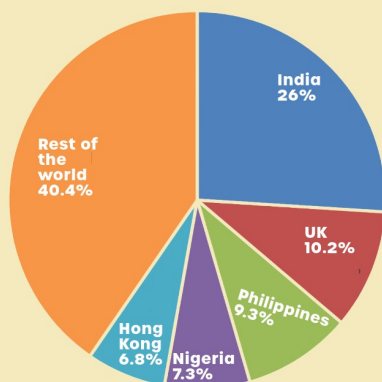
Fr David: 11am



Would you like to read at our Saturday 6pm Vigil Mass once a month? We need new Readers to join the rota. Email the office if you can help.

Our Parish Community

On 8th May at our Pentecost Masses 735 parishioners gave their country of origin. There are 62 different nationalities in our parish.



GETTING MARRIED 2026?

If you attend Mass here and are planning to get married here or elsewhere in 2026, you must complete your

Marriage paperwork in this parish.

Minimum requirement 6 months notice.

Marriage Preparation will begin

after 12.30pm Mass on

Sunday 5th October

To register, book an appointment

with Fr Chris **ASAP.**

Email: office@stjw.co.uk.



FELLOWSHIP SUNDAY 10TH AUGUST

After 11am & 12.30pm Masses

Hosted by our Welcomers.

Join us and stay for refreshments.

(No one available 9am St William of York)



ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Friday 15th August

Please join us for

this Solemnity:

12.30pm Mass

7.30pm Mass

@ St James Church

HELP WANTED

to join our cash counting team. One morning a week, once a month. If you can help contact the office.



Worship



Prayer



Action



MASS & SERVICE TIMES ST JAMES



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| Sat 2nd | 5.00—5.40pm | Confession |
| | 6.00pm Mass (vigil) | Morag Smith intention |
| Sun 3rd Aug | 18TH SUNDAY ORDINARY | |
| | 11.00am Mass | V V George RIP |
| | 12.30pm Mass | Edelmira Yap & Wilfredo Pelagio RIP |
| Mon 4th | 12.30pm Mass | Donor's intention |
| Tue 5th | 12.30pm Mass | Edward Drego RIP |
| Wed 6th | 12.30pm Mass | Donor's intention |
| Thu 7th | 12.30pm Mass | Francisco Serrao RIP |
| Fri 8th | 11.15am | Exposition |
| | 12.30pm Mass | Konnie Wedding anniversary |
| Sat 9th | 5.00—5.40pm | Confession |
| | 6.00pm Mass (vigil) | Romano Almeida B/D int. |
| Sun 10th Aug | 19TH SUNDAY ORDINARY | |
| | 11.00am Mass | Aeshal Mesquita B/D int. |
| | 12.30pm Mass | People of the parish |
| Mon 11th | 12.30pm Mass | Suzanna Intention |
| Tue 12th | 12.30pm Mass | Alton Mesquita B/D int. |
| Wed 13th | 12.30pm Mass | Laura Sabina Da Costa RIP |
| Thu 14th | 12.30pm Mass | Juliet & Crizol Silveira RIP |
| Fri 15th | 11.15am | Exposition |
| ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY | 12.30pm Mass | People of the parish |
| | 7.30pm Mass | Donor's intention |
| Sat 16th | 5.00-5.40pm | Confession |
| | 6.00pm Mass (vigil) | Caridade Correia RIP |
| Sun 17th Aug | 20TH SUNDAY ORDINARY | |
| | 11.00am Mass | Donor's intention |
| | 12.30pm Mass | |
| | ST WILLIAM OF YORK | |
| Sun 3rd Aug | 9.00am Mass | People of the parish |
| Sun 10th Aug | 9.00am Mass | Peter D Fox RIP |
| Sun 17th Aug | 9.00am Mass | People of the parish |



OFFERTORY DONATIONS

You can set up your regular Offertory donation by monthly Standing Order.

Here are our bank details:

A/c name: CDP Reading St James & William of York

Sort code: 30-93-04

Account no: 00885887

If you set up a monthly Standing Order & are a UK tax payer, we can claim Gift Aid on your donations, at no extra cost to you. Please contact the office



Use our DIGITAL COLLECTION PLATE, to make your offertory contribution, or donate on the parish website: [DONATE](#)



MASS INTENTIONS

To book phone or email the office, or use an envelope from the church porch.



Wishing all pupils, students, teachers, staff and families a great summer break!

WALKIES!



Launchpad's doggy-walking fundraiser

Click on the dog to find out more!



Launchpad

Join Launchpad and Reading's dog walkers to raise vital funds this October for people in our town who are at risk of homelessness.

PARISH GROUPS

Our parish groups are taking a summer break and will be back in September:

- Youth Group
- Young Adults
- Gospel Prayer Group
- Good Shepherd Charismatic Prayer Group

New members welcome in all our parish groups - email the office



ReadiFood Reading's Food Bank



Please return your MISSIO red boxes for counting - thank you.

Safeguarding in the parish:

Any concerns, email Ginika on safeguarding.reajw@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk