

ST JAMES PARISH CHURCH, SILSDEN

WEEKLY NEWSHEET

SATURDAY 9 AUGUST 2025

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Readings for the Eighth Sunday of Trinity

Isaiah Chap 1 verses 1 and 10-20

Genesis Chap 15 verses 1-6

or

Psalm 50 verses 1- 8 and 23-24

Psalm 33 verses 12-22

Hebrews Chap 11 verses 1-3, and 8-16

Gospel of Luke Chap 12 verses 32-40

Sunday 10 August 2025

9.30am Parish Communion – led by Rev Simon Phipps (also on YouTube)

(10.20am - 10.55am Tea and Coffee in the St James Church Community Hall)

10.30am Between-services prayer ministry

11am Together @ 11 – Ezekiel and the Valley of Dry Bones
led by the Wednesday Home Group

Between-services prayer ministry

On Sunday 10 August we will be offering individual prayer, between the 9.30am service and the 11am service. The pray-ers on duty each week will be wearing green lanyards.

Services coming up

Sunday 17 August	9.30am – Parish Communion led by Rev Simon Phipps (please note: this service will not be on YouTube) 10.30am Tea and Coffee in the hall 11am – Together @ 11 – Our Stories episode 10
Sunday 24 August	9.30am – Parish Communion led by Rev Pat Smith 10.30am Tea and Coffee in the hall 11am – Together @ 11 – Led by Sunday Home Group

Scargill weekend March 2026

We are now taking formal bookings for next year's Scargill weekend – booking forms are available at the back of church (also reproduced at the end of this newssheet)

The cost is set out on the schedule from Scargill which forms part of the booking form.

Mothers Union

September's meeting of Mothers' Union is on Monday 15th September at 3.45pm and will be an activity led meeting whilst people share what they have done over the summer.

We look forward to seeing you all there.

God bless
Louise

Worship at the Homes

Please come along to help at our regular worship in the homes if you can make it. It's even more important over the summer as some of our regulars will be away. The next dates are as follows:

20 August – The Gables at 2pm

3 September - Summerfield at 2pm

17 September – The Gables at 2pm

Repair Cafe

The next Silsden Repair Cafe is on Saturday 16 August, at the Methodist Church - between 9.30am and noon.

Also Climate Action Silsden hold a refill shop at every Repair Café. They stock Miniml (now based in Silsden!) household and personal care products, (all products are Vegan, Cruelty Free and Paraben Free and contain no synthetic dyes or perfumes).

The liquids available are washing up liquid, laundry detergent, fabric conditioner, multi-surface cleaner, toilet cleaner, floor cleaner, hand soap, bubble bath / shower gel, shampoo and hair conditioner. Please take your empty containers and the refill shop will fill them for you. They are a profit-free organisation and so sell at cost price, just with a small round-up to cover costs of any spills.

Work Day

Please note that there will be no church work day on 16 August.

Bank Account Details

St James' bank account details for direct payments (for Share/general church funds) are:-

Barclays Bank
Silsden Parish Church PCC
Sort Code 20-45-14 Acc No 90871176

PCC Meeting - this Tuesday at 7.30pm

Please pray for next Tuesday's meeting of the St James Church Parochial Church Council – Simon's first!

Regular church events

Friday Pub Social	First and Third Fridays of the month – 7pm to around 9pm	Next one Friday 15 August location to be confirmed
Saturday Social	First Saturday of the month – 2pm until 4pm	Next one Saturday 6 September
Thursday Group	Third Thursday of the month 2pm at Sheila's house	Next one Thursday 21 August
PCC Meetings	Second Tuesday in the month at 7.30pm	Next one Tuesday 12 August
Prayer ministry Between our Sunday morning services	Usually the second Sunday and fourth Sunday of each month	Next one Sunday 10 August
Work Days	Third Saturday of the month – 2pm to 4pm	No work day in August. Next one Saturday 20 September
Saturday Morning Prayers	The day before the Gathering (so always a Saturday!) – 9am	Next one Saturday 6 September

Big Sing - morning of Saturday 6 September 2025

On the morning of Saturday 6 September the three Silsden churches will be meeting together on the Methodist church forecourt to have a Big Sing together of hymns and worship songs, accompanied by the musicians from all the churches. This is a chance to worship and witness together – and let Silsden know the joy of our faith.

Diary for the week ahead

Sat	9 August	
		EIGHTH SUNDAY OF TRINITY
Sun	10 August	9.30am Parish Communion
		10.30am to 10.55am Between –services prayer ministry
		10.20am to 10.55am Tea and Coffee in the Hall
		11am Together@11
Mon	11 August	
Tues	12 August	7.30pm PCC meeting
Weds	13 August	
Thurs	14 August	No Zoom prayers
Fri	15 August	7.15pm Music group practice in the hall
Sat	16 August	
		NINTH SUNDAY OF TRINITY
Sun	17 August	9.30am Parish Communion
		10.20am to 10.55am Tea and Coffee in the Hall
		11am Together@11

Church weekend away at Scargill House, Kettlewell

Friday 6 March to Sunday 8 March 2026

Booking form

Scargill has 8 en-suites that are a mixture of twin and double bed and two twin ground floor accessible en-suites for people with mobility needs. The rest of the rooms (standard) are not en-suite but all have a washbasin.

They have 21 single rooms, 6 twin-bedded rooms, 5 double-bedded rooms
and a triple-bedded room.

(prices on next page)

Please hand completed form to Jayne or Neil.

Thank you

Name	En suite room required?	Dietary requirements?	Any other requirements?



Scargill Movement

Lives shared, lives transformed

Prices for 2026

Standard weekend adult rate with full board is £174.50 (£87.25 per night)

Standard mid-week adult rate with full board is £338.00 (£84.50 per night)

En suite supplement - £11 per person per night including children 5 years of age and over.

(£196.50 for a weekend per an adult & £382.00 for a mid-week programme per an adult)

Day visitor's rates agreed on request

Discounts

Children under 5 are free

Children 5 – 7 years old 70% reduction

Children 8 – 11 years old 50% reduction

Children 12 – 16 years old 30% reduction

Full time students 30% reduction

Single parent families 10% reduction in total cost

Carers 20% reduction in their cost

Scargill weekend programmes run from 4pm on Friday to 2pm on Sunday, and mid-week programmes run from 4pm on Monday to 10am on Friday.