

St Clement's Parish Church, Jersey



October 23rd 2026

Dear Church Family,

As we approach half-term next week, we can't quite believe we're almost in November! The weather certainly seems to have changed, and with the clocks going back this weekend, it will suddenly feel that we're on the way towards winter.

THANK YOU to all who prayed for our time in Le Rocquier school this last Monday to Wednesday. We have had a brilliant 3 days presenting GSUS LIVE to the Year 7&8 students, and it has been a privilege to be able to talk about Jesus with them as we have explored challenges we all face in daily life. It has been great to work alongside those from Jersey Baptist church who have enabled this to take place, and do pray for God to water seeds that have been sown. We were also able to publicise our new Youth Drop-In starting on Thursday afternoons from 19th November - see attached flyer for information. If you care about Young People and are prepared to show up on a Thursday afternoon, then you're just right to be part of the team that delivers this - please contact James & Katie asap.

This is the last opportunity we have to encourage you to come along on **1st November to the 'Exploring God's Call'** afternoon - a great chance to explore where God may be calling you to serve next in the life of our local church, as we seek to bless our wider community. On that Sunday, from 2pm in the St Pauls' Centre, there will be people already serving in many different ministries from across the island, sharing their stories and ready to listen to your questions about things that spark your interest. It's an afternoon where you can pop in for a short, or a long, time, depending on what time you have. Here in St Clement church, if we really want to make a difference in our community, reaching those of all ages, then we all need to serve with the gifts we have been given, so that the church can flourish & bless those around us. Don't miss this opportunity to explore what *you* can do as part of this.

Looking ahead further into November, **on Sunday November 8th it is Remembrance Sunday**, and the pattern of our services will be a little different. Please note any different times and venues to our usual pattern:

- 9am BCP communion at St Nicholas
- 10.50am Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial (Le Hocq)
- 11.15am Service for all on Remembrance Sunday in the Parish Hall (followed by refreshments)

There is also a Remembrance Sunday lunch organised by the civic parish, starting at 1pm in the Hotel Ambassadeur (in support of the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal). Tickets can be purchased through the parish hall.

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Next week, From **Monday 26th to Saturday 31st October, James & Katie will be taking time off for half-term**, but we will look forward to seeing you on the Sunday (1st November) for services.

This Sunday, we continue our series on what it looks like to be a **Whole Life Disciple**, focussing on how God can use every one of us, *wherever we are*. We look forward to seeing you then.

With our love and prayers,

James & Katie.

Upcoming Services and Events:

Sunday November 1st

9am Holy Communion
at St Nicholas Church

10.30am Holy Communion
at St Clement Church

2pm 'Exploring God's Call'
St Paul's Centre

Monday November 2nd
10am – 11.30am Coffee, Cake and Chat at Caldwell Hall

The Collect: Almighty God, in whose service lies perfect freedom: teach us to obey you with loving hearts and steadfast wills; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

The Reading:

*Genesis Chapter 28, beginning at the tenth verse
(Genesis 28 10-17)*

(page 22 in the church Bible)

After which we say...

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

YOUTH DROP IN



ST CLEMENT
CHURCH



Toast • Games • Friends
A relaxed space for years 7-11



Come along for
some toast, play
some games and
hang out with
friends!



Starts
Thursday 19th November
3.15 - 5pm



Then every
Thursday during
term time



Caldwell Hall,
La Grande Route Du St Clement



Turn right out of Le Rocquier, walk up and over
the hill, past the church, and the Caldwell Hall
is on the left hand side.

It's
FREE!



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Exploring God's Call

A Vocations Conference for Jersey

Sunday 1 November 2026 • From 2pm St Paul's Centre

An afternoon of stories, conversation and discovery.

Explore how God might be calling you.

Representatives from a wide range of ministries will be available:



Guest speaker the Very Rev'd Mike Keirle, Dean of Jersey.



Information on training pathways and ways to serve.



Space for honest questions.



Pop up interviews with Matthew Price.

What might God be calling you to do next?