Welcome to St Mary The Virgin, Linton





St Mary's pewsheet for the week commencing 5th February 2017

Services

Fourth Sunday before Lent

Isaiah 58:1-9a[9b-12] and Matthew 5:13-20

10.00 Communion

8.00 Communion

Isaiah 58:1-9a[9b-12] and Matthew 5:13-20

2.00 Baptism

Thursday
10.00 Communion

Friday

9.00 School Service

Welcome

We extend a warm welcome to you all as we worship together, especially to our brothers and sisters from Horseheath and the Camps and to you if you are visiting or this is your first time with us.

At our Sunday Communion services, all are welcome to receive the bread and wine, either at the High Altar or within the Nave. If you would rather have a blessing, please keep your hands below the rail or lowered and we will pray with you. It is also fine to stay in your seat and just enjoy a time of quiet. Children are welcome to receive the bread too if they put their hands out.

Please join us for refreshments,

in the pavilion after the Friday and 10 a.m. Sunday service.

Everyone is welcome, there is no charge, however a basket is available if you feel able to give a donation.

St Mary's Notices

If you shop at the Coop, and have signed up as a member, you can direct their community giving to the Peace Garden at

http://www.coop.co.uk/membership/local-community-fund/

HELP REFUGEES BEING SETTLED IN CAMBRIDGE

People at St Mary's have shown interest in helping refugees being settled in the UK. Below is a web-link to a page where you can see what 's needed in and around Cambridge. Things required vary from white-goods and kitchen equipment to people with skills in teaching English as a second language, befriending, and showing people around the area. The list is quite long, and will be updated as necessary. Use it, to see if there's anything you can offer. Now's your chance!

https://help-refugees-uk.service.gov.uk/next

Parking:Members of the congregation are reminded that the grassy area between Church Cottage and the former rectory is intended for cars used for the church taxi journeys and visiting clergy. Also please do not use the garden of the former rectory as a turning area since this is private property.

Notices for the week

Please send news items to Sue Filby* suef4rector@btinternet.com by 5.00 p.m. on Wednesday, as the pewsheet is printed ready for the Friday Service.

If you would like to receive this pewsheet by email, saving valuable resources and costs, email Sue Filby* to have your details added to the distribution list.

Haverhill Foodbank at present have only one specific food item shortages for instant mash thanks to the generous donations being received.

Please support the Mini Market after the 10 a.m. service next week, please include a list of ingredients for any home baked items.

Granta Deanery Spring Fair Saturday 4 March 10.00–12.00 noon in Great Shelford Memorial Hall. There will be a variety of stalls including:

Cakes Produce White Elephant Toys Jigsaws Raffle China Glass Gifts Card & Craft Tombola Refreshments Wide Range of Books Entrance: Adults 50p Children Free

The funds raised are used in supporting the Churches' work for village communities in South Cambridgeshire. Registered Charity No: 245456

Thank you to all those who supported the murder mystery evening. A total profit of £794.28 was made for the Church.

The pink tablecloths have been missing for sometime. They have probably been taken home to wash and not come back. If you have ever washed any please have a good look for them and return them to the Pavilion cupboard or see Pam Richardson or Sue. Ellis.

Flower collection will be taken after the 10 a.m. service this week.

Please could you collect pictures from papers and magazines to illustrate the word **sorry**. If you find anything suitable please bring them to church next week or give them to Maggie.

Junior Church meets this Sunday at the start of the 10am service. Come and explore the Parable of the Great Pearl with us!

Baptisms Please pray for Leela Start, Katie Newton and Sarah Dennis who will be baptised on Sunday 5th February at 2.00pm. We hope to welcome Leela at the all-age service on either 12th February or 12th March

Other activities for the week

Monday

10.30 Service at Symonds House11.00 Service at Nichols Court

Wednesday

7.30 Bell Ringing

10.00

Next Sunday

8.00 Communion

Celebrant: Maggie Guite Deuteronomy 30:15-20 and

Matthew 5:21-37 All Age Eucharist

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Matthew 5:21-37



Dates for your diary

4 March Granta Deanery Fair

Maggie's usual day off is Tuesday.

Morning and Evening Prayers

On Monday ~ Thursday Maggie and Nicola B will be saying morning prayer in the Resurrection Chapel at 9.00 a.m., they would be glad for anyone to join them.

All are welcome to join in at any time, with a particular invitation to join others attending Evening Prayer **on Friday**

in the Resurrection Chapel at 5.00 p.m.

Regular Groups

It has been estimated that there are over 20 groups that regularly meet. If you host a group please contact Sue Filby **asap**

suef4rector@btinternet.com

to help us promote <u>all</u> the activities at St Mary's.

We are planning to use the Ely Diocese Lent Course for 2017 - five studies in the Letter to the Philippians entitled 'All Loves Excelling'''.

We shall be setting up some groups, of 6-8 people, at various times in the week. We need to find locations to host some of the groups, please contact Sue Filby asap if you could help.

Tuesday evenings led by Pam Richardson – location needed.

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Thursday mornings (after the 10 a.m. Communion) led by Maggie Guite and Lesley Gore. Once the details have been confirmed a sign-up sheet will be put up in church.