

Welcome to St Mary's, Linton


Week commencing - Sunday 3rd December 2017

1st Sunday of Advent: 8am service; Nicola Bown. 10am service; Nicola Bown.

This Week: Isaiah 64:1-9. Mark 13:24-37.

(Next Week: Isaiah 40:1-11. Mark 1:1-8.)



Sun 3rd December	3.00 pm	Christingle Service. Celebrate the start of the Christmas season. Come along and support the work of the Children's Society. If you have a collection box, please bring it along.
Sun 3rd December	6.00 pm	Advent Reflections: There will be a Meditation for Advent, in music and words with St Mary's Choir.
Wed 13th December	11.00 am	URC Coffee Morning , all welcome.
Thur 14th December	12.00 pm	Linton Lunch Club at Old Red Lion Horseheath, 2nd, NOT 1st, Thursday in month.
Wed 13th December	7.30 pm	Granta Chorale performing at St John's College Chapel, Cambridge. " Behold That Star " includes carols, motets, songs old and new. Tickets £15 (£5 students). David Parry-Smith is taking part as singer and organist. The concert will be repeated on Saturday, 6 January at 7.30pm at All Saints Church, Gt Chesterford.
Sun 17th December	6.00 pm	Carol Service with choir, candles, followed by refreshments.
Sun 24th December		10.00am. Parish Eucharist (no 8.00am service on this day) 3.15pm. Carol singing in High Street to support Christian Aid. 4.00pm. Messy Church Crib Service , please come dressed as Nativity story character (adults too!) 11.00pm. Midnight Mass.
Mon 25th December		8.00am. Book of Common Prayer Communion (said) 10 am. Festival All-Age Communion Service
<p>Our Church Christmas Posters are at the back of church. Please take one to pin up on a village noticeboard, or display on your fence (a laminated copy), or put in a shop or prominent window (a paper copy). If someone has got there first, and there is nowhere else to display it, then please bring it back. Thank you!</p> <p>For Advent, Nicola Bown is offering 3 illustrated meditations, 'Images of Advent', 7.30pm in church on Thurs 7th, 14th and 21st Dec. Sign up at back of church to show interest. Maggie is offering an Advent Discussion group, 'So what are you waiting for' after Thurs 10am service, 30th Nov, 7th, 14th and 21st Dec. Please sign up if interested, so a course booklet (£3.59) may be obtained for you.</p> <p>Help needed: Please can we have help setting up and decorating the church Christmas tree at 2.30pm on Sunday 17th December, in time for the evening carol service.</p> <p>There is a collection for the church flowers today</p> <p>Shortages at the Foodbank this week are: Tea, Coffee, Long-life Milk, Fruit Juice, Sugar.</p> <p>To add to the pewsheets, please contact Melanie Symonds: stmarylinton@gmail.com. N.B. For reasons of space, the administrator is authorised to edit entries if necessary</p>		

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Website - stmaryslinton.org.uk and Facebook

Regular Events

Sunday	8.00 am	Book of Common Prayer service with Communion.
	10.00 am	Service of Communion. All Age Worship 2nd Sunday.
	2.30 pm	Messy Church 3rd Sunday only & Wild Church 1st Sunday only.
Monday	8.30 am	Morning Prayer in Resurrection Chapel.
	10.30 am	Service at Symonds House.
	11.00 am	Holy Communion at Nichols Court (1st & 3rd Mondays).
	8.00 pm	Mothers' Union in the pavilion 3rd Monday only. Margaret Smith, Branch leader - 01223 892657.
	2.00 pm	Monday Gang – Maintain and beautify the Churchyard. Additional volunteers welcome, call Margaret Cox – 01223 891231
	2.30 pm	House Group, alternate Mondays. Contact Anne Parry-Smith - 01223 894715
Tuesday	8.30 am	Morning Prayer in Resurrection Chapel.
	10.00 am	Scrabble in the pavilion alternate Tuesdays. Sue Mudge – 01223 892737.
Wednesday	8.30 am	Morning Prayer in Resurrection Chapel.
	9.30 am	Tots in Tow, toddler group in the Village Hall. (Term time).
	7.30 pm	Bell ringing practice. Contact the tower Captain Jackie Latham 01223 890898 or jackielatham @ hotmail.com
Thursday	8.45 am	Morning prayer (alternating between St Mary's Linton and Castle Camps Vicarage).
	10.00 am	Communion.
	12.00 pm	Linton Lunch Club, The Old Red Lion, Horseheath. 1st Thursday of each month. Contact Monica Clarkson - 892988
	7.45 pm	House Group. Contact Rebecca Richardson – 01223 890921.
	7.30 pm	Meditation Group, all welcome. Contact Linda Richardson 01223 892074 or linda @ lindarichardson.net
Friday	9.00 am	Infants' School Service followed with coffee in the pavilion (Term time).
	5.00 pm	Evening prayer in the Resurrection Chapel.
	7.30 pm	Choir practice but not every Friday. Contact Anne Parry-Smith – 01223 894715.

