

Welcome to St Mary's, Linton

Week commencing - Sunday 11th February 2018

Sunday next before Lent: 8am service; Malcolm Guite. 10am service; Maggie Guite

This Week: 8am, 2 Corinthians 4:3-6. Mark 9:2-9. 10am, John 15. 9-17

(Next Week: 1 Peter 3:18-22. Mark 1:9-15)

Wednesday 14th Feb	10am-12pm	Stay-and-play in The Pavillion, for all children accompanied by an adult. Boardgames and play for children over the half term break.
Wednesday 14th Feb	7.30 pm	Ash Wednesday Service. [6.30pm Choir rehearsal in church, please join them if you would like to sing in the choir for this service. David Parry-Smith: 894715, david@parry-smith.co.uk]
Wednesday 21st Feb	12pm-2pm	This years Lent Lunches begin and the chosen charity is EMMAUS. All the hosts, dates and addresses are at the back of the church. Please see Derek Lockstone for more information.
Saturday 24th Feb	10am-12pm	St Mary's Village Café at Shudy Camps Church. Enjoy our fresh brewed Coffee or Tea and delicious Homemade Cakes and Snacks at reasonable prices. Free Squash and Biscuits for Children. Join us for 'The 10.45 Slot' - reflection and prayer in the chancel or sit and chat with friends
Saturday 24th Feb	2.00 pm	Come & Sing Handel's Messiah (Pt 2) including Hallelujah Chorus at St Mary's. @LintonComeAndSing. Cost (for singers) £8 includes tea with sandwiches/cakes. 2pm Rehearsals; 5pm Tea; 6pm Informal Performance as Meditation. Contact: david@parry-smith.co.uk or 01223 894715. Music available on the day or bring your own

The PCC is preparing for the **new data protection legislation (May 2018)**. The Churchwardens are therefore undertaking a Data Audit to ascertain what personal data are being collected, and by whom, on behalf of the various groups within St Mary's. If you think this might be relevant to you, and you haven't already had an email from the Wardens, please speak to one of them asap. We **MUST** comply with this legislation!

'Come and See, a Journey through Lent with John', our diocesan Lent Course, starting in the week beginning Sunday 18th Feb. Sign-up sheet at the back of the church, with different times/days.

The Real Easter Egg: Good quality Fair Trade chocolate with a copy of the Easter story inside the box. Prices start from £3.99. Please add your name to the order form at the back of church by the end of February. Queries to Pam Richardson 890921.

Please remember to buy your tickets for the **Jonathan Veira concert** [St Mary's Sat 17th March] from Derek Lockstone or Pam Richardson after the 10am service or from Bryan in the 'Small Gifts' Shop on High St.

A new poster on the noticeboard at the back of church shows the **programme of events to date for 2018 (Events' Committee)**. There are fliers too, please take one!

Nanette is the representative for the **Deanery Fair**, Saturday 10th March, 10am-12pm, Memorial Hall, Great Shelford, and asks: Please can I have donations of china, glass, small gifts, jam, chutneys, cakes and bric a brac for the white elephant stall (please, no electrical equipment), and donations for the raffle would also be very much appreciated. Thank you. It would be lovely to see you all there!

Messy Church need plastic screwtop lid bottles (max 500ml) for Sunday 18th Feb. Please also pray for those coming to the puppet ministry training on Saturday as we explore where God may take us.

To add to the pewsheet, or if you would like to receive future pewsheets by email, please contact **Melanie Symonds: stmarylinton@gmail.com**.

Team Rector - Revd Canon Dr Margaret Guite 01223 890273 or margaret.guite@icloud.com

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).
	7.30 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.
	8.00 pm	Space for the Spirit, 1hr monthly service in church for everyone who needs time out from their busy life (Nicola Bown)
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 by 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.