

Welcome to St Mary's

Pewsheets for week commencing
13 March 2022



The church is open daily **M-F 9.45am-4pm; Sat 10am-4pm; Sun 11am-4pm**

Services - Those in red will also be on Zoom. Links will be on website

Sunday, 13 Mar <i>The second Sunday of Lent</i>	8am 10am	<i>Readings: Philippians 3:17-4:1; Luke 13:31-end</i> Holy Communion BCP Parish Eucharist
Tuesday, 15 Mar	7.30pm	Space for the Spirit. Theme: Stones sftp@stmaryslinton.org.uk for Zoom link
Thursday, 17 Mar	10am	Holy Communion
Friday, 18 Mar	5pm	Evening Prayer
Sunday, 20 Mar <i>The third Sunday of Lent</i>	8am 10am 3pm	<i>Readings: 1 Corinthians 10:1-13; Luke 13:1-9</i> Holy Communion BCP Parish Eucharist Messy Church
Thursday, 24 Mar	10am	Holy Communion
Friday, 25 Mar	5pm	Evening Prayer

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To add to the pewsheets, to receive it by email or as a paper copy, contact Anne: admin@stmaryslinton.org.uk by 9am Thursday.

Vacancy update is on the website—front page news section on right hand side.

Bookings in church calendar. Please could you let me know if you are booking a meeting in church. I can then put the date in the church calendar and hopefully avoid double bookings! The church calendar can be viewed on the website. Thank you. Anne Parry-Smith

There will be a bell rung 5 minutes before the start of the 10am Sunday service to allow a time for quiet reflection.

Forthcoming events/requests/information

Everyone is invited to a special service to bless and dedicate the new children's area in the church on Friday, 11 March at 3.30pm.

It is going to be a sacred place where the youngest members of our worshipping community can connect with God in an age-appropriate, playful way. Don't forget we're all children of our Father God, so it's really a space for all of us! It would be a very powerful demonstration that we are an inclusive church if older members of the church family join in at the blessing and dedication.

Saturday, 12 March 10am-12.30pm at St Mary's. Granta Deanery Open Meeting to discuss Deanery Plan. Bishop Dagmar will give a presentation. Contact Anne Parry-Smith granta.deanery@gmail.com

Sunday, 13 March 3pm. 'Songs for all Occasions' - sacred and secular music from The Tapestry Singers - a mixed voice choir. £7.50 (£20 family) including refreshments. Contact Sue Ellis for tickets. 892257 events@stmaryslinton.org.uk

The funeral of Freda Cawthra is on Monday, 14 March 1pm at Cam Valley Crematorium. Please let John Page (Freda's son-in-law) know if you are planning to attend. john@padblack.co.uk

Monday, 14 March 7.30-9.30pm PCC meeting

The Lent Lunch on Wednesday, 16 March 12noon-2pm is at Judy and Keith Nightingales, 11 Mill Lane, Linton. All welcome. This year's charity is Médecins Sans Frontières. Offers of soup, bread and cheese would be very welcome. Please contact Celia on 893839 if you can help. See posters and fliers for dates and venues of all the lunches. **Lifts available**—contact Celia on 893839

Saturday, 19 March 10am-12noon at St Mary's. Coffee morning. Plant stall and raffle. All welcome.

Sunday, 20 March 10am Service. We congratulate Sue Filby who has been commissioned as ALM (Authorised Lay Minister) in Pastoral Care.

Wednesday, 23 March National Day of Reflection www.mariecurie.org.uk/get-involved/day-of-reflection taking time to connect, supporting the millions of people who are grieving, and remembering the family, friends, neighbours and colleagues we've lost during the pandemic.

Forthcoming events/requests/information/Prayerboard

Cambridgeshire Historic Churches Trust annual conference Radiance Divine—Light and heat in church. Wolfson College, Cambridge. Saturday, 2 April 9.30am-3.30pm. Book online www.camhct.uk or 01353-778129 by 25, March.

Saturday, 9 April 10am-12noon Granta Deanery Fair. Gt Shelford Memorial Hall. Stalls include cakes, books, glass & china, raffle. Linton Team is responsible for running White Elephant Stall. Contributions to Nanette the week before. She is willing to collect. No electricals or books. Also each parish is asked to contribute 4 baked items (cakes, cookies, etc), 4 Tombola items, 1 Raffle Prize, 6 bottles to include 1 wine/spirits, 4 jars home-made preserves and contributions for the other stalls. Nanette has also offered to take these contributions. If you are able to help [Nanette](#) on the day, please let her know.

Charitable donations—we have received several thank you letters for recent charitable donations made by St Mary's. The letters are on the noticeboard just inside the church door.

[Reach Community Projects update](#)

Parish Prayer Board March 2022

Please indicate on the prayer list in church if the name(s) mentioned can be included on the pewsheet/website.

Sick Please continue to pray for Ed, Jo and baby Austin (Linton Free Church).
Andrew King (husband of Sarah).
Sheila Smith (David Parry-Smith's mother).
Mark Hays who was admitted to Addenbrooke's Hospital.
Cathy Watts.

Departed Freda Cawthra (aged 102 years). Freda worshipped at St Mary's for many years. We also remember Freda's family in our prayers.
Keith Hopkins. We also remember his widow, Kathleen and family. Keith's funeral is at St Mary's on Friday, 18 March at 2pm.