

St Mary's Parish Newsletter

31st August to 13th September 2025



St Mary's LINTON

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(Any items to be included in the next Newsletter to be received by **9am on 18th August**, thank you)

Services for Sunday 31st August:

8am: BCP Said Holy Communion at Linton

11am: Joint Holy Communion for the Linton Parishes at Shudy Camps

Readings: Hebrews 13:1-8 & Luke 14:1,7-14

This week:

Monday, 1st Sept, 11am: Nichols Court Holy Communion

Wednesday, 3rd Sept, 7pm: Bellringing at Linton

Thursday, 4th Sept, 10am: Said Holy Communion at Linton

Friday, 5th Sept, 9am: Friday Church with Infant School

Friday, 5th Sept, 4pm: Evening Prayer, Resurrection Chapel

Friday, 5th Sept, 4pm: Choir Practice at Linton

Saturday, 6th Sept, from 10am: Mini-Pilgrimage and Quiet Afternoon, meet at Bartlow Church and walk together to All Saints, Castle Camps

Services for Sunday 7th September:

8am: BCP Said Holy Communion at Linton

10am: Sung Communion at Linton

10am: Morning Worship at Bartlow

4pm: Evening Service at Horseheath

6pm: Service of Hope and Healing at Linton

Readings: Deuteronomy 30:15-end & Luke 14:25-33

The following week:

Monday, 8th Sept, 10.45am: Symonds House Holy Communion

Wednesday, 10th Sept, 7pm: Bellringing at Linton

Thursday 11th Sept, 10am: Said Holy Communion at Linton

Friday, 12th Sept, 9am: Friday Church

Friday, 12th Sept, 4pm: Evening Prayer, Resurrection Chapel

Friday, 12th Sept, 7pm: Choir Practice at Linton

Saturday, 13th Sept, 9am: Breakfast Talk at Castle Camps

Saturday, 13th Sept, 10am-2pm: Linton Churchyard Eco Day

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Please remember in your prayers:

For healing:

Linda Read, Hannah, Brenda Cole, Geoff Pearce
and Keith Nightingale

For the late:

Margaret Browning, Pam Kenyon, Edward Supcik
and their loved ones

*To add to the prayer list please contact Elena or a member of the
Ministry Team or use the sheet at the back of the church. Thanks.*

NEWS & EVENTS

Holy Communion for the Linton Parishes at St Mary's, Shudy Camps

on Sunday 31st August at 11am

Everyone is welcome at our joint service of Holy Communion for the Linton Parishes at St Mary's, Shudy Camps.

(Please note that there's an 8am Said Communion (Book of Common Prayer), at Linton but no 10am service)



Linton Parishes Mini-Pilgrimage and Quiet Afternoon

Meet at Bartlow Church and walk together to All Saints, Castle Camps

on Saturday 6th September from 10am

This year's mini-pilgrimage for our family of churches will begin at St Mary's, Bartlow and end at All Saints, Castle Camps. Everyone is welcome, not just churchgoers, plus dogs on leads and children (leads optional).



Followed by a shared BYO picnic lunch and, for those who wish, a Quiet Afternoon; a few hours of space to think, pray and begin the new season well. Donations welcome, thank you.

You are welcome to join us for one, or two, or all three parts of the day.



A Service of Hope and Healing at St Mary's, Linton on Sunday 7th September at 6pm

A gentle service, lasting around 40 minutes, with prayer of anointing and prayer ministry available for those who wish to receive it.

All are welcome.

The annual Ride & Stride event on Saturday 13th September

People are encouraged to walk, cycle or even travel by car to visit as many churches as



possible and to be sponsored for doing so. Half the funds collected come back to your nominated church. An application to CHCT has been made for a grant towards the cost of replacing the boilers in St Mary's. This year, Barry Roberts and Sue Mudge plan to visit Cambridge churches and College Chapels before singing Evensong at Kings College Chapel and we would be grateful for your sponsorship.

The **Area Choirs Festival** also takes place on **Saturday 13th September** in King's College Chapel. Several members of St Mary's Choir are taking part. We have a rehearsal at 2pm in Queens' College Chapel, then move to King's College Chapel for further rehearsal and sing Evensong at 5.30pm.

Anyone is welcome to come to the service with arrival from 5.15pm. It is a wonderful opportunity to sing with a massed choir in such an amazing building.

September Coffee mornings

on **20th September** - run by the Linton Women's Institute, the proceeds of which will be given to local Charities; and

on **27th September** - in support of Macmillan Cancer Support.

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CANCER SUPPORT

The Well

Sunday, 12th September at 6pm
& Sunday, 12th October at 6pm

Take a moment to pause, breathe, and reconnect. Join us for **The Well**, a peaceful hour designed to help you reflect, renew, and find stillness in the midst of a busy world.

Whether you're seeking spiritual connection, inner clarity, or simply a quiet space to be, all are welcome you.



Auction of Promises and Candlelit Meal

on **Saturday, 27th September** – help us replace the boilers!

We are holding this **fundraising event** to defray the cost of replacing the ageing boilers.

Book a place now for a **candlelit 4-course meal** which will precede the Auction. There will also be a bar for those who wish to bid but not dine. Please contact our collator,

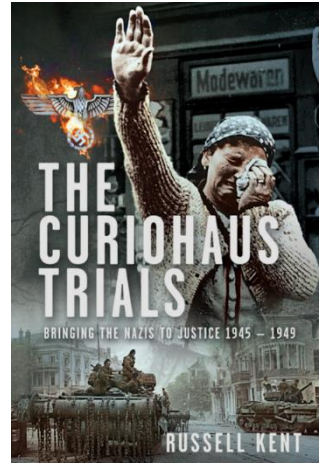
jacqui.burge@stmaryslinton.org.uk for a registration form.



Breakfast Talk at Castle Camps on the 13th September at 9am

The speaker is our renowned Castle Camps resident author, Mr Russell Kent, he will be talking about his recently published book *The Curiohaus Trials*. These will also be available for sale.

If you would like to attend please contact Lindi Kent
on [lindi.allen.kent@gmail.com/](mailto:lindi.allen.kent@gmail.com)
07801 790213 this to give an idea of numbers in order that we can feed you all.



"Did all the war crimes trials of the Nazis after WW2 happen in Nuremberg? No, there were hundreds of other trials throughout Europe. Russell Kent has written about some of the trials carried out by the British in Hamburg. In this talk you will hear about trials of Germans who supplied cyanide gas to the concentration camps, murdered over ninety POWs from the Royal Norfolk Regiment, hanged children in a former school and shot slave workers."

Root & Branch Groups – starting again soon!



A new season, and a new start! Our three groups will be resuming the week beginning Monday 15th September. The Monday group meets fortnightly at 11am at the home of Brian and Janice Grey. The Tuesday group at 7.30pm at the Rectory, and the Wednesday morning group at 11.30am at Queen's House, Linton.

If you would like to learn about and discuss the Bible and questions of life, the universe and everything and meet people, new members are always welcome. For more info, please contact Revd Paul on 01223 455098 or rector@stmaryslinton.org.uk



LINTON CHURCHYARD ECO DAY

**Come and join us on
Saturday 13th September
between 10am and 2pm as
friends from across our parish
meet to nurture and tidy our
lovely Churchyard and
Peace Garden**

**Tea, coffee and cake available at the Pavilion
and please bring your own gloves, gardening tools and smiles!**

This is for everyone – looking after the green heart of Linton



Please join the Parish Giving Scheme

The Parish Giving Scheme (PGS) is a secure and simple way of giving to St Mary's, Linton on a regular monthly basis (or quarterly or annually if you prefer). It works by making a Direct Debit from your bank account on the 1st of the month, which is credited to our parish bank account by the 10th of the month. If eligible, you can opt to add Gift Aid and the PGS claims this on our behalf, passing it back to St Mary's which really benefits our cash flow. Thank you.

- The simplest way is **online**. Visit www.parishgiving.org.uk/donors/find-your-parish/linton-st-mary-cambridge or please scan the QR code above; or
- **by phone**: 0333 002 1271, Monday to Friday 9am-5pm;
- or speak with Sue Ellis for more information. Thank you.

Have your contact details changed?

Would you like to receive this newsletter by email?

Please let Elena, admin@stmaryslinton.org.uk know and copy in molly.warrington@stmaryslinton.org.uk so the newsletter mailing list and your church records can be updated for GDPR.

Thank you.

