

## THIS WEEK'S SERVICES IN CHURCH AND ONLINE

### SUNDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER

#### St Mary's Saffron Walden - in Church

8.00am Holy Communion 1662

President: Michael Lovegrove

#### St Mary's Saffron Walden - in Church/YouTube

10.00am Patronal Holy Communion + Team JC

President: Jeremy Trew

6.30pm Choral Evensong Officiant: Jeremy Trew

#### St James' Swards End - in Church

9.30am Holy Communion President: Chris Bishop

#### St John's Little Walden - in Church

11.15am Family Service Leader: Tracey Nicholls

#### All Saints Ashdon - in Church

9.30am Holy Communion President: Caroline Currer

#### St Mary's Debden - in Church/Zoom

9.30am Family Praise Leader: John Saxon

#### CAM VILLAGES ONLINE

##### Wendens Ambo - Zoom

9.30am Family Service Leader: Alex Jeewan

#### Great Chesterford - Facebook

11.00am Holy Communion President: Alex Jeewan

### TUESDAY - St Mary's Saffron Walden - Zoom

5.00pm Evening Prayer Leader: Joe Hordern

### WEDNESDAY - St Mary's Saffron Walden - in Church

9.30am Holy Communion President: John Saxon

## NEXT SUNDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER SERVICES IN CHURCH AND ONLINE

#### St Mary's Saffron Walden - in Church/YouTube

8.00am Holy Communion 1662

President: John Saxon

#### St Mary's Saffron Walden - in Church

10.00am Harvest Family Service

Leader: Jeremy Trew

6.30pm Holy Communion (with prayers for wholeness & healing)  
President: Jeremy Trew

#### St Botolph's Hadstock - in Church

9.30am Holy Communion President: Caroline Currer

#### All Saints Ashdon - in Church

9.30am Sunday Worship Leader: Mat Lester

Talk: Alan Currer

#### All Saints' Wimbish - in Church/Zoom

9.30am Holy Communion President: John Saxon

#### CAM VILLAGES ONLINE

##### Wendens Ambo - Zoom

9.30am Morning Prayer Leader: Angela Want



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SAFFRON WALDEN & VILLAGES TEAM MINISTRY

# The Grapevine

COVERING THE PARISHES OF SAFFRON WALDEN,  
WIMBISH, DEBDEN, ASHDON AND HADSTOCK

Welcome to our services today

Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity &

Patronal Festival 12<sup>th</sup> September 2021

### Collect

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

### First Reading: Isaiah 61.10, 11

I will greatly rejoice in the LORD, my whole being shall exult in my God; for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation, he has covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself with a garland, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels. For as the earth brings forth its shoots, and as a garden causes what is sown in it to spring up, so the Lord GOD will cause righteousness and praise to spring up before all the nations.

### Gospel: Luke 1.46-55

'My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God my Saviour, for he has looked with favour on the lowliness of his servant. Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed; for the Mighty One has done great things for me, and holy is his name. His mercy is for those who fear him from generation to generation. He has shown strength with his arm; he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts. He has brought down the powerful from their thrones, and lifted up the lowly; he has filled the hungry with good things, and sent the rich away empty. He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy, according to the promise he made to our ancestors, to Abraham and to his descendants for ever.'

### Post Communion

Keep, O Lord, your Church, with your perpetual mercy; and, because without you our human frailty cannot but fall, keep us ever by your help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

In September please pray for: **Society of Friends, Saffron Walden, Chrishall School**

## EVENTS

### MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR

**REV JEREMY COLLINGWOOD** 12 noon **Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> September** at St Mary's, SW, followed by Hog Roast at home (or Baptist Church Hall if wet). You are warmly invited to both - please come! *Margaret*

As part of **SAFFRON WALDEN'S GREAT BIG GREEN WEEK**, Edward Gildea will talk about 'Adventure, Activism and COP 26' in St Mary's Parish Rooms at 7.30pm on **Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September**. Spiced with first-hand experiences of the effects of global warming on oceans and mountains, this illustrated session will explore the importance of COP26 in Glasgow this year for the future of humanity. Come and discuss your own thoughts and ideas about what we should each be doing about it.

**CONCERT OF PIANO DUETS** with Martin Huggett and myself on **Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> September** 3.00pm at St Mary's Church, SW. The concert will feature well known works by Saint-Saëns, Poulenc, Mozart, Mendelssohn and Tchaikovsky. Free entry with a collection in aid of church funds. There will be a short interval with refreshments. *Oli*

**JUNIOR CHOIR TASTER SESSION** on **Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October** in the Parish Rooms. We are recruiting young singers aged between 7½ and 13 to join our wonderful vibrant and lively Junior Choir. Come along and try it out! To register email: [choirsmw@gmail.com](mailto:choirsmw@gmail.com)

We are really excited to be resuming **TINIES, TEAM JC AND AFTERSHOCK** in person this term! Tinies will restart on **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> October** at 9.30am in St Mary's Church, SW. Are you passionate about giving children and young people the opportunity to know more about Jesus? Do you have a heart to pray for families? Are you someone that likes craft? Are you a fantastic tea maker or a good conversationalist? Do you enjoy playing games and having fun? We really need volunteers to join the teams that run each of these groups and if any of the above appeal, you could be just the person we are looking for! To find out more, please speak to Matt Williamson.

## BIBLE READINGS FOR THIS WEEK

<b>Mon 13<sup>th</sup></b>	Morning Psalm 30 & Mark 11:1-11 Evening Psalm 28
<b>Tue 14<sup>th</sup></b>	Morning Psalm 2 & John 12:27-36a Evening Psalm 110 & 1 Corinthians 1:18-25
<b>Wed 15<sup>th</sup></b>	Morning Psalm 34 & Mark 11:27-end Evening Psalm 119:33-56
<b>Thurs 16<sup>th</sup></b>	Morning Psalm 37 & Mark 12:1-12 Evening Psalm 40
<b>Fri 17<sup>th</sup></b>	Morning Psalm 31 & Mark 12:13-17 Evening Psalm 35
<b>Sat 18<sup>th</sup></b>	Morning Psalm 42 & Mark 12:18-27 Evening Psalm 46

## NOTICES

### TODAY

**THE FRIENDS AGM** will take place in the Parish Rooms immediately after the 10am Patronal Service. Chairs will be arranged to allow for social distancing.  
*Pamela Mugliston, Secretary*

**SERVICES IN CHURCH** Whilst restrictions have been lifted, we want you to continue to feel safe so we are keeping some measures in place for everyone's benefit. We will request Track and Trace details when you arrive and we encourage you to wear a face covering whilst in the church building, particularly if singing. Hand sanitiser will be available and we will ensure that anyone wishing to maintain social distancing will be able to do so. Precise guidance may vary from Church to Church across the team. Please follow that where given.

**ONLINE SERVICES** St Mary's, SW will continue to stream one service each week on YouTube as at present. Debden, Wimbish and Wendens Ambo continue to offer Zoom services – details on the bulletin.

The **REPAIR TO THE CHANCEL ROOF** will start on **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> Sep** and the temporary scaffolding roof will take until approx. **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> Oct** to construct. Between 8am and 5pm on weekdays during this period it will not be possible to drive to the Parish Rooms from Museum Street, please use Church Path instead. Access on foot will be via the entrance to the churchyard in Museum Street nearest to Castle Street.  
*Steve Hasler (525041)*

**YOUTUBE STREAMING – HELP REQUIRED** So that we can continue to provide this valuable service (typically 50-60 people watch weekly) we need additional volunteers to join the team who control the cameras and sound during services. This is not difficult and full training will be given. To learn more, please contact Steve Hasler or the churchwardens. *Denis*

**HOME GROUPS** Interested in joining or forming a home group? Have a look at our web page on St Mary's website and contact Alan Currer on 01799 584839 or [alancurrer@btinternet.com](mailto:alancurrer@btinternet.com)

**THE TRANSITION PROJECT** With more jobs available locally than are presently being taken up, the Project will remain online for the time being and not reopen its doors on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> September. Initial contact continues by telephoning 07901 173763.  
*Anthony Armon-Jones*

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