SAFFRON WALDEN & VILLAGES TEAM MINISTRY

THIS WEEK'S SERVICES AROUND THE TEAM

St Mary's Saffron Walden

8.00am Holy Communion 1662

10.30am Holy Communion (livestreamed)

12.15pm Baptism

All Saints Wimbish

9.30am Sunday Praise

St James' Sewards End

10.30am Holy Communion

St Botolph's Hadstock

9.00am Holy Communion

Holy Trinity Littlebury 10.30am Café Church

St Peter's Littlebury Green 9.30am Sunday Worship

St Mary's Wendens Ambo

9.00am Sung Mattins

All Saints Great Chesterford

10.30am Holy Communion

St Mary's Little Chesterford 9.30am Morning Worship

TUESDAY

8.30am Morning Prayer, Hadstock 9.30am Tinies, Saffron Walden

5.00pm Evening Prayer - Zoom only, SW

WEDNESDAY

8.00am Morning Prayer, SW 9.30am Holy Communion, SW

9.30am Building Blocks, Gt Chesterford

5.00pm Evening Prayer - Zoom only, Cam Villages

NEXT SUNDAY 13th July

St Mary's Saffron Walden

8.00am Holy Communion 1662

10.30am Holy Communion (livestreamed)

6.30pm Choral Evensong

St Mary's Debden

9.00am Holy Communion

St John's Little Walden

10.30am Family Service

All Saints Ashdon

9.00am Holy Communion

Holy Trinity Littlebury

10.30am Cam Churches Together service

Links for livestreamed services are available on the website and in the weekly bulletin. Please contact the Team Administrator to be added to the mailing list.

Please send items for the Grapevine to Claire Dunn at admin@stmaryssaffronwalden.org by 9.00am on Wednesday.

The Grapevine

Welcome to our services today 6th July 2025 6th Sunday after Trinity

Collect

God our Saviour, look on this wounded world in pity and in power; hold us fast to your promises of peace won for us by your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

First Reading: Isaiah 66 v 10 -14

Psalm: 66 v1-8

Second Reading: Galatians 6 v 7-16

Gospel: Luke 10 v 1-11, 16-20

The Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. He said to them, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest. Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. Whatever house you enter, first say, "Peace to this house!" And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the labourer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, "The kingdom of God has come near to you." But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, "Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near." Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me.' The seventy returned with joy, saying, 'Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!' He said to them, 'I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.'

Post Communion

O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining and whose power we cannot comprehend: show us your glory as far as we can grasp it, and shield us from knowing more than we can bear until we may look upon you without fear; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

In July please pray for Saffron Walden Salvation Army Corp and Katherine Semar Schools

Those who are being baptised: Saffron Walden: Peter Tate

Those whose banns are being read: Saffron Walden:

Harry Rudd & Courtney Nixon Nicholas Church & Diana Mamonova Max Dodd-Noble & Isabella Murray Alex Hall & Rachel Croker Hugh Acland & Eliza Walter

EVENTS

BRING AND SHARE LUNCH David and Sari Gardner, who work in Rumania translating the bible, will be visiting us TODAY at St Mary's, SW. We are holding a bring and share lunch, giving us an opportunity to find out more about their work. All welcome even if you came unprepared. *Gill Caswell*

FAIRTRADE STALL, TODAY, after the 10.30am service at St Mary's, SW.

POP UP COFFEE on **Wednesday 9th July from 10am-11.30am** in Littlebury Church. Pop in or stay a while. Everyone welcome

LUNCHTIME CONCERTS! For this week's concert on **Wednesday 9**th **July**, we welcome Derek Scuril, *piano* and Stephanie Reeve, *clarinet*. The concert begins at **1.10pm** and will last approximately 40 minutes. Refreshments are available from 12.30pm. Free admission with a retiring collection. All are very welcome.

WIMBISH COFFEE MORNING at St Paul's Mission Hall, next to Wimbish School, CB10 2XE. Saturday 12th July from 10am - 11.30am. Delicious cakes, jams & produce.

HYMNS & PIMMS at St James Church, Sewards End on **Sunday 20th July at 4pm**. Service celebrating the 30th Anniversary of the naming of the church - hymns and reflections followed by Pimms and other light refreshments. All welcome.

NOTICES

The newly recast **7**th **BELL** for St Mary's, SW will be in the church on the weekend of **12**th **& 13**th **July** before work starts on 14th July to reinstall it. It will be a rare chance to see a church bell on the ground level. Refreshments available.

TELEPHONE NUMBER for Rev'd Trew. The Rectory landline has now been permanently cancelled. Please use Jeremy's mobile number if you wish to speak to him. **07707 386238**

THE JULY EDITION OF PARISH NEWS is available at the back of St Mary's church, SW, and online

www.stmaryssaffronwalden.org/parishnews COPY for the next edition of PARISH NEWS may be sent to the editor, John Pickthorn, jejpickthorn@gmail.com by Sunday 6th July.

The **LICENSING SERVICE** for Rev'd David Sheppard will take place on **Monday 7**th **July** at **7.30pm** at Thaxted Parish church. All welcome.

International Concert Organist Wayne Marshall will be coming to give an organ recital on Saturday 12 July at 5pm at St Mary's, Saffron Walden. The programme will include works by Widor, Saint-Saëns, Franck and Marshall. Do not miss the opportunity to hear this incredible performer! Admission is free with a retiring collection for Music at St Mary's.

MARMALADE will be on sale after the service TODAY at St Mary's, SW. £3 a pot for church funds.

REMINDER The Friends Bring & Share lunch is now 10th August NOT 13th July as originally advised.

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