

**THIS WEEK'S SERVICES  
AROUND THE TEAM**

**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

**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 20th July**

**St Mary's Saffron Walden**

8.00am Holy Communion 1662  
10.30am Holy Communion (livestreamed)  
12.15pm Baptism  
6.30pm H2H (Parish Rooms)

**All Saints Wimbish**

10.30am Holy Communion

**St James' Swards End**

4.00pm Hymns & Pimms

**St Botolph's Hadstock**

9.00am Sunday Worship

**Holy Trinity Littlebury**

10.30am Holy Communion

**St Mary's Wendens Ambo**

9.00am Holy Communion

**All Saints Great Chesterford**

9.00am iChurch

**St Mary's Little Chesterford**

10.30am Holy Communion

**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  
13<sup>th</sup> July 2025  
4th Sunday after Trinity**

**Collect**

Gracious Father,  
by the obedience of Jesus  
you brought salvation to our wayward world:  
draw us into harmony with your will,  
that we may find all things restored in him,  
our Saviour Jesus Christ.

**First Reading:** Colossians 1 v 1-14

**Psalm:** 25 v 1-10

**Second Reading:** Deuteronomy 30 v 9-14

**Gospel:** Luke 10 v 25-37

A lawyer stood up to test Jesus. 'Teacher,' he said, 'what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the law? What do you read there?' He answered, 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself.' And he said to him, 'You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.'

But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' Jesus replied, 'A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, "Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend." Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?' He said, 'The one who showed him mercy.' Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise.'

**Post Communion**

Eternal God,  
comfort of the afflicted and healer of the broken, you have fed us at the table of life and hope: teach us the ways of gentleness and peace, that all the world may acknowledge the kingdom of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

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

**The family and friends of those who have died recently:** Brenda Schooling

**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

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

International Concert Organist **Wayne Marshall** will be coming to give an organ recital on **Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> 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.

**LUNCHTIME CONCERTS!** For this week's concert on **Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July**, we welcome Joanna Byers, *flute*. 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.

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

## MINISTRY TEAM

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## TODAY

**CHORAL EVENSONG** at St Mary's, SW this week features a very special item indeed - the choir will be singing the premiere of the beautiful and moving motet 'Love called for Light'. The text was specially written by Paula Griffiths with music composed by Brian Moles. 'Love called for Light' forms one of a collection of three motets which were commissioned in memory of Chris Ferland (former chorister at St Mary's church). All are warmly welcome to attend and refreshments will be served after the service.

## NOTICES

**ST MARY'S MUSIC ASSOCIATION** offers up to £250 to support the musical training and education of a young musician in St. Mary's, SW parish in full time education. It can be used for music lessons, training courses, sheet music or towards the purchase of a musical instrument or accessories. Preference is given to applicants who use their skills in music-making at St. Mary's. Applications must be received by **31<sup>st</sup> July 2025** and the bursary runs from September to August. For further details, conditions and/or application form, please contact the SMMA Chairman, Hannah Razzell  
Email: [music@stmaryssaffronwalden.org](mailto:music@stmaryssaffronwalden.org)

### STORT VALLEY SCHOOLS TRUST

In light of Nicola's talk at St Mary's, SW last Sunday, if anybody would like to follow Stort Valley Schools Trust and their work then their latest newsletter can be found at [www.svst.org.uk/upcoming-events](http://www.svst.org.uk/upcoming-events)

**NEW BELL** St Mary's, Saffron Walden. The new bell will be on display until Monday. It will then be installed during the week.

**THANK YOU** to those people who kindly offered help to accommodate a Ukrainian mother and daughter. The council have stepped in and given them a small apartment which is ideal but unfortunately, they do not have a fridge, oven or microwave. They could also do with some rugs as the floors are bare concrete. Is anyone able to help with these items? I appreciate electrical appliances need to be checked so they would need to be in good working order. The family move this weekend so it's fairly urgent. Please contact Revd Lynda on 07870 640074 if you can help. Thank you so much.