

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

**SUNDAY - 7th June**

**St Mary's Saffron Walden**

8.00am Holy Communion 1662  
10.25am Sunday Club , Parish Rooms  
10.30am Holy Communion (livestreamed)

**All Saints Wimbish**

9.30am Village Praise

**St James' Sewards End**

10.30am Holy Communion

**All Saints Ashdon**

9.00am Sunday Worship

**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 Matins

**All Saints Gt Chesterford**

10.30am Holy Communion

**St Mary's Lt Chesterford**

9.30am Morning Worship

**TUESDAY**

8.30am Morning Prayer, Hadstock  
9.30am Tinies, SW  
5.00pm Evening Prayer - Zoom only, SW

**WEDNESDAY**

8.00am Morning Prayer, SW  
9.30am Building Blocks, Gt Chesterford  
9.30am Holy Communion

**NEXT SUNDAY 14<sup>th</sup> June**

**St Mary's Saffron Walden**

8.00am Holy Communion 1662  
10.25am Sunday Club , Parish Rooms  
10.30am Holy Communion (livestreamed)  
12.15pm Baptism  
6.30pm Choral Evensong

**St Mary's Debden**

9.00am Holy Communion

**St John's Little Walden**

10.30am Forest Church

**All Saints Ashdon**

9.30am Holy Communion followed by Baptism

**All Saints Gt Chesterford**

12.30pm Baptism

**St Mary's Wendens Ambo**

10.30am Cam Villages Together

*Links for livestreamed services are available on  
the website and in the weekly bulletin.*

*Please contact the Associate 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  
7th June  
1st Sunday after Trinity**

## Collect

God of truth,  
help us to keep your law of love  
and to walk in ways of wisdom,  
that we may find true life  
in Jesus Christ your Son.

**First Reading:** Romans 4 v 13-25

**Psalm:** 50 v 7-15

**Second Reading:** Hosea 5 v 15 – 6 v 6

**Gospel:** Matthew 9 v 9-13, 18-26

As Jesus was walking along, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax booth; and he said to him, 'Follow me.' And he got up and followed him.

And as he sat at dinner in the house, many tax-collectors and sinners came and were sitting with him and his disciples. When the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, 'Why does your teacher eat with tax-collectors and sinners?' But when he heard this, he said, 'Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. Go and learn what this means, "I desire mercy, not sacrifice." For I have come to call not the righteous but sinners.'

While he was saying these things to them, suddenly a leader of the synagogue came in and knelt before him, saying, 'My daughter has just died; but come and lay your hand on her, and she will live.' And Jesus got up and followed him, with his disciples. Then suddenly a woman who had been suffering from haemorrhages for twelve years came up behind him and touched the fringe of his cloak, for she said to herself, 'If I only touch his cloak, I will be made well.' Jesus turned, and seeing her he said, 'Take heart, daughter; your faith has made you well.' And instantly the woman was made well. When Jesus came to the leader's house and saw the flute-players and the crowd making a commotion, he said, 'Go away; for the girl is not dead but sleeping.' And they laughed at him. But when the crowd had been put outside, he went in and took her by the hand, and the girl got up. And the report of this spread throughout that district.

## Post Communion

Eternal Father,  
we thank you for nourishing us  
with these heavenly gifts:  
may our communion strengthen us in faith,  
build us up in hope,  
and make us grow in love;  
for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

In June please pray for Saffron Walden Assemblies Team, Stort Valley Schools Trust & Open the Book

**The family and friends of those who have died recently:** Carl Braybrooke

**Those whose banns are being read:**

**Saffron Walden:** Ben Ward & Hannah Broughton, Barry Barnes & Georgina Beetlestone

**Gt Chesterford:** Cameron Paterson & Maddy Gordon-Foxwell

**Those who are getting married:**

**Ashdon:** Harry Tyler & Stefania Boughey

## EVENTS

**LUNCHTIME CONCERTS!** For this week's concert on **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June**, we welcome Oliver King, *organ*. 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.

**POP UP COFFEE** on **Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June** from **10am-11.30am** in Littlebury Church. Pop in or stay a while. Everyone welcome

**WIMBISH COFFEE MORNING** at St Paul's Mission Hall, next to Wimbish School, CB10 2XE. **Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June** from **10am - 11.30am**. Delicious cakes, jams & produce.

**FOREST CHURCH** on **Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June** at **10.30am** at St John's Lt Walden. Focusing on connecting with God through nature and the environment. This service is suitable for all ages and will include time for contemplation, craft activities and a chance to explore the outdoors. Everyone is welcome, for more details contact Helen Nash at [helen\\_nash@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:helen_nash@hotmail.co.uk)

**All Saints' Great Chesterford** is hosting a concert by the renowned choral society **The New Cambridge Singers** on **Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> June** starting at **7.30pm**. Tickets are on sale now at £15.00 to include an interval glass of wine or soft drink. Student tickets are £7.00. They are available from David and Pam Maskell on 01799 530098 or [pamanddavemaskell@gmail.com](mailto:pamanddavemaskell@gmail.com).

## EVENTS

**PIMMS & PRAISE** at St Mary's, Debden on **Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June** at **3pm**.

**SONGS OF PRAISE** at All Saints Wimbish on **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July** at **3pm**. Chosen by you! If you would like to suggest a hymn then please contact Rev'd Lynda Sebbage (contact details at the bottom of the page)

A **SERVICE OF CELEBRATION** for the completion of the works at Wenden church and the new stained glass window in memory of the Rev'd Tim Hardingham on **Sunday, 12<sup>th</sup> July, at 4.30 pm** followed by refreshments.

**SAFFRON WALDEN BIBLE FOCUS** at Abbey Lane URC will be on **Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> September** from **2.30pm**. The speaker is James Robson, Principal of Oak Hill college speaking on Where is your love and faithfulness? God and Dark Places. For more details or to book your place email [swbible.focus@gmail.com](mailto:swbible.focus@gmail.com) by 7<sup>th</sup> September.

## NOTICES

Shirley Reed, wife of the late Revd Roger Reed, former Vicar of Debden and Wimbish, recently died, and her ashes will be interred in Debden churchyard on **16<sup>th</sup> June** at **11am**. The family warmly welcomes anyone who would like to attend this short service.

## MINISTRY TEAM

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