

## PARISH DIARY

TODAY 16<sup>th</sup> June 2019

<b>Saffron Walden</b>	8.00am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION 1662</b>
	President:	Paula Griffiths
	10.00am	<b>FAMILY SERVICE</b>
	Leader:	Rachel Prior
	Talk:	Tracey Nicholls
<b>Saffron Walden</b>	11.45am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
	President:	Rachel Prior
	6.30pm	<b>HOLY COMMUNION with prayers for wholeness &amp; healing</b>
<b>Hadstock</b>	President:	Rachel Prior
	9.30am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION 1662</b>
<b>Ashdon</b>	President:	Paula Griffiths
	9.30am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
<b>Debden</b>	President:	Richard Spencer
	9.15am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
<b>Wimbish</b>	President:	John Saxon
	11.00am	<b>MATTINS</b>
	Leader:	John Saxon

THIS WEEK (All at St Mary's Saffron Walden, unless stated)

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June**

8.30am Morning Prayer

**Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June**

8.30am Morning Prayer

8.30am Morning Prayer *at Hadstock*

2.00pm St Mary's Tinies

5.00pm Evening Prayer

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June**

8.00am Morning Prayer

9.30am Holy Communion

**Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June (Corpus Christi)**

8.30am Morning Prayer

8.00pm Holy Communion

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June**

8.30am Morning Prayer

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June**

9.00am Morning Prayer

2.30pm Wedding of Stephen Ewell &amp; Polly Goddard

## NEXT SUNDAY

23<sup>rd</sup> June 2019

<b>Saffron Walden</b>	8.00am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION 1662</b>
	10.00am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION + TEAM JC</b>
	12 noon	<b>BAPTISM</b>
	1.00pm	<b>MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR ISOBEL BERNSTEIN</b>
	4.00pm	<b>CELEBRATE @ 4</b>
<b>Saffron Walden</b>	6.30pm	<b>EVENSONG</b>
	9.30am	<b>CAFÉ CHURCH</b>
<b>Little Walden</b>	11.15am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
<b>Hadstock</b>	9.30am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
<b>Ashdon</b>	9.30am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
<b>Debden</b>	9.15am	<b>MATTINS</b>
<b>Wimbish</b>	11.00am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>

See St Mary's church, SW, website at [www.stmaryssaffronwalden.org](http://www.stmaryssaffronwalden.org) to find out more.



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# The Grapevine

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

Welcome to our services today

**Trinity Sunday**  
16<sup>th</sup> June 2019

**Collect**

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity: keep us steadfast in this faith, that we may evermore be defended from all adversities; 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: Romans 5.1-5**

Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

**Gospel: John 16.12-15**

Jesus said to his disciples: 'I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.'

**Post Communion**

Almighty and eternal God, you have revealed yourself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and live and reign in the perfect unity of love: hold us firm in this faith, that we may know you in all your ways and evermore rejoice in your eternal glory, who are three Persons yet one God, now and for ever.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

**Churches Together Prayer Cycle:** In June please pray for Saffron Walden Assemblies Team, Stort Valley Schools Trust

**Those who are unwell:** Dennis Sheldrick Ella Martin

**The family and friends of those who have died recently:**  
Stan Bradley

**Those whose wedding banns are being called at St Mary's, Saffron Walden:** Ian Macdonald & Rachael Southall

**Those who are getting married at St Mary's Saffron Walden on 22<sup>nd</sup> June:** Stephen Ewell & Polly Goddard

## EVENTS

**PLEASE NOTE: ST MARY'S PARISH OFFICE** will be open on **Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June 10am-12noon**; *not* 9.30am-12noon as usual. *Dawn Saxon*

**THE FREE LUNCHTIME CONCERT** at St Mary's, Saffron Walden on **19<sup>th</sup> June** at 1.10 pm will be given by Martin Huggett, *Piano and Bass* and Oli King, *Piano*. Refreshments available from 12.30pm. All welcome. *Bron Ferland*

**MOTHERS' UNION** Please note no meeting until **20<sup>th</sup> June** at 2.00pm for Wave of Prayer @ The Salvation Army. *Eunice Harris, Honorary Secretary*

**MORE IN COMMON** on the Common will be taking place on **Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June** from 12pm - 4pm. Bring a picnic and come and join the community for an afternoon of music, dance, and craft activities as we celebrate that we have more in common than that which divides us. *Rachel*

**UNIVERSITY OF LONDON CHAMBER CHOIR, Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June** - 4pm, Littlebury Holy Trinity Church. Tickets £12 (children free) in aid of Friends of Holy Trinity Littlebury. Tickets: [susan.amiss7@gmail.com](mailto:susan.amiss7@gmail.com) and Saffron Walden Tourist Information. *Janice Rust*

**STAN BRADLEY'S FUNERAL** will be held at St Mary's church, Saffron Walden on **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June** at 12 noon.

**ST MARY'S BOOK GROUP** will hold their next meeting at 8.15pm on **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June** at 4 Castle Street to discuss Anthony Trollope's novel **The Eustace Diamonds**. Please contact me if you would like a copy (520291). *Robin O'Neill*

**ARMED FORCES DAY** in Saffron Walden **Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June** – please note that the Commons Car Park will be closed all day and late morning. Many roads in the town centre will be closed for the march itself.

**VISIT TO COVENTRY CATHEDRAL Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> July** The choir will be singing Choral Evensong at 4pm at the Cathedral. There are some spaces on the coach leaving Swan Meadow at 9.30 returning after Evensong arriving back in Saffron Walden approx. 8pm. Cost £20. If you are interested, please contact Caroline Goulder - [carolinegoulder@hotmail.com](mailto:carolinegoulder@hotmail.com) or 07775 518892. First come, first served!

Foreign and British commemorative **STAMPS, CURRENCY & BRITISH COINS** and notes that are no longer in circulation, please hand to me or St Mary's Parish Office. All proceeds go to Hearing Dogs for Deaf People. *Margaret Walter*

### THE TRANSITION PROJECT

Self-help and support, CV writing and improving, Interview practice, job search, discussion. Tuesdays 10am to 12 noon in the Parish Rooms, beside St Mary's Church, Saffron Walden [www.transitionproject.co.uk](http://www.transitionproject.co.uk)

## NOTICES

TODAY

**COFFEE, CAKES AND COMPANY 3pm** - in St Mary's Parish Rooms. All welcome.

### FLOWER FESTIVAL – 23<sup>RD</sup> – 26<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

Please sign up on St Mary's noticeboard if you are free to help with stewarding duties. Many thanks. *Pamela Mugliston*

**VOLUNTEERS ALSO NEEDED** to help serve refreshments and to make cakes/sandwiches. If you can help in any way would you please sign up on one or all of the lists which are on the special notice board at the back of St Mary's church, Saffron Walden. With thanks. *Gill Lovegrove*

I have been asked to run a **PLANT STALL** at the Flower Festival. Please remember when doing your garden to pot up any house plants or herbaceous cuttings for sale at the above event. *Jean Wooderson* (01799 520121)

**CYCLING IRELAND FROM BOTTOM TO TOP** The Rector and I are cycling from Mizen Head to Malin Head in Ireland, 530 miles and 24,500 feet of climbing, over 7 days starting on Fri 21st June. As there was for LEJOG in 2016, there's a blog if you'd like to follow us, which we will update each evening once we've refuelled! The blog is live with route details at <https://mizmal2019.blogspot.com> *Steve Hasler*

**WEEKEND AWAY 12<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> June 2020**, Belsey Bridge near Bungay Suffolk. Our theme is 'Sharing God's Love: Come and See' and our speaker is Bishop Roger Morris. Enjoy a weekend of friendship, learning together and fun for all the family. There is comfortable accommodation (including many en-suite rooms) and delicious fully catered meals from Friday dinner to Sunday afternoon tea. There will be a creche and activities for under 11s and 11-17 year olds. Cost £140-£170 per person full board, day rates available, under 18s FREE. [www.stmaryssaffronwalden.org/weekendaway2020](http://www.stmaryssaffronwalden.org/weekendaway2020) £25pp deposit required by 30<sup>th</sup> June. *Sarah Nicholas*

St Mary's, Saffron Walden, has signed up to become an **ECO CHURCH!** This will be a long journey, involving all aspects of church life, from our worship and buildings to our engagement with the community and our lifestyles. If you would like to be involved in any way in the vital work of preserving God's creation, do contact either Rachel Prior or Edward Gildea ([edward@edwardgildea.co.uk](mailto:edward@edwardgildea.co.uk))

**DUSTING ROTA** Two new helpers are urgently required to replace two who have retired. Please contact Anne Rhodes (522912) or speak to the Churchwardens. *Denis Tindley*

**PHOTOS OF ST MARY'S** Over 80 photos taken recently by the U3A Photography Group can be seen in the News and Photo Gallery sections of the church website. *Martin*

**FOR ONE WEEK ONLY** All items for the **GRAPEVINE** should be sent to [office@stmaryssaffronwalden.org](mailto:office@stmaryssaffronwalden.org) by 9am on Wednesday.

## CLERGY TEAM

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