THIS WEEK'S SERVICES AROUND THE TEAM

SUNDAY 28th May

St Mary's Saffron Walden

8.00am Holy Communion 1662

10.30am Family Service 6.30pm Taizé Service

St Mary's Debden

9.00am Family Service

St John's Little Walden

10.30am Holy Communion

All Saints Ashdon

9.00am Sunday Worship

St Peter's Littlebury Green

9.00am Family Service

St Mary's Wendens Ambo

9.00am Family Communion

All Saints Great Chesterford

10.30am Holy Communion + Baptism

TUESDAY

8.30am Morning Prayer, Hadstock

9.30am St Mary's Tinies, Saffron Walden 5.00pm Evening Prayer - Zoom only, SW

5.00pm Evening Prayer - Zoom only, Cam Villages

WEDNESDAY

8.00am Morning Prayer, Saffron Walden 9.30am Holy Communion, Saffron Walden 9.30am Toddler Church, Great Chesterford

5.00pm Evening Prayer - Zoom only, Cam Villages

THURSDAY

1.00pm Healing Service, Saffron Walden

5.00pm Evening Prayer - Zoom only, Cam Villages

NEXT SUNDAY 4th JUNE

St Mary's Saffron Walden

8.00am Holy Communion 1662 10.30am Holy Communion

6.30pm H2H service led by the young people in

the Parish Rooms

All Saints Wimbish

9.00am Sunday Praise

St James' Sewards End

10.30am Holy Communion

St Botolph's Hadstock

9.00am Holy Communion

Holy Trinity Littlebury

9.00am Café Church

St Peter's Littlebury Green

10.30am Holy Communion

St Mary's Wendens Ambo

9.00am Morning Prayer

All Saints Great Chesterford

10.30am Holy Communion

St Mary's Little Chesterford

9.00am Morning Prayer

Links for livestreamed services are available on the weekly bulletin. Please contact the Parish Administrator to be added to the mailing list. SAFFRON WALDEN & VILLAGES TEAM MINISTRY

The Grapevine

Welcome to our services today Pentecost 28th May 2023

Collect

Holy Spirit, sent by the Father, ignite in us your holy fire; strengthen your children with the gift of faith, revive your Church with the breath of love, and renew the face of the earth, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

First Reading: Acts 2 v 1-21 **Psalm**: 104 v 26-36,37b

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12 v 3b-13

Gospel: John 20 v 19-23

When it was evening on the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

Post Communion

Faithful God, who fulfilled the promises of Easter by sending us your Holy Spirit and opening to every race and nation the way of life eternal: open our lips by your Spirit, that every tongue may tell of your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

In May please pray for: St John's, Little Walden, St James', Sewards End and Radwinter Primary School

The family and friends of those who have died recently: Rosemary(Rosie) Rowlandson, Ivy Brigden

Those who are being baptised:

Gt Chesterford: Meredith (Edie) Hoskins

EVENTS

LUNCHTIME CONCERTS at St Mary's, SW start this week! For this week's concert on **Wednesday 31**st **May**, we welcome Titika Maragoula *Soprano* and Richard Carr *Piano*. 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

THE NEXT TIME OF SILENT PRAYER will be on **Thursday 1stJune** at 10am in the North Chapel of St Mary's, SW. All very welcome. Do contact me if you would like more information. *Judith Hasler*

A SERVICE WITH PRAYERS FOR WHOLENESS & HEALING will take place on Thursday 1st June at 1pm in St Mary's Church, SW. All welcome whether you seek healing for yourself or another.

OASIS Our next Men's lunchtime get together at The Old English Gentleman in Gold Street will be on **Wednesday 7th June, from 12noon**. All welcome but if you are planning to come please let me know by Tuesday 6th June. I look forward to seeing you. Bill Rose email wjr2163@gmail.com or 01799 516609

CORPUS CHRISTI will be celebrated on **Thursday** 8th **June** with a Choral Eucharist at **7.30pm** at St Mary's, SW. Corpus Christi ('The Body of Christ') is the day in the Christian year when we give special thanks for the Jesus' Institution of the Eucharist at the Last Supper, when he took bread and wine and gave them to his disciples saying 'This is my body... This is my blood'. All welcome

ALL SAINTS, WIMBISH FLOWER FESTIVAL Saturday 10th June & Sunday 11th June from noon. A celebration: Bats, Bells, Brasses and Bees. Along with the flowers there will be stalls, activities, entertainment and refreshments including a BBQ on Saturday and BoHo Kitchen on Sunday. On Sunday at 11am there will be a Festival service in the church. www.achurchnearyou.com/church/19645/ for more information.

ASHDON OPEN GARDENS Sunday 11th June from 11am-5pm in aid of All Saints, Ashdon. Admission £5 for adults, children free. Programmes from the Village Hall, CB10 2ET and All Saints church rooms CB10 2HG. Refreshments in the Village Hall.

GRD400 "Great Ringing Day" this year marks the 400th anniversary of the death of its founder, Thomas Turner. The celebrations conclude with choral evensong on **Sunday 11**th **June** at St Mary's SW at **6.30pm**, after which everyone is invited to join together for drinks.

MUSIC FESTIVAL at St Mary's, Debden on **Sunday 25**th **June at 5pm**(doors open 4pm). A varied music programme with refreshments. Tickets £15 including welcome drink & canapes, under 18s free. Tickets from Debden Post Office or on the door or Alison Hare 07904 954199 In aid of roof repairs to the church.

H2H

Sunday 4th June at 6.30pm

You're warmly welcome to join us next Sunday as we explore some of the **Armour of God** together. This month Harry & Hayden will be leading. Please come and support them if you are able. Coffee & cake from 6.30pm in the Parish Rooms, SW

Matt Williamson

NOTICES

SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE at St Mary's, SW. Can you help us with this valued service? The rota is arranged to fit your diary. Please contact Mary or Gerald Gardner on 01799 500543 gerald.gardner@ntlworld.com

The **HEARING LOOP** in St Mary's SW was damaged by the recent lightning strike on the church and is not working. We are chasing our sound engineer to get it repaired. We apologise for this, please bear with us. *Steve Hasler*

There will be a service of celebration for the life of Lionel Bartram on **Saturday 3rd June at 11am** at All Saints, Ashdon. Please note the correction to the date.

COPY for the next edition of **PARISH NEWS** may be sent to the editor andycolebrooke@gmail.com by Sunday 4th June. **THE JUNE EDITION OF PARISH NEWS** is available from the back of St Mary's church, SW, and can also be seen on the website at www.stmaryssaffronwalden.org/parishnews

Advance Warning! The **CHRISTMAS FAIR** at St Mary's, SW is only 6 months away on Saturday 25th November. All past stall holders please start thinking and prepping. Any ideas for new stalls very welcome. Contact Sue Birchall 07813947157 or sbirchall29@gmail.com

Please send items for the **GRAPEVINE** to Claire Dunn by **WEDNESDAY** at **9.00am** to admin@stmaryssaffronwalden.org

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