

Welcome to St Mary The Virgin, Linton

Community
Church



St Mary's pewsheet for the week commencing 28th May 2017

Services

Seventh Sunday of Easter

8.00 Communion

Acts 1:6-14 and
John 17:1-11

10.00 Communion

Acts 1:6-14 and
John 17:1-11

Thursday

10.00 Communion

Welcome

We extend a warm welcome to you all as we worship together, especially to you if you are visiting or this is your first time with us.

At our Sunday Communion services, all are welcome to receive the bread and wine, either at the High Altar or within the Nave. If you would rather have a blessing, please keep your hands below the rail or lowered and we will pray with you. It is also fine to stay in your seat and just enjoy a time of quiet. Children are welcome to receive the bread too if they put their hands out.

Please join us for refreshments,

in the pavilion after the 10 a.m. Sunday service.

Everyone is welcome, there is no charge, however a basket is available if you feel able to give a donation.

St Mary's Notices

At the Friends AGM on May 15th Chris Morse was confirmed as Chair, Hugh Paton as Treasurer and Margaret Cox as Secretary. The Meeting stood to remember Dr Bruce Conochie, for many years President of the Friends. The Chair reported that following a successful year many more events are planned for the coming year including Teddy Bear Jumps at the Flower Festival, Summer Teas, a concert in October, a Quiz Night in November and the postponed 'Flanders and Swann' performance next winter.

Margaret Cox

The Archbishops have written a letter about the General Election. It can be found at https://www.churchofengland.org/media/3977056/electionletter_text.pdf.

Flower Festival 7,8,9 July. It is that time of year again and planning is well under way for this year's Flower Festival with the theme **Characters of the Bible**. Please see the fliers in church and we seek your help to make the Flower Festival a success. Further information to follow.

The Events' Committee

Notices for the week

Haverhill Foodbank shortages are tinned tomatoes, coffee, teabags, sugar, long-life juice, biscuits & sponge puddings.

Programme for 2017 (Events' Committee) – please have a look at the poster on the notice board. There are also fliers available at the back of church.

Would you be willing to do the intercessions during the 10 am service on some Sundays? If so, please join Maggie and existing intercessors for a meeting after the morning service on 4th June, when there will be an opportunity to learn more and to ask questions. We would really like to have more people on the intercessions rota, so do come along even if you're not sure about whether you can commit to this.

Linton Team of Churches Bartlow Hills Farm Tour and BBQ Saturday 15th July Hills Farm, Ashdon Road, Bartlow CB21 4PW 5pm Family Tour 6pm Adult Tour Tickets Adults £10, Family(2A+3C) £25, Children £5 To book tickets phone Lindi on 01799 584012

Maggie needs offers of help with running a bar at this BBQ. Please contact her asap if you can help.

Malcolm Guite in Concert Saturday 8th July 2017 7:30pm All Saints' Church Church Lane Castle Camps Cambridgeshire CB21 4TH. We are pleased to present a concert by the World Renowned Poet and Musician Malcolm Guite Ticket price £10.00 to include interval refreshment To book tickets phone Lindi Kent 01799 584012

Please pray for the family of the late Mrs Jean Runham who died at Symonds House, Linton on Sunday 14th May 2017. The Committal Service is to take place at Cambridge City Crematorium East Chapel on Thursday 1st June at 11.30 a.m. Followed by a Thanksgiving Service at St Mary's Parish Church, Linton at 1.00pm

There will be a collection for church flowers after the 10.00 .m. service next week.

Horseheath Garden Party, afternoon of Saturday 3rd June. Musical Soiree - very good combo - Freddie Hall and Duncan Maletka with Luba Doga, 7.30 pm, Saturday 3rd June. Maggie has tickets - £12 to include light refreshments.

A Safari Supper The Friends of St Mary's are arranging another popular Safari Supper on Friday, June 23rd starting at 6.30pm at Richmonds for Pimms. After that people, in pairs, go to different houses for a Starter, on to another hostess for the Main Course, then on again for Dessert before going back to Richmonds for coffee. All are welcome.

Tickets are available from
Chris Morse 891616 and Margaret Cox 891231.

Other activities for the week

Monday

10.30 Service at Symonds House

Wednesday

10.00 Midweek communion,
Camps Vicarage
7.30 Bell Ringing

Thursday

1.00 Thanksgiving Service for Jean Runham
7.45 PCC Meeting, in the pavilion

Friday

7.30 Choir Practice

Saturday

7.30 Horseheath Garden Party

Next Sunday

8.00 Communion
Celebrant: tbc
Acts 2:1-21 and
John 20:19-23
10.00 Communion
Celebrant: tbc
Preacher: tbc
Acts 2:1-21 and
John 20:19-23

Dates for your diary

7/8/9 July Flower Festival

**Maggie's usual day off is Tuesday.
Nicola Bown's day-off is Mondays.**

Morning and Evening Prayers

On Monday ~ Thursday Maggie and Nicola B will be saying morning prayer in the Resurrection Chapel at 8.30 a.m., on alternate Mondays at Castle Camps, they would be glad for anyone to join them.

All are welcome to join in at any time, with a particular invitation to join others attending Evening Prayer **on Friday** in the Resurrection Chapel at 5.00 p.m.

Thank you for all the kind messages I have received, it has been a privileged to get to know so many more people over the last four years whilst serving the church. I have enjoyed being a part of the team at St Mary's and I am thankful for the opportunities the role has given me and intend to continue to be an active member of the church. Kind regards, Sue Filby.