## Welcome to St Mary's, Linton

Pewsheet for week commencing - Sunday 10 Nov 2019 The Kingdom Season (All Age Eucharist - All Age Eucharist service order).



Rooted in God. Rooted in Community

Sunday 10 November - All Saints: Job 19:23-27a; Luke 20:27-38 8am: Malcolm Guite; 10am: Maggie Guite.

Breakfast is available from around 9am at Richmonds, 65 High St, Linton between the 8am and 10 am services this Sunday; all are welcome. Margaret Cox. Tel 891231.

## 2.30pm Remembrance Service

(Next Sunday - Second Sunday before Advent Kingdom Season service order for Parish Eucharist.) Malachi 4:1-2a; Luke 21:5-19

| Fri 8 Nov    | 8-9.30pm | <b>Book Launch at St Edward's Church, Cambridge CB2 3PP.</b> Members of St<br>Mary's are warmly invited to the launch of Malcolm Guite's latest book of<br>poetry "After prayer". Cheese & wine and a reading of some of the poems.<br>"After prayer" will be on sale at the launch. |
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| Sun 10 Nov   | 2.30pm   | <b>Remembrance Service at St Mary's and the Cemetery War Memorial.</b> Tea and cakes available at the Village Hall 4.15pm approx. All welcome.   |
| Thurs 14 Nov | 7.30pm   | PCC meets in the Pavilion.   |
| Sun 17 Nov   | 3pm      | Messy Church does Science - Let there be light!  |
| Mon 18 Nov   | 7.45pm   | Mother's Union meets in the Pavilion.  |
| Sat 23 Nov   | 6.30pm   | <b>Confirmation Service at Ely Cathedral.</b> Steve and Suzanne Darkins from St Mary's will be confirmed at this service. Please come to support them.   |
| Sat 23 Nov   | 7.30pm   | <b>The Friends of St Mary's Quiz Night at the URC Hall.</b> Tickets, per table of 6 players, are £60 - ie £10 per person - which includes a Fish and Chips supper. Tickets from Chris Morse, tel. 891616.  |
| Sun 1 Dec    | 6pm      | Advent Service of music and readings.  |
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**Remembrance Service - Sunday 10 November.** The Events Committee are organising tea and cakes in the Village Hall after the service. If you are willing to make a cake, please would you sign on the list at the back of church asap. Many thanks. Sue Ellis.

**Official Welcome to Lizzie Bottrill. Lizzie Bottrill, the new Beacon Trust youth worker**, whom some of us met last week is being officially welcomed on behalf of the churches of Linton next Sunday (November 17th), at the Free Church at around 11.45 am. Members of St Mary's are invited to go along to share in the welcome.

Messy Church on Sunday, 17 November need Pringles-type boxes. If you are able to help, please let Sarah Thorne know.

**Saturday, 7 December 7pm - Meal and seasonal entertainment at St Mary's.** Tickets £12 soon available from Sue Ellis 892257; Anne Parry-Smith 894715. Or email events@stmaryslinton.org.uk

**Mary and Joseph to visit Linton.** Could you offer them a room for the night as they travel to Bethlehem during Advent? They will arrive with a candle and a prayer card for you to share together. Please sign the list at the back of church or email your details to Sarah Thorne, sarah.thorne@stmaryslinton.org.uk stating any dates that are not convenient for you, by 28th November. Once the list is complete and Mary and Joseph have been to visit, please arrange to pass them on to the next person on the list. (By signing up you give consent for your name and details to be shared with other families hosting Mary & Joseph.) This is also good opportunity to invite the person in for a cup of tea as you hand over the travelling crib. Mary and Joseph will arrive back at St Mary's for the crib service at 4pm on 24th December. Any questions please contact Sarah Thorne or Cathy Watts 893687.

**Thank you for supporting Children in Distress with the Love in a Box appeal.** The generous people of Linton have filled 100 shoeboxes. Every one will bring joy to a child or elderly person in Romania in time for Christmas. Sarah Thorne.

**Re-imagining our churches as community assets for the common good.** Following Geoffrey Hunter's presentation to Deanery Synod on 31 October, here is the REACH Ely website

www.elydiocese.org/about/reach-ely and the case studies website www.jbs.cam.ac.uk/facultyresearch/centres/social-innovation/reach-ely/case-studies/ The case studies include St Mary's.

Advance notice - FLOWER FESTIVAL May 2020. Castle Camps are planning a Flower Festival for the May Bank Holiday weekend 8th 9th and 10th May at All Saints Castle Camps. The theme is VE Day. I will be contacting all flower arrangements in coming months but please contact me if you want to help in any way. Please put a note in your diaries. Lindi Kent 01799 584012

**Scarecrow Festival calendars 2020.** These will soon be available showing a selection of the "Book characters" from this year's Linton Scarecrow Festival. Price £7. Proceeds to St Mary's.

**Haverhill Foodbank**. Here is a reminder of the general list of items needed: small jars of coffee; tea bags; sugar; longlife milk; longlife juice; biscuits; tinned tomatoes; tinned vegetables; tinned fruit; tinned meat/fish; tinned sponge pudding; instant mash; custard.Any item that you buy, please ensure a long use by date. Thank you.

PCC Meeting Dates for 2019-2020: Thurs 14 Nov, Mon 13 Jan, Thurs 12 Mar.

To add to the pewsheet, or to receive it by email, contact Anne: admin@stmaryslinton.org.uk. Information for pewsheet to be received by 11am Thursday.