Welcome to St Mary's Pewsheet for weeks commencing 22 & 29 Jan 2023



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Sunday, 22 Jan Third Sunday of Epiphany	8am 10am	<i>Readings: Isaiah 9:1-4; Matthew 4:12-23</i> Holy Communion (BCP) Together with God
Monday, 23 Jan	7.30pm	Events Committee Meeting
Wednesday, 25 Jan	7.30pm	Bellringing
Thursday, 26 Jan	10am 11am-2pm 1.30pm	Holy Communion in the Pavilion Warm Hub in the Pavilion Funeral Fr. Julian Thomson Gt Massingham
Friday, 27 Jan	9am 4pm 7.30pm	School Service at the Infants' School Evening Prayer Choir practice (25A Back Road) tbc
Sunday, 29 Jan Candlemas	8am 10am	<i>Readings: Malachi 3:1-5; Luke 2:22-40</i> Holy Communion (BCP) Team Eucharist All Saints Horseheath CB21 4QA There is no 10am service at Linton today
Tuesday, 31 Jan	10am	Scrabble Club meet in the Pavilion
Wednesday, 1 Feb	7.30pm	Bellringing
Thursday 2 Feb	10am 11am-2pm	Holy Communion in the Pavilion Warm Hub in the Pavilion
Friday, 3 Feb	9am 4pm 7.30pm	School Service in the Infants' School Evening Prayer Choir practice (25A Back Road)
Saturday, 4 Feb	9am 1pm 3pm	Parish Prayer Meeting via Zoom Funeral RIP Michael Lindsay (note time) Vintage Tea & Film "Waterlight"

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To add to the pewsheet, to receive it by email or as a paper copy, contact Anne: admin@stmaryslinton.org.uk by 9am_Thursday.

Forthcoming events/information

We apologise that the church is currently closed for several weeks to visitors outside Sunday service times while work is being carried out. Thursday morning Communion is held in the Pavilion behind the church.

Saturday, 21 January 10am-noon Coffee Morning and raffle in aid of church funds. All welcome. Please support our social events as any surplus monies raised go the Church. The New Years Eve party raised £65 for Church Funds.

Tuesday 24th January 11am-2pm Linton Library Cost of Living FREE drop-in event. Organisations will be gathering together, all in one place, to provide advice and support to help you through this winter and beyond. Call in for a warm welcome, a hot drink and a chat

Thursday, 26 January 1.30pm Funeral of Fr. Julian. For those attending—there is parking by the Village Hall and in the road. The Churchwarden, Steve Hudson is requesting the Village Hall be opened early for access to the toilets. There is also a café and toilet next to the church. Also, the village pub may be open.

Saturday, 28 January 2pm-3.30pm Crafty Café @Chalklands Community Room. The Cafés will be held on the last Saturday of the month. Share ideas, skills and a cuppa. All ages are welcome and our crafty cafes are free to attend. If you would like to attend/join a WhatsApp group, email <u>lintoncommunityhelp@gmail.com</u> Yannick Auckland.

Sunday, 29 January 10am at All Saints, Horseheath Team Eucharist. We are resuming Team Services on the 5th Sunday of the month. If you would like a lift, please contact Anne <u>admin@stmaryslinton.org.uk</u>

Saturday, 4 February 3pm in church. Vintage Tea followed by showing of the film "Waterlight—Portrait of a chalk stream." Tickets £10 (£5 children). Sue Ellis will be selling tickets in church after Sunday, 10am service or contact her on <u>events@stmaryslinton.org.uk</u> or 01223 892257.

As a church we would like to welcome our new incumbent with a food hamper. If you would like to give gifts of food or money (I will buy fresh, locally sourced food on the day), please place food items in the box at the back of church on a Sunday or drop them off at 1 Green Lane. Please give money directly to me (Cathy Watts) <u>cathy.watts@stmaryslinton.org.uk</u> The hamper will be ready for when Paul arrives at the Rectory on 5 February. We are also asking for **jam jars**, in case increased lighting needed for the institution. They can be left in church on a Sunday or at 1 Green Lane. Thank you.

Information/Prayerboard

Parish Prayer Board January 2023

We will normally keep names on the list for a couple of weeks unless circumstances change. Please indicate on the prayer list in church if the name(s) mentioned can be included on the pewsheet/website.

Sick—Please pray for John and Cynthia Norris; Audrey Fisher.

Departed—Revd Julian Thomson (Rector of St Mary's 1991-2001). We remember Julian and his family in our prayers. We also remember Philip Sparrow and his mother Michelle. Michael Lindsay. We remember his wife Diana and family in our prayers.

Ferrar House 2023 Programme of Quiet Days & Times of Reflection available from <u>info@ferrarhouse.co.uk</u>

'Finance update from Sue Ellis, PCC Treasurer

Last year we received £38.36 from Amazon Smile and £50.23 from Give as you live. There is information on the website if you would like to participate. The Ride and Stride brought in £63 for Church finances. The Diocese of Ely has given each Parish Church a £600 energy cost grant.

In addition our Carol service, Christmas Eve and Day collections raised £701.38 which is being split equally between Friends of the Holy and Cambridge Churches Homeless Project.'



We now have a new way of online giving which has a link and QR code. This information is also on the St Mary's website.

Book stall. We raised £32. in 2022. Thank you to everyone who bought/ donated books (paperback fiction in good condition). Anne Parry-Smith.

Christmas Quiz. Congratulations to the winners—Janet Conochie and family.

<u>Reach Haverhill</u> for latest update and newsletter.