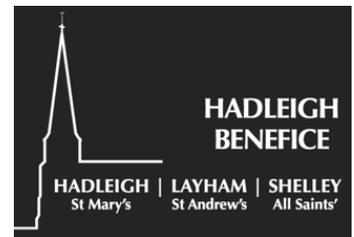


Sunday 8 April 2018

Easter 2



**Welcome to our service, especially if you are visiting today.
Please do join us for refreshments after the service
at St Mary's and All Saints'.**

THIS WEEK			
Morning prayer is said at St Mary's, Tuesday-Friday at 8.30am			
Sunday 8 April	12.30pm Sunday Lunch in Layham Village Hall (pre-booked only) 6.30pm Salvation Army Hall: CTiH Easter Celebration - all welcome		
Monday 9 April	6-8pm St Mary's – Defibrillator training: call Terry on 828063 between 10am and 4pm or 7pm – 9pm to book your place.		
Tuesday 10 April	11am Row Chapel – Mattins (BCP) 6-8pm Porch Project		
Wednesday 11 April	8.30am St Mary's – Morning Prayer and Eucharist 6-7.15pm St Mary's - FROGs, for all primary school aged children 7.30pm Ministry Team meeting		
Thursday 12 April	10.30am St Andrew's – Funeral: Sir William Aldous RIP 3.15pm St Mary's – Funeral: Paul Magnus RIP		
Friday 13 April	9.30am–12noon St Mary's – Café Church 10am Café Church Communion 10am-12noon St Mary's - Water Aid Coffee Morning 7-9.30pm Porch Project		
Saturday 14 April			
Sunday 15 April Easter 3	8am 9.15am 9.30am 10.45am	Said Eucharist (BCP) Sung Eucharist Café Church Informal Communion	St Mary's All Saints' St Andrew's St Mary's

NOTICES

WELCOME TO THE BENEFICE OF ST MARY'S HADLEIGH, ST ANDREW'S LAYHAM AND ALL SAINTS' SHELLEY. We hope you enjoy being with us, and look forward to welcoming you again in the future. Communicant members of all churches are welcome to receive communion – or come up for a blessing if you prefer.

If you require a **gluten free** communion wafer, please speak to one of the welcome team – preferably before the start of the service.



Children at St Mary's are welcome to use the area at the back of church, where there are toys, books and other things to do.

If you are a UK taxpayer and would like to **gift aid** your collection donation at St Mary's, please put it in the white envelope (available from the back of the church) and complete the details on the front. Please ask a welcomer if you cannot find an envelope. Thank you.

If you would like someone to pray with or for you after any service, please ask a member of the Ministry Team and they will direct you to someone who will be happy to do this.

Appointment of new priest: The Hadleigh Benefice will have a new priest-in-charge later this year, and the process leading to the new appointment is well underway. The vacancy is now being advertised, and interviews will take place towards the end of May. If you have any questions about the process, please do speak to the churchwardens.

Volunteers desperately needed...

We are very, very short of people to join the rotas for serving and welcoming at the 8am and 10.45am Sunday services at St Mary's. If you attend either of those services regularly, and would be interested in finding out more, *please* speak to one of the churchwardens or clergy. Full training and support will be given – and the more people we have on the rotas, the less onerous it is for everyone.

NOTICES AND FUTURE EVENTS



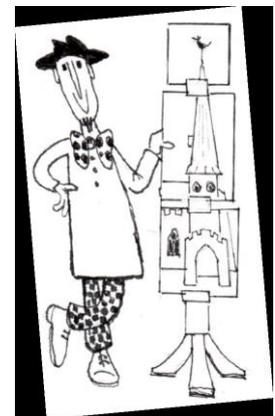
Many thanks to all who contributed in any way to the Holy Week and Easter services in our churches – those who led or assisted with worship, provided refreshments and decorated the church buildings .

Water Aid Coffee Morning: Friday 13 April, 10am -12noon at St Mary's. Please speak to Sue Moore, Kath Belling or Anne Chilton if you're able to help. They would particularly appreciate donations of cakes!

Please note: there is a mistake in some copies of the April Magazine – the service at St Mary's on Sunday 15 April is of course at 10.45am, as usual.

Layham and Shelley Walk: In aid of the Friends of St Andrew's Church, Layham - Friday 27 April. A beautiful circular walk taking approx. 1.5 to 2hours; to include coffee and biscuits and a delicious lunch of homemade sandwiches, cakes and a glass of wine. Meet at Waterhouse Farm, Lower Layham, IP7 5RA from 10.15am. Dogs are welcome - please keep on leads. Please make cheques payable for £15 per person, to: St Andrew's Church Trust and send along with the signed disclaimer (available from Sallie or from the office) to Sallie Jervois, Butterfly Hall, Upper Layham, IP7 5JZ before the 25th April

ST MARY'S ART EXHIBITION NEEDS YOU! An hour or two of your time between 20 & 28 April would be hugely appreciated. There are sign-up forms at the back of church, or speak to Jim Wilding. The Art Exhibition runs from Saturday 21 until Saturday 28 April, 10am-5pm, in St Mary's. Entry £1.50 including catalogue, children free; proceeds will enable St Mary's to continue to be alive and active in the community.



Card Distributors Needed: In May it is the turn of St Marys to distribute the cards for the roads that Churches Together in Hadleigh will be praying for each week. So we are looking for one volunteer for each week in May to take a bundle of cards and deliver them to all the houses in the designated roads. It should involve no more than one hour's work. If you feel able to help, please contact Brian Hempstead 810171 or b.hempstead@hotmail.co.uk. Thank you.

If you need to come into the Deanery Office at St Mary's, please remember that opening hours are 10am-12noon, on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. Any printing or copying requests need at least 24 hours' notice.

FAMILY PRAYERS

For health and wellbeing: Bob Stanley, Caroline Taylor, Amanda Brodie, Jenny Spencely, Mollie Burrage, Lucinda Salway, Kenny Scarff, Joan Rampling, Jo Oliver, David Prior, Marjorie Foster, Brian and Margaret Dagwell, Julia Hanford, Monica Lenox, Gemma, John Rye

Long term sick: list available

Recent deaths, Sir William Aldous, Paul Magnus, Lilian Brown

Praying the roads in Hadleigh: Boswell Lane + Red Hill Road + Freeman Close

Other prayers:

Father God, help us to love you in the good times and the bad, to serve you in joy or in sorrow, to trust that whatever life brings, you will always make possible new beginnings, joy now and for evermore. Amen.

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