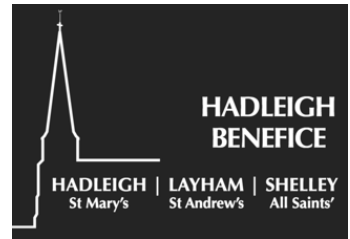


Sunday 29 April 2018

Easter 5



Welcome to our service, especially if you are visiting today.

THIS WEEK			
Morning prayer is said at St Mary's, Tuesday-Friday at 8.30am			
Sunday 29 April	No services at Layham and Shelley today, and no 10.45 service in Hadleigh; <u>10.30am</u> Deanery Eucharist in Bildeston		
Monday 30 April	6.30pm St Marys – Public meeting with Babergh District Council – see over for details		
Tuesday 1 May	11am Row Chapel – Sung Eucharist (BCP) 1.30-2.45pm Tadpoles, for babies, toddlers and their carers 4.30pm Silent Prayer, at the Salvation Army Hall - all welcome 6-8pm Porch Project		
Wednesday 2 May	8.30am St Mary's – Morning Prayer and Eucharist 1.30pm St Mary's – Funeral: Maureen Orriss RIP		
Thursday 3 May	9.30am Diary meeting in the deanery office 10.30am Sydney Brown Court – Holy Communion		
Friday 4 May	9am -1pm St Mary's - Craft and Produce Market 9.30am–12noon St Mary's – Café Church 10am Café Church Communion 3pm St Mary's – Funeral: Lilian Brown RIP 7-9.30pm Porch Project		
Saturday 5 May			
Sunday 6 May Easter 6	8am 9.15am 9.15am 10.45am 6pm	Said Eucharist (BCP) Morning Worship Sung Eucharist Sung Eucharist Informal Worship	St Mary's St Andrew's All Saints' St Mary'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.

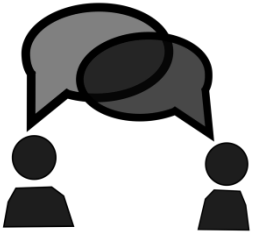
If you would like someone to pray with or for you after any service, please ask a member of the Ministry Team and they will direct you to someone who will be happy to do this.

Appointment of new priest: The Hadleigh Benefice will have a new incumbent later this year, and the process leading to the appointment is well underway. The closing date is next week, and interviews will take place towards the end of May. If you have any questions about the process, please do speak to the churchwardens.

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.

NOTICES AND FUTURE EVENTS

Many thanks to all who worked hard to enable another successful and enjoyable Art Exhibition at St Mary's last week.



There will be a **public meeting** taking place in St Mary's on Monday evening – a chance to put your questions to Babergh District Council on a range of matters. 6.30 for 7pm start, until 8.30pm. See posters and flyers or contact Angela Wiltshire angela.wiltshire@btinternet.com for more details

Card Distributors Needed: In May it is the turn of St Mary's 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.

Christian Aid Week 2018:

Sunday 6 May - service at 6.30pm at the URC - visiting speaker Rev Jenny Haggard speaks about the work of Christian Aid

Friday 11 May - 12noon to 2pm Homemade Soup/Roll & Cake lunch in the Ansell Centre

Saturday 12 May - Collecting in the Co-op from 10am - 12noon - could you spare an hour or two?

Friday 18 May - at St Mary's - A 'Big Brekkie' from 9.30am -12noon with cake and bring/buy stalls



Pentecost Family Picnic: Sunday 20 May 3.30-5pm at St Mary's – Songs, activities, stories, food – for children and adults. Please let us know if you are coming!

St Andrew's Church Annual Plant Sale: Perennials, Bedding and Veg, Plants Produce, Cakes, Teas Sunday 20 May at 2pm in Layham Churchyard.

Bar help needed for Suffolk Villages Festival Concert - Monday 28 May at 6pm. We need **4 people to set up and run the bar** that evening, from which we keep the profits. These are prestigious and well-attended events, and it's a great chance for us to offer quality hospitality and raise some funds! Please let Claire know, by email or a note, if you are able to take responsibility for this.



FAMILY PRAYERS

Recently married: Catherine Gaynor and Alun Rees

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, Andy Morton, Maureen Strutt

Long term sick: list available

Recent deaths, Lilian Brown, Maureen Orriss, John Brian Jackson

Praying the roads in Hadleigh: Long Bessels + Joseph Close + Threadneedle Street + Weavers Close

Other prayers:

Lord, your love knows no bounds, no limits, no distinctions.

We pray for those from whom we differ in religion, in race, in politics.

Help us to respect their point of view and to love them as they are loved by you, recognising that as everywhere is your country, so everyone is our neighbour.

Amen

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