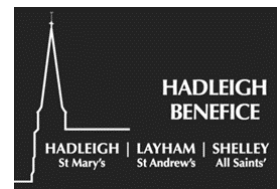


Sunday 21 February 2021

Lent 1



Welcome to the Benefice of Hadleigh, Layham and Shelley.

St Mary's is now open for private prayer from 12noon-3pm daily.

Please come in to sign up if you would like to volunteer to 'man' the church; the list is on the table at the back of church.

2 metre distancing must be observed at all times, and masks should be worn unless exempt.

St Andrew's is now open daily for private prayer.

All Saints' remains closed until further notice.

Services this week and next:

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| Sunday 21 Feb | 8am | Said Eucharist (BCP) | Hadleigh |
| | 10.45am | Eucharist | Hadleigh |
| Tuesday 23 | 4.30pm | Silent Prayer | Hadleigh |
| Sunday 28 | 8am | Said Eucharist (BCP) | Hadleigh |
| | 10.45am | Eucharist | Hadleigh |

Please note that there will be no 11am Matins on Tuesdays until further notice. We hope that gradually we may begin to re-instate other services, and until then Fr Jo will continue to send out the usual mix of resources.

The Benefice Office: please note that the office is closed to personal visitors until further notice, to ensure everyone's safety.

Hadleigh PCC meets on Thursday 25 February at 4pm, in church.

FIND donations: The collections crate is out in St Mary's porch every Wednesday between 12noon and 1pm. We are also supporting the **Porch Project** initiative to supply young people with free vital toiletries, and the receptacle is in church all week.

Electoral Roll: It's time to update our electoral rolls before the APCMs. If you are baptised, over the age of 16 and either live in the parish or are a regular worshipper in one of our churches, you should be on an electoral roll. If you would like a form, please speak to one of the churchwardens; forms are also available from St Mary's on Sunday mornings. Last year when lockdown first happened, we used the electoral rolls as our starting point for gathering contact information, so if you are new (or even if you're not so new but just haven't ever got round to it!) please do ask for a form.

FAMILY PRAYERS

For health and wellbeing: Sylvia Price, Abigail Green, Kevin Blain, Gemma, Fiona Taylor, Philip Mann, Ann Curtis, Keigan Curtis, Gerald Tryon, Joan and John Thomason, Alasdair Messenger, Howard Brisland (son of Keith Brisland) and all the Brisland family

For all residents and care staff of: Sydney Brown Court, Waterfield House, Magdalen House, Canterbury House, and Hadleigh Nursing Home.

For all who are alone or separated from loved ones, and for all for whom lockdown is particularly challenging or difficult.

Long term sick: list available

Recent deaths: Jane Leathers, Les Hughes, Terence Wiles, Christine Napier

Praying the roads in Hadleigh: Yeoman Way, Rousies Close, School Close

Other prayers:

Lord, help me this Lent, to fast from anger,
and feast on patience;
to fast from resentment
and feast on gratitude;
to fast from bitterness
and feast on forgiveness;
So that I can celebrate with joy
your Passover from death to life. Amen.

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Important: If you, or anyone in your household takes a COVID-19 test which produces a positive result, please let either the office or the churchwardens know immediately.