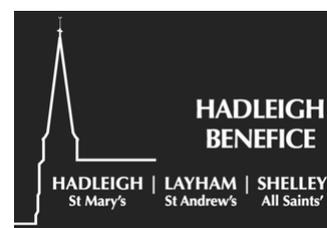


Sunday 29 May 2022

Easter 7



Welcome to the Benefice of Hadleigh, Layham and Shelley.
St Mary's is open for private prayer and visitors from 8:30 am to 5pm every day; St Andrew's and All Saints' are open daily.

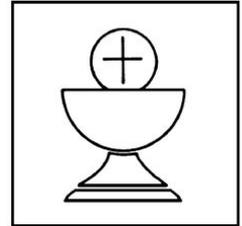
THIS WEEK		
Sunday 29 May Easter 7	8am Said Eucharist (BCP) 10.45am Benefice Eucharist 2pm Baptism	St Mary's St Mary's St Mary's
Monday 30 May		
Tuesday 31 May	11am Row Chapel: Matins (BCP) 4.30pm St Mary's: Silent Prayer	
Wednesday 1 June	8.30am St Mary's: Morning Prayer 11am CTiH meeting at the Salvation Army	
Platinum Jubilee Weekend		
Thursday 2 June	<i>Bank holiday</i> 10am Diary meeting in the Benefice Office	
Friday 3 June	<i>Bank holiday</i> 9.30am-12noon Café Church at St Mary's, with 10am Eucharist and Grand Jubilee Second Hand Stall and Raffle	
Saturday 4 June	Suffolk Villages Festival rehearsing in St Mary's all day	
Sunday 5 June Pentecost	8am Said Eucharist (BCP) 9.15am Morning Prayer 10.45am Sung Civic Eucharist 6.30pm BCP Evensong 7pm Suffolk Villages Festival Concert	St Mary's St Andrew's St Mary's All Saints' St Mary's

Please take this news-sheet home

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 areas at the side or back of church, where there are toys, books and other things to do.

WAYS TO GIVE

- There is a plate available for **cash** donations
- You can donate using the **contactless** terminal at St Mary's by the main entrance door.
- If you would like to give by **bank transfer** at All Saints' or St Andrew's, please ask the churchwarden for bank details, or look here: <https://stmaryshadleigh.co.uk/index.php/contact-us/giving>
- If you are a UK taxpayer and would like to **gift aid** your collection donation, please put it in the envelope (available in each church) and complete the details on it. Please ask a welcomer if you cannot find an envelope. Thank you.



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.

NOTICES AND FUTURE EVENTS

Thanks to all who supported the **Community Light Orchestra Concert** at St Mary's last Sunday – particularly those who served refreshments and helped to clear away afterwards. The retiring collection raised an excellent total, and we send £325 to FIND, with a similar amount raised for St Mary's.

Friday 3 June is a bank holiday, and there will be no Craft Market at St Mary's that day. Café Church will take place as normal though, and Patsy's Second Hand Stall will be there!

Basic Safeguarding Training – Tuesday 7 June at 9.30am (finishing by 12), in St Mary's. This face-to-face training session is for anyone who requires it, including all PCC members. Please let Trish know if you plan to attend.

Friends of St Mary's Hidden Gardens: Saturday 11 June, 11am-5pm. Entry to gardens is by programme, £5 per adult if purchased in advance, £6 on the day. Lunches and teas will be available in Church; all proceeds go the Friends of St Mary's Church. For more details, visit their website <https://hadleighgardens.co.uk>

A Midsummer Festival of Flowers, Music and Art: Saturday 25 and Sunday 26 June, at St Mary's, with a concert with Hadleigh Community Choir on Saturday 25 at 7.30pm – tickets £10 from the office, or from Avis's or The Idler. See posters and flyers for more details.

'John's Jottings' is a book of reminiscences of John Bloomfield (1933-2014) and his mother Alice, compiled and produced by John's widow Patricia. It's on sale in the office (among other places) at £8 a copy (all proceeds to the Friends of St Mary's, of whom John was a great supporter), and makes for an interesting and entertaining read.

Anniversaries of death: From July, we will include these on a dedicated page in the benefice magazine. If you would like to add the name of a departed loved one so that they can be remembered during the month of their anniversary, please email the office with the name and relevant month, or inform the office in writing. Names will only be added by request, and will automatically be carried over into subsequent years.

FIND donations: The crate is out in St Mary's porch every Wednesday between 12noon and 1pm, and on Sundays. We also welcome donations of toiletries for the **Porch Project**.

FAMILY PRAYERS

For health and wellbeing: Abigail Green, Alasdair Messenger, Kathryn Grandon, Matt Paisley, Keigan Curtis, Bill Armstrong, Zemira Burbridge, Christine Cook, John Marvell, Martin Cork, Hilary Griffin, Joyce Willis, Kathlyn Whitmore, Diana Ranner, Ann Curtis

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

Long term sick: list available

Recent deaths: Joyce Catling, Fred Breyer, Doreen Humphrey

Praying the roads in Hadleigh: Bradfield Avenue + Bradfield Crescent

Other prayers:

Heavenly Father, we give thanks and praise for our Queen who with her love for you, and her continuing faith has served her people for seventy years. You came in the form of Jesus Christ to be the greatest servant of all, and we pray that we may become inspired to use our lives to serve one another. Holy God, whose name is not honoured where the needy are not served, and the powerless ignored, may we embrace our neighbour with the loving kindness and compassion. Servant Christ, help us all to follow you.

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The Benefice Office at St Mary's is open from 10am-12 noon every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

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