



ST MARY'S WITH ST PETER'S BURY ST EDMUNDS

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seeking to **worship** the God and Father of our Lord Jesus in the power of the Holy Spirit; to **teach** the Bible in a way relevant to everyday life; to **grow** people in faith, understanding and love; to **equip** people to serve others; to **offer** people opportunities to meet Jesus and discover forgiveness and new life.

8 September 2019 Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to our churches. If you would like to find out more about the life of our churches, please do make yourself known either, to one of the staff or, complete a welcome form available at the back of church.

St Peter's Church

10.45am Holy Communion

Presiding: David Crofts

Preaching: Nick Alexander

Reading: Luke 14:25-33 p1048

Members of the prayer team will be available after the service.

Next Sunday – 13th after Trinity

St Mary's

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

9.30am Morning Worship

Please note that the 9:30 service of Morning Worship will take place in the Hyndman Centre.

11.00am Battle of Britain Service

6.30pm Choral Evensong

St Peter's

10.45am Morning Worship

4.00pm Sunday@4 Goes Messy

St Mary's Church

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP p175)

Presiding/Preaching: Lionel Simpkins

9.30am Holy Communion

Presiding: George Howard

Preaching: Mary Ann White

Reading: Luke 14:25-33 p990 (blue)

11.00am Morning Worship

Leading: Lionel Simpkins

Preaching: Clive Paine

Psalm: 1

Anthem: If ye love me – Tallis

Readings: Deuteronomy 30:15-20 p209
Luke 14:25-33 p1048

6.30pm Evening Prayer

Leading/Preaching: Wendy Sunderland

Psalm: 121 p622

Readings: Isaiah 43:14 - 44:5 p728
John 5:30-47 p1069

Westgate Community Café. We are delighted to announce the opening of Westgate Community Café. It will be opening to the public from Wed 23 Sept, 9:30am – 12noon in the Hyndman Centre but will open for the church on Wed 18 Sept. Do come and visit us; bring your friends and neighbours. If you have any board games, toys, cake stands or single stem vases you'd like to contribute, there's a box at the back of St Peter's. If you would like to help, please contact Caroline Anderson via email at andersoncaroline4@gmail.com.

A2B 20th Anniversary Thanksgiving Service (4:45pm) & **Celebration Concert** (7:30pm), 12 Oct 2019 at Freedom Church, Great Barton. To celebrate 20 years of God's faithfulness, A2B would like to invite members of St Peter's and St Mary's to join them for this special evening. David Fitzgerald will be joined by the Harvesters and Charity Quin for the evening concert. There is no charge but there will be an opportunity to make donations. Our own Nick Alexander will be preaching at the Thanksgiving Service.

Bury St Edmunds Old School Fund Foundation Grants. The Bury Old School Fund is a small local charity which provides modest grants to students in both secondary and tertiary education to assist with costs such as travel and books. Applicants, or their parents, must live within the town boundaries of Bury St Edmunds in order to be considered for a grant. For an application form please e-mail osfclerk@greenegreene.com. Applications for 2019/20 academic year must be received by 30th Sept.

this week

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday
Daily Prayer, 9:30 – 10am at St Mary's and **Friday**, 9.00 - 9.30am at St Mary's.

Tuesday

St Mary's DCC Meeting, 7:45pm, Hyndman Centre.

Wednesday

Little Fishes Babes & Toddlers, 9:30 – 11:30am, Hyndman Centre.

Holy Communion, 10am, St Mary's.

Thursday

Crafts Around the World, 7:45pm, St Peter's.

Friday

The Den, 6:30 – 8pm, Hyndman Centre.

Saturday

Parish Men's Breakfast, 8am, Pilgrims' Kitchen, with speak Lesley Marshall of Montgomery Heights.

Parish Walk around Hartest followed by lunch. Meet at the Crown from 10:45am.

For the month of September, **BCY is the mission focus at St Mary's and at St Peter's the focus is Westgate Family Supporters and BCY.** If you would like to make a donation, please use a giving envelope at the back of church, marking the name of the charity on the envelope.

Small groups meet during the week. If you would like to join a group, please speak to Nick Alexander (767042) for St Peter's, or at St Mary's – Edward Coningsby (766015).

Parish notice board

Dates for your diary

A Voice to be Heard: Christian Entrepreneurs living out their faith. The 6th annual Dr Jean Guy Memorial Lecture will be held at the Guildhall, Lavenham, tomorrow, 9 Sept at 7pm with speaker the Revd Dr Richard Higginson who until recently has been Lecturer in Christian Ethics and Director of Studies at Ridley Hall Theological College. He is now Chair of 'Faith in Business'. He has written extensively and is an international speaker on business ethics and the theology of work. All welcome. Refreshments available. Free admission (donations to Lavenham Church Funds).

Suffolk Churches Ride & Stride takes place this Saturday 14 Sept. At St Mary's, sponsorship forms are available in Anne Cross' pigeonhole for any who would like to take part. At St Peter's, sponsorship forms are available from Ian Nurcombe. If you are not walking or riding but could help for an hour to keep St Peter's open on the day, please speak to Ian.

Concert by the Choir of Clare College, Cambridge, Sat 26 Oct, 7:30pm in St Mary's. They will be performing the Requiem by Gabriel Faure, set alongside motets and anthems from the great English Choral tradition. Tickets available from the Theatre Royal Box Office priced £20 for central pews, £15 for side pews and restricted view, £30 for front pews including pre-show drinks with the conductor.

St Mary's

Please note that the 9:30am service next Sunday will take place in the Hyndman Centre. Please do join us there; parking is available on site.

Open Evening with Lesley Marshall, Monday 16 September, 7:30pm at 1 Swan Lane, BSE, IP33 2BY. Lesley is the director of Montgomery Heights, which is one of the mission agencies which St Mary's supports. All welcome.

Time Together. You are warmly welcomed to our next Time Together, on Friday 27 September, in the Lady Chapel at St Mary's, at 2.30 p.m. There will be delicious Autumn Desserts, and a short talk about a recent visit to the Holy Land. Please come and join us!

St Peter's

Westgate Community Café.

Volunteers needed to distribute flyers advertising the café this week. Please speak to Phil Hymers if you can assist.

Calling all bakers! If you would like to bake a cake on a monthly basis for the cafe please speak to Caroline Anderson on a Sunday or email her andersoncaroline4@gmail.com. To comply with Environmental Health regulations, she will need a copy of the recipe. Thanks everyone for all your support in this venture, it's coming together well.

daily Bible readings

Sunday

Psalm 122
Jonah 3:10-4:end
Revelation 8:1-5

Monday

Psalm 98
Micah 7:1-7
Mark 6:45-end

Tuesday

Psalm 106
Micah 7:8-end
Mark 7:1-13

Wednesday

Psalm 111
Habakkuk 1:1-11
Mark 7:14-23

Thursday

Psalm 115
Habakkuk 1:12-2:5
Mark 7:24-30

Friday

Psalm 139
Habakkuk 2:6-end
Mark 7:31-end

Saturday Holy Cross Day

Psalm 146
Genesis 3:1-15
John 12:27-36a

Sunday

Psalm 126
Isaiah 44:24-45:8
Revelation 12:1-12

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God of constant mercy,
who sent your Son to save us:
remind us of your goodness,
increase your grace within us,
that our thankfulness may grow,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

we pray for

- Those in need, including: Joy Blake, Vicky Last, Eric & Joan Russell, Justin.
- The family and friends of Maureen Jackson, Jean Howells and Margaret Angel as they grieve their death.
- Those children who attended Holiday Club and their families.
- Jackie Post, our Parish Administrator.
- Our Member of Parliament, Jo Churchill, MP.
- Manufacturing industry.
- The people of Hong Kong. Pray especially for the Christians of St John's Cathedral and other churches.

For all enquiries please contact: St Mary's & St Peter's Parish Office, St Mary's Church, Honey Hill, Bury St Edmunds IP33 1RT
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