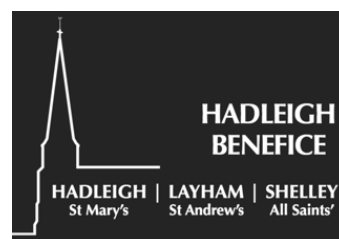


Sunday 3 September 2017

Trinity 12



**Welcome to our service, especially if you are visiting us 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, Monday-Friday at 8.30am			
Sunday 3 September	6pm St Mary's - Informal Worship		
Monday 4 September	10am Bereavement Support Group at The George		
Tuesday 5 September	All day at St Mary's – organ repairs 11am The Row Chapel – Sung Eucharist (BCP) 4.30pm Silent Prayer, at the Salvation Army Hall - all welcome 6-8pm Porch Project 7.30pm Daniel's Licensing at St Leonard's Watlington		
Wednesday 6 September	8.30am St Mary's - Morning Prayer and Eucharist 7.30pm Salvation Army Hall - Churches Together Forum		
Thursday 7 September	9.30am Diary meeting in the Deanery Office 10.30am Ministry Team meeting in church 10.30am Sydney Brown Court - Holy Communion 5.30pm St Mary's – Wedding Rehearsal		
Friday 8 September	9.30am St Mary's – Prayer Meeting 9.30am–12noon St Mary's – Café Church 10.15am Café Church Communion 11.45am Funeral at Ipswich Crem: Maureen Hutchinson RIP 1pm St Mary's – Wedding: Eve Foulger and Mark Codling 5-7pm Fete setting up 7-9.30pm Porch Project		
Saturday 9 September	11am – 3pm St Mary's Fete		
Sunday 10 September Trinity 13	8am	Said Eucharist (BCP)	St Mary's
	9.15am	Sung Eucharist	St Andrew's
	9.15am	Morning Worship	All Saints'
	10.45am	Informal Communion with Baptism	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 inside the hymn book and complete the details on the front. Please ask a welcomer if you do not have an envelope. Thank you.

We offer **Prayer Ministry** at all the 10.45am services at St Mary's. Members of the team will be wearing badges - please feel free to approach them. Anything you share is confidential. Please go to the North (Lady) Chapel after receiving bread and wine. After receiving prayer you are welcome to stay in the chapel for a while.

Volunteers needed please!

September is St. Mary's month for delivering the **CTiH Praying the Streets** cards. Hopefully this can be largely self-organising. If you're able to help, please choose the week and street/s you are able to do and then pick up (from the office) the appropriate number of cards. Here are the dates and streets:



(wb 3 Sept	taken)
wb 10 Sept	Stockton Close (67 cards)
wb 17 Sept	Glanville Road + Aylward Close + Carlton Walk (114 cards)
wb 24 Sept	High Street + Old Fire Station Yard + Toppesfield Close (100 cards)

Trish would like to say big thank you for the card, plant and gift vouchers we presented her with last week to mark the end of her time as verger at St Mary's.

NOTICES AND FUTURE EVENTS

Would you like to join a Homegroup? Janice & Barbara are running a course on Discipleship based on St Paul's letter to the Philippians, with the aid of a DVD and handbook. It is both challenging and encouraging. It will be held on Wednesdays (mostly fortnightly) at 7 pm starting on 6 September. If you wish to know more or would like to join please contact 808835. Thank you.



Suffolk Historic Churches Trust Bike Ride: Saturday 9 September, from 9am to 5pm. If you would like to cycle, or to be a recorder or sponsor on the above date, please give your name to Jane Harrison (822361) or to the church office.

St Mary's Fete: Boxes for donations of books, bottles for the tombola, and *good-quality* bric-a-brac will be out in church today. We also need bottles for the Wine Game, and cakes etc for the cake stall. Stallholders – please pick up a letter from the fete table at the back of church; this contains everything you need to know!



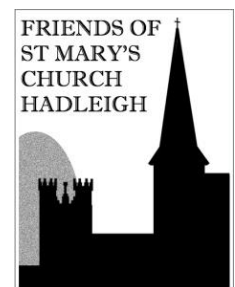
Tadpoles, for babies, toddlers and their carers, will restart after the summer break on Tuesday 12 September. They meet from 1.30pm until 2.45pm at St Mary's each Tuesday in term time.



There will be a **Garden Tea Party** at Butterfly Hall, Upper Layham IP7 5JZ on Sunday 17 September from 3.30 to 6pm. Price is £5 per adult £2.50 per child – all profits to St Andrew's. All are welcome!

Choral Evensong: Sunday 17 September at 6pm All Saints' Shelley to celebrate the completion of the Servedy and WC facilities. The preacher will be The Archdeacon of Sudbury and the service will be sung by the St Edmundsbury Singers. All welcome!

The Friends of St Mary's John Bloomfield Memorial Lecture - TRADITIONAL SUFFOLK BUILDING WITH TIMBER AND BRICK: Two presentations by Suffolk Craftsmen. Saturday 23 September 9.30am-12.30pm in St Mary's Church. Tickets £10, available from the church office.



A date for your diary - **Shelley Church Christmas Craft Fair** - Saturday 28 October, 10am to 1pm, in All Saints' Church. To include: various craft and Christmas stalls, tea, coffee, mulled wine; drawing sessions taken by Mike Crowe. More details to follow.

FAMILY PRAYERS

For health and wellbeing: Terry Powell, Jess Fyfield, Vera Staines, Tom Slaughter, Bob Stanley, Maureen Bell, Shirley Kilbey, Caroline Taylor, Sue Foster, Amanda Brodie, Colin Lenox, Christopher Browne

Long term sick: list available

Recent deaths, Margaret King, Maureen Hutchinson, June Tyrrell

Praying the roads in Hadleigh: Canterbury Gardens + Drapers Close + Fullers Close+ Tenter Close

We continue to pray for Martin, Pauline and their family following the sentencing, and for all victims.

Other prayers: Lord, we feel helpless in all the difficult situations going on in the world, but we know that prayer is something we can do; we know that You, Lord, hear all for which we ask. We pray for the situation in Eritrea, where at least 210 Christians have been arrested since May and detained in desert camps and military facilities. We renew our prayers with energy and hope after the release of the 4 prisoners in Sudan for whom we have been praying; knowing that You have indeed heard our prayers.

"Blessed is the one who perseveres under trial, because having stood the test, that person will receive the crown of life that the Lord has promised to those who love Him " *James 1:12*

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Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

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