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Who's Who at St. Mary's

St. Mary's Church, Weaverham, takes its duty and obligation to protect everyone, extremely seriously. If you have any safeguarding concerns or issues of a safeguarding nature our Safeguarding Officer is Louise Parry, who can be contacted through the Church office, 01606 851880 or by e-mail

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Giving to St. Mary's

Please use the gift aid envelopes if you would like to make a gift for the church and are a UK taxpayer.

If you attend St. Mary's regularly, you might like to consider setting up a Standing Order

You can also give to St Mary's by using your bank card. The machine is at the back of church - it is also possible to gift aid your donation - just answer yes and type in your email address

Talk to John Freeman our Treasurer for more information



St Mary's Church Service & Notice Sheet 10th March

We are delighted that you have come to join with us for our worship services today. If there is anything you're not sure of, please ask any of the people at the back of church. Everything you need for the 10.30 service will be up on the screen. For Communion services, Gluten Free wafers and non-alcoholic wine are available - please ask.

Services Today - Mothering Sunday

8.30am - Communion - Yellow Book

10. 30am - Methodist Morning Worship

6.30pm - Evening Prayer Green Book and H&P

Readings: Numbers 21:4 - 9 [OT 145] John 3:14 - 21 [NT 90]

If there's something you would like to bring to God in prayer our Prayer Ministry team will be in the side chapel after the 10.30 service.

After Service Refreshments

are served in church, usually after 10.30 & 6.30 services why not join us - its good to talk!

Collect - 4th Sunday of Lent

God of love, passionate and strong, tender and careful: watch over us and hold us all the days of our life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Services Next Week 17th March

8.30am - Communion 10.30 Morning Worship 6.30pm - Methodist Evening Service



Children & young people are very much part of our church family and welcome at any service.

Activities for small children are at the back of church at the 10.30am

Young People's Fellowship

Lighthouse - 7.00 - 8.30pm [High School years 7-13]

Talk to Jerry or Sue for more info.

Fully Accessible Toilet facilities are available in the main entry porch

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What's happening this week



Monday 11th March STICKY FINGERS 9.15 - 10.45am

Time for parents, grandparents and other carers with babies and preschool children to enjoy play time, crafts, singing etc, with healthy snacks and home-made cakes. Why not join us?

Monday 11th March - 11.00pm Funeral - Patricia Perona

Tuesday 12th March - 1.45pm Funeral - David Wilson



NORTHWICH METHODIST OUTREACH CENTRE Lent Study Course

Wednesdays at 7.30pm

More information at the back of church

Friday 15th March - 2.00pm
Funeral - Peter Collins



ADRIAN & BRIDGET PLASS SATURDAY 16th MARCH 6.30 for 7.00pm

Meal with Adrian and Bridget in the Lighthouse - and lots of wise and witty words!



Tuesday 12th March LIGHTHOUSE CAFÉ 9.15 - 12.30pm

Catch-up with friends old and new and enjoy, coffee, tea, hot chocolate, toasted teacake, scones - the choice is yours - all for £4.00! Come along - and why not bring a friend?

Wednesdays 9.30 - 10.30am - Food Hub in the Lighthouse

Fresh Supermarket Food at its 'Sell -by' date for a donation of £1.00.



UPCYCLING SHED & CRAFTY WORKSHOP



Thursday 14th March 9.30am

Upcycling projects - we have all the tools and ideas you may need.

And crafters - we have lots of crafty ideas too!

And......tea and coffee!

Talk to David or June for more info.



HOME BASED LENT COURSE

At various locations in the village. Dates and times are at the back of church - you will be very welcome!

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Other News and Dates for your Diary



ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING 29th April - 7.30pm

Forms to apply for both Church
Warden and for the Church
Council are at the back of church
Anyone who is on the Electoral Roll
can apply but it is a requirement of
the Council that all nominees must
hold a current DBS certificate or be
willing to apply for one.

Talk to Paul, Vicky or Colin for more information

If you're not yet on our Electoral Roll you might like to consider 'Joining Up and Joining In'. Leaflet with all the information is at the back of church.



Saturday 23rd March WALKING GROUP - 10.00am Meet in the church carpark

The walk will be ab out 4 miles long. Please wear strong shoes or boots. New walkers are always welcome



HELP NEEDED to share Easter with Weaverham children

Following on from Experience
Christmas we want to share the Good
News of Easter with the children of
Weaverham and their families.
We'll help 'eggsplore' through 'stations'
with story-telling, reflection and varied
fun activities.

Can you help us prepare, set-up, present part of the story, help with activities or serve refreshments?
Sign-up sheet at the back of church.
Talk to Georgina for more information:
07762559669

Eggsplore Easter Event to be held in Church and the Lighthouse Good Friday morning, March 29th 10am -12 noon.



FRESH BEGINNINGS COOKERY COURSE Saturday 23rd March

10 - 12.00noon in the LighthouseAll the details on the noticeboard at the back of church & on the website



FOODBANK

February total was 60.2 Kgs
Thank you for your generosity - box at
the back of church for donations [Please
make sure all items are well within their
sell-by date - thanks!]



ALL CHURCHES EASTER SERVICES FLYER

Is at the back of church. Can you help distribute them? - please sign up at the back of church to deliver a street or two and take the flyers you need We have plenty!