

Our Mission Statement
'to share the light and hope of Jesus in our community'

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 safeguarding@stmarysweaverham.org

Vicar:

Rev. Paul Withington 852110 vicar@stmarysweaverham.org
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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** **12th October 2025**

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 bread is used and Gluten Free wafers are available, non-alcoholic wine is available too - please ask.

Services Today

8.30am - Communion

10.30am Morning Worship

6.30pm - Evening Prayer

Readings: 2 Timothy 2: 8 - 15 [NT 209] & Luke 17: 11 - 19 [NT 77]

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 morning service.



After Service Refreshments

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

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

19th October

8.30am - Communion

10.30am - Morning Worship

6.30pm - Evening Prayer

Fully Accessible Toilet facilities are
available in the main entry porch



Children & Young People

Children and young people are welcome at all our services and we have toys for babies and little ones at the back of the Church.

The 10.30am service is particularly family friendly with our Kid's Church leaders ready, by the font, with activities for children of any age.

Later in the service there is an interactive bible-time in the bell-tower for any children who wish to join in, with or without parents/carers.

PLEASE NOTE:

We now have a CCTV system installed in church. This will be operational at all times, except when services are in progress.
Talk to Colin or Bob for more information

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What's happening this week



STICKY FINGERS
Monday 13th October
9.15 - 10.45am

Time for parents, grandparents and other carers with babies & preschool children to enjoy play time, crafts, singing etc, with healthy snacks and home-made cakes.



Wednesdays 9.30 - 10.30am
Food Hub in the Lighthouse



Wednesday 15th October
10.30 - Midweek Communion



Saturdays - Church is open
from 10 - 12 noon
 Why not come in and sit quietly for a few minutes?



Sat. 18th October 6 - 7.00pm
in the Lighthouse
 PCSO - Michelle Gillett 'surgery'
 Phone: 07812 781911,
michelle.gillett@cheshire.police.uk



ECO IDEA!

10 million pumpkins are grown a year in the UK. What percentage are hollowed out for lanterns? Answer 95%! If you buy one, why not use the pulp for soup? <https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/recipes/pumpkin-soup>



LIGHTHOUSE CAFÉ
Tuesday 14th October - 9.15am

Why not bring a friend along to the café, enjoy good company, good food & a variety of coffee and tea.



Tuesday 14th October
EMBRACE CAFÉ
2.00 - 4.00pm

A drop in café for people affected by dementia, and their carers.
[Talk to Marcia for more info]



Thurs 16th Oct. 9.30am
UPCYCLING SHED & CRAFTY WORKSHOP



Upcycling projects - we have all the tools & lots of ideas so come along and be creative!
The Crafters are making cards with an Autumn theme



IMPORTANT
Lighthouse Alarms & Locks
Please make sure you lock-up after Your Event.

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Other News and Dates for your Diary



BANNERS!

We are going to try and make some new Banners for church.
 Can you help?
 Designers, Sewers, Crafters, Good Ideaists - we need them all!
 Interested?
 Talk to Sue Winnington for more info or call her on:
 07976 308284



STAMPS FOR OXFAM

Lis collects used stamps for Oxfam. There is a box at the back of church - please help to fill it!
 Thanks! *[Please leave a good margin round the stamps]*



PRAYER

If you want to pray for St Mary's or request prayer, join the St Mary's Family Facebook group. It's a private group so posts can only be seen by members.



ELECTORAL ROLL

If you're not 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.



INVITATION

The Memorial Orchard group invite you to
Remembrance Service at the Orchard at 10.00 on Friday 24th October
 to commemorate 80 years since the end of WWII, with contributions from pupils at Weaverham and Hartford schools.
 For more details please speak to Tina or e-mail
action-group@orchard.weaverham.org.uk
We Will Remember Them



HARTFORD METHODIST CHURCH
Action for Children - Fundraiser
SATURDAY 25TH OCTOBER
2.30 - 4.00pm

Gift, Cakes, Christmas Stalls
Raffle to include Christmas Hamper
 Entrance £5.00 incl. refreshments
See Poster at the back of church



Direct from the West End
THE LION, THE WITCH AND THE WARDROBE

At the Lowry Theatre Salford
Thursday 11th December
 Transport will be via car sharing.
 Talk to David Whitfield for more info or see the handout at the back of church
Sign up sheet at the back too!