

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: weaverham.church.office@gmail.com

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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

Talk to John Freeman our Treasurer for more information



St Mary's Church Service & Notice Sheet 22nd January 2023

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. For Communion services, Gluten Free wafers and non-alcoholic wine are available - please ask.



Services Today - 22nd January

8.30am Communion

10.30am - Methodist Covenant Service with Revs. Janet & Paul

Readings am: Deut. 29: 10-15; [192 OT] Jeremiah 31: 31-34; [746 OT]

Mark 14: 22-25 [49NT]

6.30pm Evening Prayer

Readings pm: 1 Cor1: 10 - 18 [162NT] & Matthew 4: 12 - 23 [NT3]

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 after

10.30 & 6.30 services why not join us - its good to talk!

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

Collect - Covenant Sunday

God of grace, through the mediation of your Son, you call us into a new Covenant.

Help us to draw near with faith and join ourselves in a perpetual covenant with you. **Amen**



Next Sunday 29th January United Service - 6.30pm With Confirmation

Bishop Sam will be with us for this service.



Young People's Fellowship 7.00 - 8.30pm - in the Lighthouse

[High School years 7-13]

We look at the bible, pray for each other, play games and eat! Social events are organised too.



Hearing aid users please turn to the T setting

Fully Accessible Toilet facilities are available in the main entry porch

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What's happening this week

Morning Prayers - Monday 23rd @ 9.00am & Wednesday 25th @ 8.30am
Join us in church to informally discuss the Scripture readings for the day and pray for the church, our community and beyond.



Monday 23rd January
STICKY FINGERS
9.15 - 10.45am

Time for kids to have fun be creative & socialise and for parents & carers to meet up with friends.



Tuesday 24th January
9.15 - 12.00 Lighthouse Cafe

A warm welcome awaits! All the usual treats - Coffee, tea, toasted teacake, cake - the choice is yours. come along - you'll be glad you did!



Upcycling Shed
Thursday 26th 9.30am

January is the best time to sharpen your creative skills! Why not come along, share ideas over a coffee and get to work.

Wednesdays 9.30 - 10.30am - Food Hub in the Lighthouse
Fresh Supermarket Food at its 'Sell-by' date for a donation of £1.00.

Saturday 28th January
Mens Breakfast 8.00am
Join us for a 'Full English'. The Speaker will be our own Phil Bishop Sign up sheet at the back of church. Why not bring a friend?

Eco-Tip of the Week
And save some money too!
Only fill the kettle with the amount of water you need.

Saturdays - Church is open from 10 - 12 noon [Weather Permitting]
Come in and sit quietly for a few minutes - you'll be glad you did!

PLEASE NOTE
Items for the pew sheet rely on you to tell us what is happening
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Other News and Dates for your Diary

HEALTHY CHURCH REVIEW
Save the Date!

Please make every effort to join us in The Lighthouse on either:
Thursday 2nd February at 7.30pm
or
Saturday 4th February at 9.30am
as we review the progress we have made in 2022 and consider how God is continuing to lead us in our journey together as a church into 2023 and beyond.
Further details will follow nearer the time. Many thanks. Paul & Phil.

Sad News
Lyulph Garner - a member of our church has sadly died. His funeral service will be in Church on **30th January at 1.00pm**. Please include his family in your prayers.



Saturday 11th February
WALKING GROUP - 10.00am
Meet in the church car park.
Come and join us as we look for signs of spring!
The walk will be about 4 miles long, please wear strong shoes or walking boots and bring a mid morning snack.
New walkers always welcome
Liz 07572995789 can tell you more. to know more.

ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING [ACM]

Monday 13th February - 7.30pm
in the Lighthouse

We are coming up to the ACM - where we review the last 12 months and ask for God's guidance for the year ahead. So put the date in your diary and come along.

Pick up a leaflet at the back of church with more information.



DON'T FORGET THE RECYCLE BIN!

Its in the Lighthouse - blister packs, crisp packets [split open and washed if possible] and plastic bottle tops, all in bags if possible please - there's a box at the back of church too!
Every little helps



VISIT THE HOLY LAND
4th - 14th September

Churches Together in Rochdale are planning a pilgrimage to the Holy Land this year.

There is a poster at the back of church with all the information.