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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 26th 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 Methodist Communion 6.30pm - Evening Prayer

Readings: 2 Timothy 4: 6 - 18 [NT 211] & Luke 18: 9 - 14 [NT 78]

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 2nd November

8.30am - Communion 10.15am - Café Church - Lighthouse 6.30pm - Evening Communion

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 ARE ON HOLIDAY!

Back next week -

3rd November 9.30am



Monday 27th October 6.00 - 7.00pm in the Lighthouse

PCSO - Michelle Gillett 'surgery' Phone: 07812 781911,

michelle.gillett@cheshire.police.uk



Wednesdays 9.30 - 10.30am

Food Hub in the Lighthouse



Wednesday 29th October

10.30 - Midweek Communion



Saturdays - Church is open from 10 - 12 noon

Why not come in and sit quietly for a few minutes?

PRAYER

If you want to pray for St Mary's or request prayer, why not join the St Mary's Family Facebook group? It's a private group so posts can only been seen by members.



LIGHTHOUSE CAFÉ Tuesday 28th October - 9.15am

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



Tuesday 28th 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 30th October 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 doing Christmas!



ROYAL BRITISH LEGION Poppy Appeal

There are poppies and collecting tins at the back of church and in the Lighthouse entrance.

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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



SERMON NOTES SHEETS

Are available at the back if you want to jot down anything from the sermon. There are pens too - but please return them afterwards thanks!



WEAVER VALE ART SOCIETY

Exhibition and Sale

Saturday 15th November 10.00am - 5.00pm in the Lighthouse

Local artists work will be on display and items for sale.

Tea and Coffee available too.



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!



FOODBANK

The box is at the back of church for your donations - please make sure everything is within date. Thank you for your generosity!



LEAVES AT THE LIGHTHOUSE

Direct from the West End

THE LION. THE WITCH

Do you need some leaves for your garden?

There are some bags at the front of the annexe - help yourself or bring your own bag and fill it!



THE RECYCLE BIN! Plastic Bottle Tops Only Please

Please put them in bags if you can. The bin is in the Lighthouse entrance - there's a box at the back of church too.