

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

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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 Kath Burgess our Treasurer for more information



St Mary's Church **Service & Notice Sheet** **5th July 2026**

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.

Service Today

8.30am - Communion

10.15am - Café Church in the Lighthouse

6.30pm - Evening Communion

Readings: Genesis 24:34 - 67[20 OT] Matthew 11: 16 - 30 [11 NT]



After Service Refreshments

are served in church, why not join us - its good to talk!



SERVICES NEXT WEEK **12th July**

8.30am - Communion

10.30 - 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



MONDAY 6th July
STICKY FINGERS
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.

Talk to Vicky or Georgina for more info



Wednesdays 9.30 - 10.30am
Food Hub in the Lighthouse



Wednesday 8th July
10.30am Communion Service



Wednesday 8th July
JUST PRAY!

7- 8.00pm - in the Annexe
Come and join in
as we pray together.

Talk to Marion for more info.



Saturdays - Church is open
from 10 - 12 noon

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



LIGHTHOUSE CAFÉ
Tues. 7th July - 9.15am

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

Come & join in
you'll be glad you did!



UPCYCLING SHED & CRAFTY WORKSHOP
Thurs. 9th July - 9.30am

Last meeting today for for both Crafts and Upcycling.

Have a good summer - see you in September!



Friday 10th July
LESLEY CRAIG
Memorial Service 2.00pm

Afternoon tea will be served in the Lighthouse after the service.



THOUGHT

"When the dark clouds come...
...keep going" said the horse.

The Boy, the Mole, the Fox and the Horse
Charlie Mackesy

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Other News and Dates for your Diary



GIANT MARBLE RUN!
Chester Cathedral
25th July - 30th August

Fancy a race?

Step up to our 10-metre

Giant Marble Run

in the Nave and send your giant marble on a journey past landmarks of Chester.

Free to play, fun for all ages - just turn up and give it a go.

More information

<https://chestercathedral.com/events/event/giant-marble-run>



JANET ASPEY

Our Methodist Minister
will be retiring next

month and her Final Circuit Service
will be here at St. Mary's on

Sunday 26th July at 10.30am

People from all the churches in the Circuit will be joining us and there will be a 'Faith Lunch' [Bring & Share] in the Lighthouse after the Service. We have been asked to provide cold, savoury items and there is a sheet at the back of church so you can tell us what you can bring.

There is a collecting bucket at the back for donations for a gift for Janet.



EMPTY BIRD FOOD BUCKETS

Mike and Jules have 4 of these that are looking for a useful home to save them going in the plastics rubbish.

Can you help?

Talk to Mike or Jules for more info.



SITUATIONS VACANT

St. Mary's welcomes everyone to our services and our Sidespeople's team do a splendid job. We could do with some more people to join the team.

Could this be you?

Talk to Bob or Colin for more information about this really important part of our mission



If anyone asks you - the graveyard is the responsibility of Cheshire West.

Any queries about condition etc. should be addressed to them.

www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/

Telephone 0300 123 8123



FRODSHAM METHODIST CHURCH

PUDDINGS AND PRAISE!

Friday 10th July 7.00pm

With the Ukele Band

See Poster at the back of church!