

**Our Mission Statement**  
**'to share the light and love 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](mailto:weaverham.church.office@gmail.com)**

### Vicar:

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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 17th July

We are delighted to welcome this morning for Thanksgiving: Poppy & Millie and Leo & Amelia. Their mums and dads Lyndsey & Shaun and Stacy & Dean, families and friends. We give our love and prayers on this very special day.

Everything you need for 10.30am services will be up on the screens

### Services Today

8.30am Communion

10.30am - Morning Worship & Thanksgiving

6.30pm - Evening Prayer [Green Bk. & Hymns & Psalms]

**Readings :** Colossians 1: 15 - 28 [pg.197] & Luke 10: 38 - 42 [pg.69]

**Prayer Ministry in the Lady 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 & welcome at any service.

Activities for small children are provided during the 10.30am service

### Services Next Week

#### Sunday 24th July

8.30am - Communion

10.30am - Methodist Communion

6.30pm - Evening Prayer



### Young People's Fellowship

[years 7-13] meet on Sunday from 7 - 8.30pm in the Light-house to look at the bible, pray for each other, play games and eat! Regular social events are organised too.

**Last meeting before the holidays**



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 Mon 18th 9.00am & Wed. 20th July at 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 18th - Sticky Fingers Lighthouse 9.15 - 10.45am.**

Time for kids to have fun be creative & socialise and for parents & carers to meet up with friends. **Talk to Vicky or Georgina**

**Wednesdays 9.30 - 10.30am Weaverham Food Hub in the Lighthouse**

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

**Wednesday 20th July**

Communion Service 10.30am

**Wednesday 20th July MENS BOWLS**

Christ Church - Barnton  
Matches to start at 1.30pm.  
Contact Dave Kerr: 853417 or 07450176184

**Pilgrim Pedallers - Saturday 23rd July - 2.00pm**  
**Meet at the Lighthouse**

Afternoon ride out along the Whitegate Way to the Station, stopping for refreshments before returning via Vale Royal Abbey. The route is approx 19 miles in total and is suitable for hybrid/mountain bikes.

For further information please speak to either Caroline or Phil  
**e-mail: valeroyal.pilgrimpedallers@gmail.com**  
or tel: 07934437943.

**Hope to see you there!**

**Tuesday 19th July**

**Lighthouse Cafe 9.15 - 12.30**

Coffee, tea, toasted teacake, cake - the choice is yours. All for £3.00 - Come along and bring your friends  
**Talk to Marcia, Norma or Sue**

**Upcycling Shed - Thurs 21st 9.30am in the Annexe**

Come & discuss your latest projects and get to work! - lots of equipment and advice on hand  
Talk to David for more info.

**Thursday 21st 11.30am**

Funeral - Barbara Cooksley

**Friday 22nd 10.45am**

Funeral - Phyllis Lightfoot

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## Other News and Dates for your Diary



**FOODBANK**

We support the Foodbank - there is always a box at the back of church for contributions of food, toiletries etc.

Thank you for your generosity [Please make sure all items are well within their sell-by date - thanks!]



**ADVANCE NOTICE START COURSE**

**Wednesday 7th September**

This will be a 'face to face' course and is for anyone interested in exploring the Christian faith in a fun & interactive way.

**Talk to Phil for more information**

**PLEASE NOTE**

Items for the pew sheet rely on you to tell us what is happening - it reaches more people as it is on the web site too.

**THANK YOU!**

to the person who found the key - it has been returned to its owner!

**Funeral**

The funeral for Jean Wilson will be on Wednesday 27th July at 12.45pm

**WEAVERHAM COMMUNITY CHOIR - SINGALONG!**

An Invitation to join them in their end of season session

**THURSDAY 21st July**

**12.30 - 2.00pm**  
**Lakehouse Field [or, if wet, in the Community Centre]**

Poster at the back of church

**Eco-Idea of the week**

**Recycle clothing at Charity Shops [helps the Charity too!]**



**Chris Pritchard**

The bucket for donations for Chris will be removed today.

**Next Sunday 24th July** Chris will be with us for services in the morning and we will go over to the Lighthouse after the 10.30am to make a presentation to Chris. Please come if you can.

There is a card at the back of church if you want to add your good wishes.

**Services on Sunday 31st July** will be 8.30am Communion  
**2.00pm Leaving Service for Chris at Hartford Methodist Church**

No 6.30pm service in that day.