

The Four Churches Notice Sheet
St Mary's Fowlmere, St Laurence Foxton, All Saints' Shepreth, St George's Thriplow



Sunday 18th October 19th Sunday after Trinity

Welcome!

"We are delighted to be able to welcome into our churches for worship. We are currently asking you to book a place for worship so that we can be sure we are keeping people safe.

Sunday 18th October

9.30 am at St Laurence's, Foxton. Contact Jean McCombie on 01223502368 or jeanmccombie@hotmail.com

11.00 am at St Mary's, Fowlmere. Contact Liz Nottage on 01763 209181 or liz@nottageagriculture.co.uk

It is now mandatory to wear masks in all places of worship and we ask you to comply with this. We are also maintaining social distance and one way systems and ask you to use the anti-bacterial hand gel when you enter or leave the churches.

If you are coming to church it would be helpful, to avoid infection spread, if you would either print off the order of service on the Web Site or download it onto a device which you can read it from in church.

Things will not be how you are used to experiencing church and we are still not able to sing but are delighted to welcome the choir at St Mary's who will be contributing to the worship there. We know things will be very different but we are looking forward to meeting God and each other in new ways during this time.

If you are not comfortable returning to church yet the service will be recorded and uploaded to YouTube so you will be able to join in with the worship from home at 11.30 am.

To book for services Sunday 25th October

9.30 am at St George's, Thriplow contact: Liz Moore on 01763 208735 or elizabeth.williams3579@gmail.com

11.00 am at All Saints, Shepreth contact: Catharine Salmond telephone 01763 260398.

Four Church Benefice Website

To find out most things going on in our churches, go to the Benefice website at <https://www.thefourchurchbenefice.org>

If the information you want isn't there it will tell you who to contact for help.

Readings

1 Thessalonians 1.1-10
Matthew 22.15-22

Prayer for the Bereaved

The family of George Smith.
The family of Colin Pope.
The family and friends of Richard Kilner

Verse of the Week Matthew 22:21

He said to them, "So give back to Caesar what is Caesar's, and to God what is God's."

Prayer of the Week

Lord Jesus, in my quiet moments, may I offer my innermost desires and yearnings to you, that I may more and more walk my path in life conscious of you being at my side. Amen.

Readings for Sunday

1 Thessalonians 2:1 - 8
Matthew 22:34 - end

Church Services for October

Sunday 25th October:

9.30am at St George's, Thriplow: Holy Communion *
11am at All Saint's, Shepreth: All Age Worship

*Denotes that the service will be recorded and uploaded to the website

Supporting our churches

One of the things we have missed while we have been unable to worship together is the opportunity to give financially to our churches. Please would you consider whether you would like to set up a regular payment via the Parish Giving Scheme or to make online donations. Details can be found on our website <https://www.thefourchurchbenefice.org/donate/>. Our churches also have card readers and QR codes so you can donate personally when you are in church.

Date for Your Diary

**Wednesday 28th October at 7.30 pm.
Praise and worship via zoom**

We are looking forward to resuming this initiative of meeting for worship mid-week and will begin again at the end of the month. Further details to follow.

APCM 26th October 7pm by 'Zoom'

Our keynote speaker will be Bishop Dagmar; we will meet together to hear her speak, elect the Church wardens and receive news from the parishes.

We will then go to Break out rooms in our own parishes to elect PCC members.

Nominations must be received in writing by 25th October. Contact Revd Angela for the link to the Zoom meeting.

Service of Hope and Remembrance

This year we are not able to invite as many people as we normally would to our Service of Hope and Remembrance where we remember those who are no longer with us.

This year we are inviting those who have been bereaved this year to a service at **3.0pm on Sunday 1st November at St George's Thriplow**. The service will be recorded and will be online by 6.30pm. If you would like a link to the recorded service please contact Reverend Angela



[Samaritan's Purse shoebox appeal](#)

We will be supporting the Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child Appeal again this year. I know many of you love to collect gifts and pack a good shoebox. Boxes will be collected in the week beginning 16th November, but in a safe and "CoVid Aware" way this year. Because of the effects CoVid virus is having on poor communities around the globe, our gifts will be even more of a blessing to the young children who receive them. So let's share the love

and the joy

Do visit: samaritans-purse.org.uk for gift ideas, etc. Or you might like to consider "packing" your shoebox totally online, simply visit: shoebonline.org.uk

There will be leaflets in our Churches from this Sunday, 18th October, and I am pleased to confirm that our boxes need to be ready for the Service in Fowlmere on 15th November. We will bless our gifts in the usual way before sending the boxes on their overseas journey. Please do contact me if you need any help or further info!

Blessings and thanks to you all,
Barbara Coates (208540)

[An Important Diary Entry! HOW CAN WE DO SOCIAL MEDIA WELL?](#)

An online Seminar for young people and their parents Friday 6th November 7.00 -8.00pm

Email Sam Graham (our Benefice Youth group leader) sgraham@cambridgefc.uk or youthincambridgefc@gmail.com for the ZOOM LINK.

[How to Contact](#)

Rev'd Angela Melaniphy Telephone - 01763 208195 -

Email - rector@thefourchurchbenefice.org

Please Note: Angela's day off is Friday.

[David our Curate](#)

Mobile number is 07895 378724 - Email address: curate@thefourchurchbenefice.org

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The next notice sheet will be for **Sunday 25th October 2020**. If you have any items for the notice sheet please let Maxine Pymer have them by the **Wednesday Evening** before this date. If you would like to receive the Notice Sheet electronically, please email Maxine and she will add you to the circulation list. **Tel:** - 01763 208117 **Mobile:-** 07749 242783

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