

The Parish Church of
St Mary the Virgin, Great Shelford



Charity No: 245456

Sunday 22nd July, 2018 – St. Mary Magdalene
10:00 Parish Communion

Hymns:

Opening: 130 (omit *vv)	Gradual: 125
Offertory: 400	Communion: 308 Choir:
Final: 408	

Gloria: Mass of St Thomas – David Thorne

Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest.

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heav'nly King, almighty God and Father,

We worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,

Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us:

You are seated at the right hand of the Father; receive our prayer.

Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest.

For you alone are the holy one, you alone are the Lord,

You alone are the most high, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,

In the glory of God the Father.

Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest.

Collect:

Almighty God, whose Son restored Mary Magdalene to health of mind and body and called her to be a witness to his resurrection: forgive our sins and heal us by your grace, that we may serve you in the power of his risen life; who is alive and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

Sanctus/Benedictus:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest. David Thorne

Agnus Dei:

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace. David Thorne

8:00 Holy Communion 10:00 Parish Communion

First Reading: Song of Solomon 3. 1 - 4

Upon my bed at night I sought him whom my soul loves; I sought him, but found him not; I called him, but he gave no answer. 'I will rise now and go about the city, in the streets and in the squares; I will seek him whom my soul loves.' I sought him, but found him not. The sentinels found me, as they went about in the city. 'Have you seen him whom my soul loves?' Scarcely had I passed them, when I found him whom my soul loves. I

held him, and would not let him go until I brought him into my mother's house, and into the chamber of her that conceived me.

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 5. 14 - 17

The love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all; therefore all have died. And he died for all, so that those who live might live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised for them. From now on, therefore, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we know him no longer in that way. So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

Gospel: John 20. 1 - 2, 11 - 18

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.' But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping?' She said to them, 'They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.' When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping? For whom are you looking?' Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, 'Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.' Jesus said to her, 'Mary!' She turned and said to him in Hebrew, 'Rabbouni!' (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, 'Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, "I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God." ' Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, 'I have seen the Lord'; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

Post Communion Prayer:

God of life and love, whose risen Son called Mary Magdalene by name, and sent her to tell of his resurrection to his apostles: in your mercy, help us, who have been united with him in this eucharist, to proclaim the good news that he is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Amen



Hello Children Where is Mary Mouse hiding today?

We welcome everyone to this church and particularly families and their children. We are all children of God no matter what our age, and young children are our future. There are books, colouring sheets and pens provided in the children's corner which they are encouraged to use. If as a member of the congregation you find noise distracting, do please come forward and sit in the front pews, away from the children's corner.

Sunday Club: There is no Sunday Club in August, although activities will be available on some Sundays. We look forward to seeing everyone again in September. For details contact Gillian, Gillian.pett29@gmail.com We are looking for helpers on an occasional or regular basis.

INTERCESSIONS:

Please refer any pastoral concerns for members of the congregation or members of the local community to any member of the Ministry team including our Co-ordinator for Pastoral Services, Mrs Frances Simms. Please pray for the sick, frail, housebound and those in care. Please let the priest in charge know about all cases of sickness and others for whom we should pray. Intentions left in the loose leaf book at the back of the North Aisle will be offered each week at the Parish Communion. If you prefer, you can write your prayer intention on one of the tags provided and hang it on the prayer tree at the back of church, or light a votive candle.

Cloakroom facilities are available in the Community Room during church services.

Gift Aid Donations We welcome all donations from visitors and there are Gift Aid envelopes at the back of

church. If you pay tax we can reclaim 25p for every pound you donate to the Church at no cost to yourself, if you have completed the declaration on the envelope. For further information, or to join the planned giving scheme, please contact Mrs. Ann Seaman mobile no. 07710 452647; email jannsmith_2@hotmail.com

ST. MARY'S GREAT SHELFORD – WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Today we celebrate the festival of St Mary Magdalene which takes precedence over the normal Sun. readings.

Marriage this week: Please remember Georgie Beattie & Eleanor Tubby who will be celebrating their marriage at St Mary's on Sat. 28th July.

CONNECT is a monthly youth service seeking to do just that; to bring young people (aged 9+) from all over South Cambridgeshire together, along with their families, to establish real connections with each other...and with God! **CONNECT** is a really exciting new initiative brought about with the help of a small group of clergy, youth workers and volunteers who all want to see God's Word brought to life through engaging music, activities, drama, games, speakers and prayer.

We will be meeting at St Andrew Stapleford **this afternoon at 5.30pm**, where there'll be an informal, interactive service followed by a time of food and fellowship all together. Connect will begin again on fourth Sun. of each month from Sept. 23th – so be sure not to miss out! This really does promise to be a fantastic gathering that we hope you can be a part of too. Invite your friends, invite your family and let's join together. Let's **CONNECT**.

For more information or to get involved, please email: connectservice.cambs@gmail.com or jenny@jennyduke.co.uk

Gt & Lt Shelford Primary School Retirements: The school will be saying 'farewell' to three very long serving members of staff at the end of this term this week - Mrs Evans as Head Teacher, Mrs Jenkins as Reception class teacher and Mr Paduano as Year 6 class teacher. All three colleagues have served the school for just over fifty years combined, which is a considerable contribution. We pray for them as they begin well deserved retirements.

Gt & Lt Shelford Primary School - Leavers' Service: **Gt & Lt Shelford Primary School - Leavers' Service:** The Year 6 Leavers' service will take place on Tue. 24th July at 9.30am in the parish church - this is a **ticketed event** for Year 6 families only. Please give thanks for the school as we celebrate the end of another year and pray for those children moving on to new schools in Sept.

The Pilgrim house group: Our last meeting for the summer will be on 24 July at 70 High street at 7.30. We are reading chapter 13 of our book 'Something More' by John Pritchard. All welcome even if you can only make the occasional meeting or wish to give us a try. Please contact Anne on 07745562702 for all enquiries

Monica's Last Sunday: Monica's last Sun. with us will be 29th July and she will be presiding and preaching at the 8 am Holy Communion and preaching at the 10am Parish Communion. A celebration buffet lunch will be held in the Vicarage garden starting at **1pm**. Please do come along and share this important occasion where we can say 'thank you' to Monica for all that she has given us in the last three years.

General Synod: Sincere thanks for your prayers and support during the Group of Sessions in York which ended on 10th July. We covered a range of topics, including a long report and debate on Safeguarding, which was really challenging. We looked at the role of Cathedrals and their future governance and had three presentations which were more 'outward focused' - climate change and investment; the ethics of nuclear weapons and the long term future of the NHS. A full agenda which kept us all busy during the excellent weather. There are copies available at the back of church of a full account of the Groups of Sessions from one of the Ely lay representatives.

Antiquities of Cambridgeshire: Charles Bell undertook a detailed survey of the churches in this area in the later 19th century and his work is seen as a classic. Mike & Val Cowham published a new presentation of Bell's work in two volumes in 2013. They have kindly offered ten copies of their publication free of charge to each parish that appears in the work (St Mary's is included), inviting us to sell them for parish funds. The original price at publication was £50, but we are asking for a donation of **£20 a copy** for PCC funds. An inspection copy is available at the back of church.

Garden Tea Party: Trevor and Richard warmly invite you to 4 Coppice Avenue on Wednesday 8th August at 2.45 p.m., there will be some parking available. A collection will be made in support of the Friends of St. Mary's. This promises to be a lovely occasion to meet together in their beautiful garden.

Alms Giving 2018: The alms on the first Sunday of each month are donated to Shelford School. The alms for the remaining Sundays in July will be going to SSSI. Alms can be gift aided provided your giving is in an

envelope marked 'Alms' and with your PIN. Alms not in envelopes should be placed in the alms bowl as you come into church. This stands on the offertory box at the back of church, near the back pew

Today	18:30 Evensong
Wednesday 25th July, 2018	09:30 Holy Communion (BCP)
Sunday 29th July, 2018	08:00 Holy Communion (BCP) 10:00 Parish Communion 18:30 Evensong
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Applications for baptisms, marriages and the calling of Banns of marriage should be made please to the Parish Administrator.

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