

The Parish Church of  
St Mary the Virgin, Great Shelford



Charity No: 245456

Sunday 19th August, 2018 – The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity  
10:00 Parish Communion

Hymns:

Opening: 451	Gradual: 467
Offertory: 333	Communion: 78
Final: 235	

**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 and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray and to give more than either we desire or deserve: pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask but through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, 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: Proverbs 9. 1 – 6**

Wisdom has built her house, she has hewn her seven pillars. She has slaughtered her animals, she has mixed her wine, she has also set her table. She has sent out her servant-girls, she calls from the highest places in the town, 'You that are simple, turn in here!' To those without sense she says, 'Come, eat of my bread and

drink of the wine I have mixed. Lay aside immaturity, and live and walk in the way of insight.'

**Second Reading: Ephesians 5. 15 – 20**

Brothers and sisters, be careful then how you live, not as unwise people but as wise, making the most of the time, because the days are evil. So do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. Do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery; but be filled with the Spirit, as you sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs among yourselves, singing and making melody to the Lord in your hearts, giving thanks to God the Father at all times and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**Gospel: John 6. 51 – 58**

Jesus said to the crowd: 'I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.' The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, 'How can this man give us his flesh to eat?' So Jesus said to them, 'Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live for ever.'

**Post Communion Prayer:**

God of all mercy, in this eucharist you have set aside our sins and given us your healing: grant that we who are made whole in Christ may bring that healing to this broken world, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

**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](mailto: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](mailto:jannsmith_2@hotmail.com)

**ST. MARY'S GREAT SHELFORD – WEEKLY NEWSLETTER**

**A warm welcome** to The Rev'd. John Pinder, who will be presiding at the 8am Holy Communion and also to The Rev'd. Dr. Lynne Broughton, who will be presiding at the Parish Communion. Lynne lives in Cambridge and this may be her first visit to Great Shelford; please make welcome.

**Wedding this Sat.:** Please remember Rory Barraclough and Carolyn Alsop who will be married at St Mary's this Sat.

**Grateful thanks** to Trevor and Richard for hosting the wonderful afternoon tea in their beautiful garden earlier this month. £520 was raised towards the next project of the Friends of St Mary's, the refurbishment of the entrance area of the church.

**The Pilgrim house group:** is not meeting formally in August but will meet at 6.30pm on Tuesdays in church for quiet prayer for about 30 min. We will restart our usual meeting on 4<sup>th</sup> September and complete the last 6

chapters of our book 'Something More' up to and including 9<sup>th</sup> October. After this time we shall be starting a new book/course. Everyone welcome. Anne 07745 562702

**Songs of Praise:** Some time ago there was an opportunity to request a hymn for our Songs of Praise. We have finally set a date - 9th September - There will also be refreshments, details of time to follow.

**Pilgrim visit to Cathedral & Abbey church of St Alban - Sat. 15<sup>th</sup> September:** This year's Parish Pilgrimage will be to the Cathedral and Abbey Church of St Alban. We will have a guided tour of the cathedral from 11am - 12 noon, and then attend a service of the Eucharist. Further details, including the projected cost per person, and lunch arrangements, will be confirmed nearer the time. There is a form at the back of church; please sign up as soon as possible if you would like to come. This will be a shared event with St Andrew's, Stapleford.

**Monica's Collation:** A reminder that Monica will be collated as incumbent of Christ Church Erith in Kent on **Sat. 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept. at 6pm**. The date and time of the service has been arranged to enable us to take part and support Monica on the day. We will be arranging a coach, so please sign the form at the back of church if you would like a place on the coach; the cost per person will be confirmed when we have an idea of numbers.

**Farewell Service for Bishop David & Jean:** Everyone is warmly invited to join Bishop David and Jean for a Service of Thanksgiving and Farewell to mark their retirement, on Sunday 23rd September at 4.00 p.m. in Ely Cathedral. Tickets are not required; no general robing; light refreshments; the service will be signed. Although RSVP's are not required, if you are planning to attend it would be helpful to know (with approximate numbers).

**Antiquities of Cambridgeshire:** Charles Bell undertook a detailed survey of the churches in this area in the later 19<sup>th</sup> 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.

**Alms Giving 2018:** The alms on the first Sunday of each month are donated to Shelford School. The alms for the remaining Sundays in August will be going to Mission to Seafarers. 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

<b>Today</b>	<b>18:30 Evensong</b>
<b>Wednesday 22nd August, 2018</b>	<b>09:30 Holy Communion (BCP)</b>
<b>Sunday 26th August, 2018</b>	<b>08:00 Holy Communion (BCP) 10:00 Parish Communion 18:30 Evensong</b>
<b>Priest in charge: The Rev'd Simon Talbott</b>	<a href="mailto:simon@thetalbotts.co.uk">simon@thetalbotts.co.uk</a> 01223 847068
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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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