The Parish Church of St Mary the Virgin, Great Shelford



Charity No: 245456

Sunday 28th October, 2018 – St. Simon and St. Jude 10:00 Parish Communion

Hymns:

| Opening: 205 | Gradual: 463 |
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| Offertory: 477 | Communion: 287 |
| Final: 420 | |

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 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, who built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Jesus Christ himself as the chief corner-stone: so join us together in unity of spirit by their doctrine, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you. through 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: Isaiah 28. 14 - 16

Hear the word of the LORD, you scoffers who rule this people in Jerusalem. Because you have said, 'We have made a covenant with death, and with Sheol we have an agreement; when the overwhelming scourge passes through it will not come to us; for we have made lies our refuge, and in falsehood we have taken shelter'; therefore thus says the Lord God, See, I am laying in Zion a foundation stone, a tested stone, a precious cornerstone, a sure foundation: 'One who trusts will not panic.'

Second Reading: Ephesians 2. 19 - 22

You are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling-place for God.

Gospel: John 15. 17 - 27

Jesus said to his disciples: I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another. 'If the world hates you, be aware that it hated me before it hated you. If you belonged to the world, the world would love you as its own. Because you do not belong to the world, but I have chosen you out of the world—therefore the world hates you. Remember the word that I said to you, "Servants are not greater than their master." If they persecuted me, they will persecute you; if they kept my word, they will keep yours also. But they will do all these things to you on account of my name, because they do not know him who sent me. If I had not come and spoken to them, they would not have sin; but now they have no excuse for their sin. Whoever hates me hates my Father also. If I had not done among them the works that no one else did, they would not have sin. But now they have seen and hated both me and my Father. It was to fulfil the word that is written in their law, "They hated me without a cause." 'When the Advocate comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my behalf. You also are to testify because you have been with me from the beginning.

Post Communion Prayer:

Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**



Sunday Club: Where is Mary Mouse hiding today?
Sunday Club meets again next week. For details contact Gillian,
gillian.pett29@gmail.com
We are looking for helpers on an occasional or regular basis.

Toddler group: for babies and toddlers with their parent(s) or carer has restarted, and meets on Thursdays from 9.30 to 11.00 in the community room

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 juliet.a.seaman@outlook.com

ST. MARY'S GREAT SHELFORD - WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Today: Today we are keeping the festival of Sts Simon & Jude, which takes precedence over the normal Sun. readings.

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 on the **4**th**Sunday** of each month from 5.30pm, where there'll be an informal, interactive service followed by a time of food and fellowship all together. The dates for your diary are: **today**, **28**th **Oct.** & 25th Nov. – 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

Cambridge City Foodbank: Our monthly collection takes place next week, Sunday 4th November. Please check the list in church or the Foodbank website for items that are most urgently, although all items are welcomed and appreciated.

Clergy Placement: The Rev'd David Karoon will be coming to work with us for a short full time placement in late October / early November (30th Oct. - 10th Nov.). All training curates are required to undertake a short placement in the final year of their curacy. David will be taking a full part in our activities and in effect 'shadow' me. He will be looking at one specific area of ministry, then produce a written piece for his tutor. It will be good to welcome David and Shirley back to St Mary's.

Next Sun - All Saints / All Souls Tide: We shall be celebrating **All Saints** day on Sun. 4th Nov. and marking the festival during the morning celebrations of the Eucharist. In the evening at 6.30pm, we shall have a special Memorial Service for **All Souls Tide**, when we will be inviting all those recently bereaved and anyone who would like to remember deceased family and friends. There will be an opportunity to light a candle and the **names of the deceased will be read**. If you would like to have a name read, please add it to the list at the back of church.

Gift Day total: A sincere thank you to the many people who offered their pledges during the Gift Day on Sunday 7th Oct. The total received is now £6,024. This is an excellent response and the PCC is very grateful.

Remembrance 2018: The Great Shelford Remembrance Service will be held at **Great Shelford Free Church** on **Sunday 11**th **November at 9.30am**, welcoming many groups from the community, including the members of the Royal British Legion. The service will conclude at around 10.35am to move to the War Memorial in time for a short service starting at approximately 10.50am, including reading of the names of the Fallen, the Silence and laying of wreaths. The 10am Parish Communion at St Mary's that day will be cancelled; the 8am HC service will be as normal.

Armistice Day Commemoration: 11.11.11: Because Armistice Day occurs on a Sunday this year, the 11.11.11 commemoration will be incorporated into the Remembrance service. However, at **7.05pm** on Sunday 11th November, cathedral and church bells across the country will ring out simultaneously in commemoration of the spontaneous ringing of church bells in 1918 which greeted the Armistice. Our Evensong service will be brought forward to 6pm on that day, to enable our ringers and congregation to join in this national celebration.

Daily Prayer: Morning and Evening Prayer are now being celebrated in church (9am & 6pm) Mon.-Fri. Sincere thanks to those who have made this possible.

The Way of Life: The first of our Way of Life meetings will take place in the Community Room on Wednesday 31st October. Gather for coffee and cakes at 10am for a 10.30 start. This session will be led by Mrs Anne Duncumb, using her knowledge of Orienteering as the starting point for the discussion - a very apt subject to set our feet on the Way! All very welcome. Please join us if you can.

The Pilgrim house group will be starting their new book next week, 'Being Disciples' by Rowan Williams. Our next 3 meetings are as follows, Tuesday 30 October at 43 Hinton Way, Tuesday 6 November at 70 High Street, starting at 7.30pm.

All welcome to any meeting. Anne 07745 562702

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

Stop Press: The deadline for applications for the Month of Accompanied Prayer (leaflets at back of church) has been extended to 31st Oct.

Today 18:00 Evensong

Monday to Friday 09:00 Morning Prayer

18:00 Evening Prayer

Wednesday 31st October, 2018 09:30 Holy Communion (BCP)

Sunday 4th November, 2018 08:00 Holy Communion (BCP)

10:00 Parish Communion 18:30 All Souls Tide Memorial

Service

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Applications for baptisms, marriages and the calling of Banns of marriage should be made please to the Parish Administrator.

28/10/18