

The Parish Church of  
St Mary the Virgin, Great Shelford



Charity No: 245456

Sunday 20th November, 2022 - Christ the King  
10:00 Parish Communion

Opening hymn 332: All hail the power of Jesu's name

1. All hail the power of Jesu's name;  
Let angels prostrate fall;  
Bring forth the royal diadem  
To crown him Lord of all.
2. Crown him, ye morning stars of light,  
Who fixed this floating ball;  
Now hail the Strength of Israel's might,  
And crown him Lord of all.
3. Crown him, ye martyrs of your God,  
Who from his altar call;  
Praise him whose way of pain ye trod,  
And crown him Lord of all.
4. Ye seed of Israel's chosen race,  
Ye ransomed of the fall,  
Hail him who saves you by his grace,  
And crown him Lord of all.
5. Hail him, ye heirs of David's line,  
Whom David Lord did call;  
The God incarnate, Man divine,  
And crown him Lord of all.
6. Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget  
The wormwood and the gall,  
Go spread your trophies at his feet,  
And crown him Lord of all.
7. Let every tribe and every tongue  
To him their hearts enthrall,  
Lift high the universal song,  
And crown him Lord of all.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tmxCpX28-Gc>

**Gloria:**

**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.**

*David Thorne*

**Collect:**

**Eternal Father, whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King: keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen**

**First Reading: Jeremiah 23. 1 - 6**

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the LORD. Therefore, thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the LORD. Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the LORD. The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: 'The LORD is our righteousness.'

**Second Reading: Second Reading: Colossians 1. 11 - 20**

Brothers and sisters: May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

**Gradual hymn 443 Rejoice, the Lord is King**

1. **Rejoice, the Lord is King,  
Your Lord and King adore;  
Mortals, give thanks and sing,  
And triumph evermore:  
*Refrain: Lift up your heart, lift up your voice;  
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice.***
2. **Jesus, the Saviour, reigns,  
The God of truth and love;  
When he had purged our stains,  
He took his seat above: *Refrain***
3. **His kingdom cannot fail;  
He rules o'er earth and heaven;  
The keys of death and hell  
Are to our Jesus given: *Refrain***
4. **He sits at God's right hand  
Till all his foes submit,  
And bow to his command,  
And fall beneath his feet: *Refrain***

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AhEUCSzaU8M>

**Gospel: Luke 23. 33 - 43**

When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. Then Jesus said, 'Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing.' And they cast lots to divide his clothing. And the people stood by, watching; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, 'He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!' The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, and saying, 'If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!' There was also an inscription over him, 'This is the King of the Jews.' One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, 'Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!' But the other rebuked him, saying, 'Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong.' Then he said, 'Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.' Jesus replied, 'Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise.'

**Offertory hymn: 439: Praise to the Holiest in the height**

1. **Praise to the Holiest in the height,  
And in the depth be praise,  
In all his words most wonderful,  
Most sure in all his ways.**
2. **O loving wisdom of our God!  
When all was sin and shame,  
A second Adam to the fight  
And to the rescue came.**
3. **O wisest love! that flesh and blood,  
Which did in Adam fail,  
Should strive afresh against their foe,  
Should strive and should prevail;**
4. **And that a higher gift than grace  
Should flesh and blood refine,  
God's presence and his very self,  
And essence all-divine.**
5. **O generous love! that he who smote  
In Man for man the foe,  
The double agony in Man  
For man should undergo;**
6. **And in the garden secretly,  
And on the cross on high,  
Should teach his brethren and inspire  
To suffer and to die.**
7. **Praise to the Holiest in the height,  
And in the depth be praise,  
In all his words most wonderful,  
Most sure in all his ways.**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pjPhcD75E34>

**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*

## Communion hymn 282: Faithful Shepherd, feed me

Faithful Shepherd, feed me  
In the pastures green;  
Faithful Shepherd, lead me  
Where thy steps are seen.

Hold me fast, and guide me  
In the narrow way;  
So, with thee beside me,  
I shall never stray.

Daily bring me nearer  
To the heavenly shore;  
May my faith grow clearer,  
May I love thee more.

Hallow every pleasure,  
Every gift and pain;  
Be thyself my treasure,  
Though none else I gain.

Day by day prepare me  
As thou seest best,  
Then let angels bear me  
To thy promised rest.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RL1szhDHGD0>

### Post Communion Prayer:

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

## Final hymn 352: Crown him with many crowns

1. Crown him with many crowns,  
The Lamb upon his throne;  
Hark! how the heavenly anthem drowns  
All music but its own:  
Awake, my soul, and sing  
Of him who died for thee,  
And hail him as thy matchless King  
Through all eternity.
2. Crown him the Virgin's Son,  
The God incarnate born,  
Whose arm those crimson trophies won  
Which now his brow adorn:  
Fruit of the mystic Rose,  
As of that Rose the Stem;  
The Root whence mercy ever flows,  
The Babe of Bethlehem.
3. Crown him the Lord of love!  
Behold his hands and side,  
Rich wounds yet visible above  
In beauty glorified:  
No angel in the sky  
Can fully bear that sight,  
But downward bends his burning eye  
At mysteries so bright.

4. **Crown him the Lord of peace,  
Whose power a sceptre sways  
From pole to pole, that wars may cease,  
Absorbed in prayer and praise:  
His reign shall know no end,  
And round his piercèd feet  
Fair flowers of Paradise extend  
Their fragrance ever sweet.**
  
5. **Crown him the Lord of years,  
The Potentate of time,  
Creator of the rolling spheres,  
Ineffably sublime.  
Glassed in a sea of light,  
Where everlasting waves  
Reflect his throne - the Infinite!  
Who lives and loves - and saves.**

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FiJYqC\\_6AFc](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FiJYqC_6AFc)

## **ST. MARY'S GREAT SHELFORD - WEEKLY NEWSLETTER**

**Evening service by zoom:** Trevor Ward is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Trevor Ward's Zoom Evening Worship

Time: This is a recurring meeting Meet anytime

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5906920741?pwd=dTJldDBHV2REZFNIc0hLeEhLRGdlQT09>

Meeting ID: 590 692 0741

Passcode: 676561

**Food Box:** The PCC has agreed to place a Food Box in the church porch containing tins and dried produce. This is in recognition that current conditions are making it difficult for some to make funds stretch to pay for food. We hope that those who need food will take it, and others will share what they have. This is to complement the food collection going to the Food Bank.

### **LET'S HAVE COFFEE TOGETHER**

If the thought of a cup of coffee and some sociability together on a Saturday morning appeals to you, do please come to the Community Room between 10.30 – 12.00 on **Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> December.**

There will be a Bring and Buy stall to help funding for our porch foodbox during December.

If you'd like to help in any way with this, please have a word with Maureen (details on pew sheet).

Hopefully this will become a regular event and you are most welcome to be part of it. MD

### **FAIR TRADE STALL**

**The global Fair Trade system ensures a set of standards protecting the rights, production and sale of goods of farmers and worker in developed and newly developing countries.**

We would very much like to reintroduce a monthly Fair Trade stall when we meet, perhaps starting in a small way with the sale of packaged items such as tea, coffee, chocolate etc.

Would someone like to take this on at St. Mary's? It requires organisation of the ordering and display of goods and the provision of a certain amount of dry storage for them.

Do please talk about this with one of the Ministry Team if you're interested in such a worthwhile scheme. MD

**The Pilgrim house group:** The Pilgrim house group has continued to meet on Monday afternoons at 2 pm in the Community Room. We have recently looked at The Lord's Prayer, reflecting on its familiarity, looking at contemporary written versions and different settings to music. St Benedict was stern in its inclusion in the daily offices of the Benedictine order. We are currently studying the Prodigal Son and are looking at the behaviour of the two sons and the father in the story.

21 November Continuing the Prodigal Son led by David

28 November The Annunciation - a reflection led by Julie

5 December Luke's Christmas Story - a reflection led by Rosey.

No meetings until 9 January 2023.

All very welcome. Starts at 2pm. The meetings on 28 November and 5 December are stand alone events and part of our Advent preparations. Do come along if you can.

**Great Shelford's Warm Hub:** This has now begun. It provides a place where people can come to stay warm and enjoy a cup of tea or coffee each day at the following venues.

Monday - Great Shelford Free Church 10:00 - 16:00  
(ties in with the Community Café in the morning)

Tuesday - Great Shelford Free Church 10:00 - 16:00

Wednesday - Great Shelford Memorial Hall 09:00 - 15:00  
(ties in with the Country Market in the morning)

Thursday - Great Shelford Free Church 10:00 - 16:00

Friday - Great Shelford Free Church 10:00 - 16:00

We are looking for volunteers who can agree to be part of a rota to support this initiative. If you are able to offer a few hours over the coming months, to be present and welcoming to those who may need to spend time somewhere warm and friendly, then please contact Libby White. [clerk@greatshelfordparishcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@greatshelfordparishcouncil.gov.uk)

**Living Ely 2025 Deanery Development Planning Booklets:** There are pocket guides and Summary Guides at the back of the church which we encourage everyone to take and read. Now that we have started to think about our Development Plan, the congregation as a whole can be involved in shaping our future ministry and mission.



Daily HOPE: This is an excellent national Church of England initiative for those who are especially isolated and do not have access to the internet. Daily HOPE is a freephone line, available 24 hours a day on 0800 804 8044. Callers will hear a special greeting from the Archbishop of Canterbury before being able to choose from a range of options, including Prayer During the Day and Night Prayer updated daily, from Common Worship, and a recording of the Church of England's weekly national online service. A section called Hymn Line will also offer callers a small selection of hymns, updated daily. An option

entitled 'Hymns We Love', provides a hymn and reflection

**We are delighted to welcome visitors to St Mary's for private prayer and reflection.**

**Sunday 20th November, 2022** 08:00 Holy Communion (BCP)  
10:00 Parish Communion  
18.30 Evening Prayer by Zoom

**Sunday 27th November, 2022** 08:00 Holy Communion (BCP)  
10:00 Parish Communion  
18.30 Evening Prayer by Zoom

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

**20/11/22**