



## Notices Sheet -29<sup>th</sup> June 2025

### Notices

**This weekend's Bible readings:** Psalm 30 (p 558) Galatians 1:11-24 (p 1168)

**The Mundens Open Gardens:** Thank you to all who supported The Mundens Open Gardens in whatever way. We will let you know how much was raised as soon as we have the figure.

**Safari Supper:** There are still some tickets available for the FOSM safari supper on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July. Supper will be served in three different locations in Standon, all within easy walking distance. Tickets, priced £40, are available from Diana 07718 734897.

**Sacombe picnic:** In the summer, it's our custom to invite everyone to stay for a picnic after our 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday service at St Catherine's. This year, we have two summer 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays, and the picnic will be on the second one, 31<sup>st</sup> August rather than this weekend.

**Little Munden School Choir:** The school choir will join us again for our service on 20<sup>th</sup> July, just before they finish for the summer holiday. Please come along and make them and their parents welcome.

**Holiday Bible Club:** HBC will run from 26<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> August in St Mary's. Bookings are going well, but please spread the word. If you're willing to help, please speak to Caroline.

### Services for the next few weeks:

#### Midweek services each week:

Tuesdays, 9.30am	Holy Communion (BCP) & Bible study	St Catherine's
Wednesdays, 9.30 am	Morning worship & Bible study	St Mary's

#### Sunday services:

29 <sup>th</sup> June	10.30 am	Morning worship	St Catherine's
6 <sup>th</sup> July	8.00 am	Ante-communion	St Mary's
	10.30 am	Morning worship	All Saints
13 <sup>th</sup> July	10.30 am	Holy Communion	St Mary's
20 <sup>th</sup> July	8.00 am	Holy Communion	St Mary's
	10.30 am	Holy communion	All Saints
27 <sup>th</sup> July	10.30 am	All age worship	St Mary's
	6.00 pm	Choral evensong	St Mary's
3 <sup>rd</sup> August	8.00 am	Holy Communion	St Mary's
	10.30 am	Morning worship	All Saints

## Dates & meetings coming up

29 <sup>th</sup> June, 5.00 pm	Cantate picnic concert	St Mary's
2 <sup>nd</sup> July, 2.15 pm	Libury Hall service	Libury Hall
7 <sup>th</sup> July, 10.30 am	Funeral of Bryan Algar	St Mary's
11 <sup>th</sup> July, 7.00 pm	FOSM Safari supper	Standon
16 <sup>th</sup> July, 5.00 pm	Roger de Clare leavers' service	St Mary's
22 <sup>nd</sup> July, 1.15 pm	Little Munden School end of year service	All Saints
23 <sup>rd</sup> July, 12.30 pm	Midweek Music	St Mary's

## Prayers:

On this sheet, we suggest focus areas for prayer, but please continue to pray for the work of our churches and missionary partners around the world (at [www.achurchnearyou.com/church/7825/page/77358/view](http://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/7825/page/77358/view)).

### Church family news:

- Please pray for all who are grieving, particularly for the family and friends of Bryan Algar.
- No-one else has asked specifically for prayer this week, though we know that some members of our church family are unwell, and those for whom we have been praying recently are still in need of our prayers. Please don't forget them just because their names are not listed.
- Each week, there are people we know who are unwell but who prefer not to be named here. God knows who they are; please pray for them all.

### Pray for our community

In our cycle of prayers, this weekend we ask you to include in your prayers:

- all who struggle in this weather, that they will stay well and hydrated
- those who must work outdoors, with little respite from the heat
- all who are experiencing a sense of relief that their PIPs will not, after all, be removed
- this year's day of prayer for the Emergency Services, run by the National Christian Police Association, was on Thursday. There was a ceremony at Police HQ in Herts and they ask us to pray for all of the emergency services particularly at this time

### Pray for our outreach, our service and our churches

This week we ask you to include in your prayers:

- our benefice group for world mission, as they keep in touch with our missionary partners and encourage us all to support them through prayer
- our friends and neighbours outside the immediate church family who sometimes come to us, asking for our prayers, that we will be able to help them find a deeper personal relationship with Jesus
- our friends at Libury Hall, and the team who lead and facilitate services there

### Pray for our mission partners

This week, we ask for your prayers for the CPAS Ventures holidays this summer. *CPAS Ventures run just over 50 Christian holidays for children aged 8-18. Orwell 3 is the 11-14 holiday which Lizzy F helps to lead, and which our young people attend.* More information about our partners can be found on our website.

- Praise God for the time the leaders spent together this weekend, planning and training
- Pray for the last few leaders who need to have DBS checks and references finalised, that these would be back in time for the holiday
- Pray that God would be working in the hearts of all those who are going to be there in the summer

If you are aware of anyone who would like our prayers, or who would like the church family to share in some news, good or bad, please let Caroline know ([caroline@ubsms.org.uk](mailto:caroline@ubsms.org.uk)).

# Regular notices

## Groups in the Benefice

**Mondays (2nd & 4th of month), 2.30pm:** Reflections Bible study group at All Saints: contact Deborah

**Tuesdays, 2:00pm (ad hoc):** Benefice Group for World Mission prayer: contact Peter A.

**Tuesdays, 7.30pm:** Small group – Grace: contact John or Rebecca.

**Wednesdays, 2.30pm (2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month)**

**7.00pm (4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays):** Small Group Marthas & Marys: contact Marion

**Wednesdays (term time only):** Children's and Young people's Bible clubs at All Saints: contact Deborah.

3.15 pm          Primary aged children

5.30 pm          Young people in school years 5-9 (monthly on second Wednesday of the month)

**Thursday (3rd of each month), 2.00 – 4.00 pm:** New Seasons support group: contact Heather

**Thursdays, 7.00pm (term time only):** Benefice choir practice: contact Michael ([music@ubsms.org.uk](mailto:music@ubsms.org.uk))

**Fridays 9.30 am (term time only):** Little Angels for toddlers and their carers at St Mary's:

contact Cate ([littleangels@ubsms.org.uk](mailto:littleangels@ubsms.org.uk))

## Please Continue to Support our Churches

You can make a donation directly to any of our churches, or you can send donations to any of our treasurers. Bank details are displayed in our churches and on the website.

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