

Chellington Team Ministry

St Lawrence, Wymington + St Mary the Virgin, Podington + All Saints', Odell +
Harrold United Reformed Church + St Peter's, Harrold + St Mary the Virgin, Carlton +
All Saints', Turvey + St Mary the Virgin, Stevington

Sunday - 17th August 2025

Ninth Sunday after Trinity

09.30 Eucharist - St Lawrence's Wymington
17.00 Evening Prayer - St Mary the Virgin, Podington
11.00 Service - URC Harrold
11.00 Share with Carlton - St Peter's Harrold
11.00 Eucharist - St Mary's Carlton
11.00 Morning Prayer - All Saints', Odell
09.30 Eucharist - St Mary's, Stevington
11.00 With Brother John - All Saints', Turvey



Readings

Hebrews 11:29 -12:2
Luke 12:49-56

Sunday - 24th August 2025

Tenth Sunday after Trinity

10.15 Share with Chapel - St Lawrence's Wymington
11.00 Eucharist - St Mary the Virgin, Podington
11.00 Service - Harrold URC
09.30 Eucharist - St Peter's Harrold
08.15 Eucharist - St Mary's Carlton
11.00 Eucharist - All Saints', Odell
17.00 Evening Prayer- St Mary's, Stevington
09.30 Eucharist - All Saints', Turvey



Readings

Hebrews 12:18-end
Luke 13:10-17

Saint Lawrence Church, Wymington.

will be open on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of
each month between 13.00pm and 15.00pm.

In accordance with our Mission Action Plan for
2025/6 the PCC of **St. Peter's Harrold** kindly
ask members of their congregation to support
the St. Martin's basket with an item for the
women's refuge in Bedford on every fourth
Sunday. Thank you.

Church Services & Meetings

Wednesday 20th August

15.00 - Funeral Phil Burley, All Saints' Turvey

Wednesday

09.00 - Silent Prayer before Eucharist - St Mary's, Carlton

09.30 - Eucharist - St Mary's, Carlton

Thursday

09.30 - Meditation - St Mary's, Carlton

Rest in Peace



Phil Burley (Turvey)

Funeral to be held on Wednesday 20th August
at 3.00pm. All Saints' Turvey.

'God Be In My Head'

**Sacred Choral Music
by Paul Edwards**

and favourite anthems by others, including
Schubert, John Ireland and Herbert
Howells.

**Sung by Cantamus Chamber Choir,
Conductor Gary Mudd.**

**Saturday 20th September
All Saints church, Turvey, 7.30 pm**

Tickets £10 at the door in aid of church
funds

Further details 07762 589743

Collect

Gracious Father, revive your Church in our day, and make her holy, strong and faithful, for your glory's sake in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Epistle - Hebrews 11.29-12.2

²⁹ By faith the people passed through the Red Sea as if it were dry land, but when the Egyptians attempted to do so they were drowned.
³⁰ By faith the walls of Jericho fell after they had been encircled for seven days.
³¹ By faith Rahab the prostitute did not perish with those who were disobedient, because she had received the spies in peace.
³² And what more should I say? For time would fail me to tell of Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah, of David and Samuel and the prophets—
³³ who through faith conquered kingdoms, administered justice, obtained promises, shut the mouths of lions,
³⁴ quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight.
³⁵ Women received their dead by resurrection. Others were tortured, refusing to accept release, in order to obtain a better resurrection.
³⁶ Others suffered mocking and flogging, and even chains and imprisonment.
³⁷ They were stoned to death, they were sawn in two, they were killed by the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, persecuted, tormented—
³⁸ of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and mountains, and in caves and holes in the ground.
³⁹ Yet all these, though they were commended for their faith, did not receive what was promised,
⁴⁰ since God had provided something better so that they would not, without us, be made perfect.

12: 1 Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us,
cont.....

2 looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who for the sake of the joy that was set before him endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Gospel - Luke 12:49-56

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

⁴⁹ 'I came to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled!
⁵⁰ I have a baptism with which to be baptised, and what stress I am under until it is completed!
⁵¹ Do you think that I have come to bring peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division!
⁵² From now on, five in one household will be divided, three against two and two against three;
⁵³ they will be divided:
 father against son
 and son against father,
 mother against daughter
 and daughter against mother,
 mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law
 and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law.'
⁵⁴ He also said to the crowds, 'When you see a cloud rising in the west, you immediately say, "It is going to rain"; and so it happens.
⁵⁵ And when you see the south wind blowing, you say, "There will be scorching heat"; and it happens.
⁵⁶ You hypocrites! You know how to interpret the appearance of earth and sky, but why do you not know how to interpret the present time?

'This is the Gospel of the Lord

All Praise to you, O Christ.

Post Communion

Holy Father, who gathered us here around the table of your Son to share this meal with the whole household of God: in that new world where you reveal the fullness of your peace, gather people of every race and language to share in the eternal banquet of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Information about what safeguarding means in our Parish.

Safeguarding is the action the Church can take to promote a safer culture. It is just one part of how we can provide a healthy culture in our church, including but not exclusively, making adaptations for people, health and safety, inclusion and diversity.

In terms of safeguarding practise, 'this means the church will promote the welfare of children, young people, and adults, work to prevent abuse from occurring, seek to protect those that are at risk and respond well to those who have been abused.' (Safeguarding Learning and Development Framework)

The Church of England, in the policy document 'Promoting a Safer Church' set out the following principles for its safeguarding work:

Promoting a safer environment and culture. This means that we respect all children, young people, and adults, and are committed to their care and nurture, the provision of respectful pastoral ministry and establishing safer, caring communities which provide an environment of love where there is informed vigilance as to the risk of harm.

We shall select and train carefully all those with any responsibility related to children or vulnerable adults within the Church, in line with safer recruitment principles.

We shall respond promptly to every concern raised which suggests that a child, young person, or vulnerable adult may have been harmed or be at risk of harm. We will cooperate with the statutory authorities in their safeguarding work.

We shall endeavour to work with anyone who is suffering or who has suffered abuse or harm, developing with them and others appropriate support and care.

We shall challenge any abuse in our Church communities, and care pastorally for those who are the subject of concerns or allegations of abuse.

We shall endeavour to offer pastoral care and support, including managed oversight and referral to the proper authorities, to any member of our church community who may present a risk to a child, young person, or vulnerable adult.

Church officers^[1] are asked to undertake safeguarding learning activities because they have a role in their church community that connects directly to at least one of the six overarching commitments. For example, they might be involved in work with children, young people, or vulnerable adults. In which case they will be concerned with their wellbeing and flourishing, both as individuals and as part of the community. It could be that they are a member of their PCC, and are concerned with the safer recruitment, selection, and supervision of volunteers in their context. Or it could be the case that they are involved in pastoral care of adults and need to gain a better awareness of issues of power and abuse as they present themselves in everyday situations.

Whatever a Church Officer's role, developing an understanding and awareness of safeguarding issues will enable them to be more informed and effective in their context.

If you have any questions about safeguarding, or wish to find out more about the courses (online for all courses and in person for some) please contact the Parish Safeguarding Officer Terry Spencer

safeguarding.chellington@gmail.com

All Saints', Turvey.

The church is open every day between 10am and 4pm for reflection and personal prayer. All Welcome

St Peter's, Harrold.

St Peter's Church, Harrold is open for personal prayer or for visiting the church every day.

The clergy can be contacted as follows:

Email: chellingonteam@gmail.com

Tel: Rev Jacqueline and Rev Peter 07356 258256



There will be a Christian Aid prayer vigil for peace in Gaza on **the 24th of every month at 7pm**

This is a monthly ecumenical prayer vigil across the globe until there is an end to the Palestinian-Israeli conflict.

Sign up online at

<https://www.christianaid.org.uk/resources/pray/ecumenical-prayer-vigil-peace-gaza>

Church Notices for next week's Pew sheet

Please send by Thursday Morning to:

teamofficetm@gmail.com

Please use the above email address for the Pew Sheet only.

St Mary the Virgin, Stevington.

St Mary's Stevington is **open** for personal prayer Every Day 10am - 4pm. Welcome to all.

St Mary the Virgin, Podington.

The church building is open every day between 10.00am and 4.00pm for prayer and reflection



The following churches have set up online giving provision which means that you are able to make one off donations to your church at the click of a button. Here are the links:

All Saints' Turvey

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/7780/>

St Mary's Carlton

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/7757/>