

Weekly Events

Tots on Tuesday

10-11.30am Term Time only in St Mary's Centre Chard
Lots of play activities and refreshments for tots and their carers

Together on Tuesday Club

3.30-5pm Term Time only in St Mary's Centre Chard
This is a club for primary age children, parents, carers and siblings, providing craft, cooked tea, Bible stories and songs

Morning Prayer on Zoom

Each Tuesday we gather together on zoom at 9.00am
Contact Revd Nick for the access code

Cloverleaf Prayers

30 Minutes' Prayer at St Nicholas Combe
Every Tuesday morning at 10am

Warm Space @ St Mary's Centre

Every Wednesday from 12noon -2pm. Soups with bread and cheese, jacket potatoes with cheese and beans, cake, tea, coffee and good company all available.

Chatterbox Café in Combe St Nicholas Village Hall

Every Wednesday 10am -12noon Everyone Welcome
Proceeds to St Nicholas Church Roof Repair Fund

Christian Meditation Group

Every Thursday at 7pm in St Mary's Church. Everyone welcome

Please pray: for those who are unwell:



Charlotte, Pam H, Bob C, Lydia V, Elaine M, Peggy C, Dorothy M, Fr. Michael G, Georgie, Mary H, Jean D, Ange, Monty B and all those with or recovering from treatment or illness

We remember all those who have died and their families

Especially May Knight and David Keylock
May they rest in peace and rise in glory

Notices for inclusion in Pews News should be sent to Wendy Harris by email to rhwbata@aol.com or tel: 07887758723 by Wednesday each week

Pews News



Benefice of St Mary's Chard, Combe St Nicholas, Wambrook and Whitestaunton

Welcome to our Benefice 18th January 2026

Epiphany 2

Readings: 1 Corinthians 1: 1-9
John 1: 29-42

Benefice Office Hours

Monday, Wednesday 9.30am-12noon & Thursday 2-5pm
Tel: 01460 67867 office@stmaryschard.org.uk

Clergy

Rev Nick Jerrett: 01460 497027 or
email revdnjerrett@yahoo.com - day off Wednesday
Rev John Rollings Tel: 07485005661 works flexibly
but normal days off Thursday and Friday
Rev Deborah Perreau -The Cloverleaf Parishes Tel: 07879698920

Midweek Holy Communion

Every Wednesday at 9.45am at St Mary's Chard
1st Wednesday at 10.00am at St Nicholas Combe

Events and Services across the Benefice

January

Sat 17th	9-11am	Community Breakfast	St Mary's Centre
Sun 18th	8am	Holy Communion	St Mary's Chard
	9.45am	Holy Communion	Whitestaunton
	10am	Morning Worship	St Mary's Chard
	10.30am	Community Led Service	St Nicholas Combe
	3pm	Christian Unity Service	English Martyrs
Wed 21st	2-3pm	Speranza Concert	St Mary's Chard
	3pm	Dedication of St Agnes Chapel	Whitestaunton
Sun 25th	10am	Holy Communion	St Mary's Chard
	10.30am	Holy Communion	St Nicholas Combe
	4pm	Evensong	St Mary's Chard
	6pm	Evensong BCP	Wambrook
Mon 26th	2pm	Beyond Lent Bible Study	St Mary's Centre
	3.30pm	Craft Afternoon Planning Meeting	St Mary's Centre
Sat 31st	12.30pm	Community Lunch	Methodist Church

February

Sun 1st	8am	Holy Communion	St Mary's Chard
	9.15am	Holy Communion	Wambrook
	10am	Holy Communion	St Mary's Chard
	10.30am	All Age Service	St Nicholas Combe

Community Breakfast at St Mary's Chard

Sat 17th January 9am-11am Everybody Welcome
Free breakfast – donations welcome

Chard Churches Together Christian Unity Service
Sunday 18th January 3pm at
English Martyrs Church – Everyone Welcome

St Andrew's Whitestaunton
Dedication and Blessing of St Agnes Chapel
3pm Wednesday 21st January
Everybody most welcome to attend

C of E Basic Safeguarding Training
14th February 10am-12noon in St Mary's Centre

Open to anyone in the church
including those required to do more advanced
safeguarding training.

Please let Liz Jones, St Mary's PSO, know if you are
attending by email pso@stmaryschard.org.uk
Or by phone 07753277994 (leave a message)

Speranza Concert – Music for Love and Hope
Wednesday 21st January 2-3pm at St Mary's Chard



Music reflecting light and hope of a New Year
Entry by donation

You are also invited for a light lunch and refreshments from
12noon in St Mary's Centre as part of the Warm Space initiative.

Family and Craft Afternoon
for Mothering Sunday and Easter
Saturday 7th March from 1.30pm-4pm

If you are able to help in any way there will be a
Planning Meeting on Monday 26th January 3.30pm
or speak to Monica if you are unable to attend that day.

Lent Lunches at St Mary's Centre Chard
donations to Christian Aid
Please note these will be on THURSDAYS this year
for 5 weeks commencing 26th February 12.30-1.30pm

Please come along and bring your friends
If you are able to make soup and/or help serve on any of the
dates please speak to Patricia