

# 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 - 8th March 2026

3rd Sunday of Lent

10.15 Share with Chapel- St Lawrence's Wymington  
11.00 Eucharist - St Mary the Virgin, Podington  
09.30 Eucharist - St Peter's Harrold  
09.30 Share with Harrold - St Mary's Carlton  
11.00 Eucharist (BCP) - All Saint's, Odell  
No Service - St Mary's, Stevington  
09.30 Eucharist - All Saints', Turvey.

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Readings:

Romans 5:1-11  
John 4: 5-42

## Sunday - 15th March 2026

Mothering Sunday

09.30 Eucharist - St Lawrence's Wymington  
Services will be held in the Chapel until further notice  
11.00 **Mothering Sunday Service** - St Mary the Virgin, Podington  
**11.00\* Eucharist** - St Peter's Harrold  
**\*Note time change**  
11.00 Eucharist - St Mary's Carlton  
11.00 **Mothering Sunday Family Service** - All Saint's, Odell  
09.30 Eucharist - St Mary's, Stevington  
09.30 **Mothering Sunday Morning Prayer** - All Saints', Turvey.

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Readings:

Colossians 3:12-17  
John 19:25b-27

## Safeguarding Notice:

### Basic Awareness Training

will be held on **March 7th** and again another Basic Awareness training on **March 14th** at 16, Street Close, Carlton at 2pm.

There are some places available.

Please contact:

[safeguarding.chellington@gmail.com](mailto:safeguarding.chellington@gmail.com)

## Church Services & Meetings

### Wednesday 11th March

09.30 - Eucharist - St Mary's, Carlton\*

### Thursday 12th March

09.30 - Meditation - St Mary's, Carlton \*

\* Midweek Services at St Mary's, Carlton will be back in church from this week. All Welcome

## Rest in Peace



### Tim Stanbridge (Stevington)

Funeral to be held on **Thursday 12th March**  
At 1pm at St Mary's Church, Stevington

## Need some Peace and Quiet?

All Saint's, Turvey is a beautiful church.

THURSDAY 12TH MARCH

5PM-7.30PM

We would like to invite you to a quiet, tranquil, candlelit space where you can simply enjoy a moment of unhurried calm and solitude..

Look around  
Reflect  
Light a Candle for someone  
Read  
Pray

Tea and Coffee available  
Bring a Friend



## Collect

Eternal God,  
 give us insight  
 to discern your will for us,  
 to give up what harms us,  
 and to seek the perfection we are promised  
 in Jesus Christ our Lord.

## Epistle - Romans 5:1-11

<sup>1</sup>Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>2</sup>through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God.

<sup>3</sup>And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, <sup>4</sup>and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, <sup>5</sup>and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

<sup>6</sup>For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. <sup>7</sup>Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. <sup>8</sup>But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

<sup>9</sup>Much more surely then, now that we have been justified by his blood, will we be saved through him from the wrath of God. <sup>10</sup>For if while we were enemies, we were reconciled to God through the death of his Son, much more surely, having been reconciled, will we be saved by his life. <sup>11</sup>But more than that, we even boast in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

This is the word of the Lord.

**All:** Thanks be to God.

## Gospel - John 4:5-42

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

**All:** Glory to you, O Lord.

<sup>5</sup>So he came to a Samaritan city called Sychar, near the plot of ground that Jacob had given to his son Joseph.

<sup>6</sup>Jacob's well was there, and Jesus, tired out by his journey, was sitting by the well. It was about noon.

<sup>7</sup>A Samaritan woman came to draw water, and Jesus said to her, 'Give me a drink'. <sup>8</sup>(His disciples had gone to the city to buy food.) <sup>9</sup>The Samaritan woman said to him, 'How is it that you, a Jew, ask a drink of me, a woman of Samaria?' (Jews do not share things in common with Samaritans.)

<sup>10</sup>Jesus answered her, 'If you knew the gift of God, and who it is that is saying to you, "Give me a drink", you would have asked him, and he would have given you living water.'

<sup>11</sup>The woman said to him, 'Sir, you have no bucket, and the well is deep. Where do you get that living water?'

<sup>12</sup>Are you greater than our ancestor Jacob, who gave us the well, and with his sons and his flocks drank from it?'

<sup>13</sup>Jesus said to her, 'Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, <sup>14</sup>but those who drink of the water that I will give them will never be thirsty. The water that I will give will become in them a spring of water gushing up to eternal life.' <sup>15</sup>The woman said to him, 'Sir, give me this water, so that I may never be thirsty or have to keep coming here to draw water.'

<sup>16</sup>Jesus said to her, 'Go, call your husband, and come back.' <sup>17</sup>The woman answered him, 'I have no husband.' Jesus said to her, 'You are right in saying, "I have no husband"; <sup>18</sup>for you have had five husbands, and the one you have now is not your husband. What you have said is true!'

<sup>19</sup>The woman said to him, 'Sir, I see that you are a prophet. <sup>20</sup>Our ancestors worshipped on this mountain, but you say that the place where people must worship is in Jerusalem.' <sup>21</sup>Jesus said to her, 'Woman, believe me, the hour is coming when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. <sup>22</sup>You worship what you do not know; we worship what we know, for salvation is from the Jews. <sup>23</sup>But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshippers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father seeks such as these to worship him.

<sup>24</sup>God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth.'

## Gospel Cont...

<sup>25</sup>The woman said to him, 'I know that Messiah is coming' (who is called Christ). 'When he comes, he will proclaim all things to us.' <sup>26</sup>Jesus said to her, 'I am he, the one who is speaking to you.'

<sup>27</sup>Just then his disciples came. They were astonished that he was speaking with a woman, but no one said, 'What do you want?' or, 'Why are you speaking with her?'

<sup>28</sup>Then the woman left her water-jar and went back to the city. She said to the people, <sup>29</sup>'Come and see a man who told me everything I have ever done! He cannot be the Messiah, can he?' <sup>30</sup>They left the city and were on their way to him.

<sup>31</sup>Meanwhile the disciples were urging him, 'Rabbi, eat something.' <sup>32</sup>But he said to them, 'I have food to eat that you do not know about.' <sup>33</sup>So the disciples said to one another, 'Surely no one has brought him something to eat?' <sup>34</sup>Jesus said to them, 'My food is to do the will of him who sent me and to complete his work. <sup>35</sup>Do you not say, "Four months more, then comes the harvest"? But I tell you, look around you, and see how the fields are ripe for harvesting. <sup>36</sup>The reaper is already receiving wages and is gathering fruit for eternal life, so that sower and reaper may rejoice together.

<sup>37</sup>For here the saying holds true, "One sows and another reaps." <sup>38</sup>I sent you to reap that for which you did not labour. Others have laboured, and you have entered into their labour.'

<sup>39</sup>Many Samaritans from that city believed in him because of the woman's testimony, 'He told me everything I have ever done.' <sup>40</sup>So when the Samaritans came to him, they asked him to stay with them; and he stayed there for two days.

<sup>41</sup>And many more believed because of his word. <sup>42</sup>They said to the woman, 'It is no longer because of what you said that we believe, for we have heard for ourselves, and we know that this is truly the Saviour of the world.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**All:** Praise to you, O Christ.

## Post Communion

Merciful Lord,  
grant your people grace to withstand the temptations  
of the world, the flesh and the devil,  
and with pure hearts and minds to follow you, the only  
God;

# Mothering Sunday

All Saints' Church Odell 11am Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March

Join with us for a

Family Service to celebrate Mothers' Day

Followed by refreshments and flowers

## **Church Notices for next week's Pew sheet**

Please send by Thursday Morning to:

[teamofficectm@gmail.com](mailto:teamofficectm@gmail.com)

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

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/>

## **St Peter's, Harrold.**

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

## **St Mary the Virgin, Podington.**

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



## **The clergy can be contacted as follows:**

Email: [chellingonteam@gmail.com](mailto:chellingonteam@gmail.com)

Tel: Rev Jacqueline and Rev Peter  
07356 258256

## **St Mary the Virgin, Stevington.**

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

## **All Saints', Turvey.**

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

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.

# Other News and Events



Ending hunger  
together

## Food collection

### Help support your local food bank

Bedford Foodbank provides emergency food parcels for local individuals and families facing hardship.

### Donate food



Donate an item or two from our shopping list, ensuring we can provide food for people facing hardship in your community.

### Donate money



Help to cover the costs of storing and distributing food, as well as developing sustainable projects.

### Shopping

- Tinned Vegetables \_\_\_\_\_
- Coffee \_\_\_\_\_
- Tinned Spaghetti Hoops \_\_\_\_\_
- Tinned Fruit \_\_\_\_\_
- Long life Fruit Juice \_\_\_\_\_
- Cup A Soup \_\_\_\_\_
- Jelly \_\_\_\_\_
- Shower Gel \_\_\_\_\_
- Cooking Sauces \_\_\_\_\_
- Bars of Chocolate \_\_\_\_\_

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