

Services next Sunday 28<sup>sr</sup> June – 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

10.30am Holy Communion at St Mary's, Glemsford

6.00pm Evening Prayer at Holy Trinity, Boxted

*Do join us for Rev Mary's last services with us*



*Thanks to the many who contributed to the Flower Festival at Hartest and Stanstead churches and to Glemsford's 'Count on Nature' last weekend. Well done Glem Valley!*

### *This Week*

**Tues 23rd June 7pm St Mary's PCC** meets in church

**Wed 24th June 11am Midweek Morning Prayer** at St Mary's, Glemsford. Coffee from 10.30am.

**Wed 24th June 7pm Archdeacon's Visitation** at St Lawrence, Gt Waldingfield (no Fellowship Group this week)

**Sat 27th June Wedding of Ed and Becky** at Holy Trinity, Boxted

### *Future Events*



**Sat 11th July 7-10pm Cheese & Wine Evening** at Oak Cottage, Plum Street, Glemsford. Tickets £15

**Please pray for:**

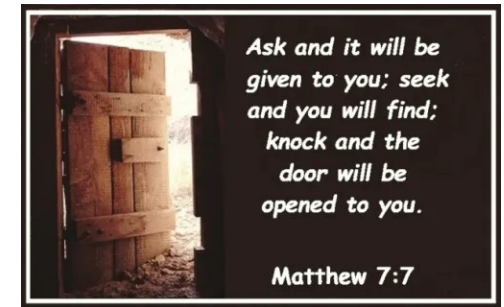


- Rev Mary, as she prepares to begin a new ministry in Kent
- the deacons and priests being ordained at the Cathedral on Saturday

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## The Glem Valley United Benefice



**Sunday 21st June 2026**

**Third Sunday after Trinity**

**9.00am Holy Communion at All Saints, Hartest**  
**10.30am Family Service at St Mary's, Glemsford**  
**(3pm Open Air service at Foxearth Meadows)**

BBC Radio 4 Sunday Worship 8.10am

BBC 1 Songs of Praise 12.15pm

*Fathers Day*

BBC Radio 3 Choral Evensong 6.00pm

*from Clare College, Cambridge*

### **Jeremiah Ch20: vv.7-13**

You deceived me, LORD, and I was deceived;  
you overpowered me and prevailed.

I am ridiculed all day long;  
everyone mocks me.

- <sup>8</sup> Whenever I speak, I cry out  
proclaiming violence and destruction.  
So the word of the LORD has brought me  
insult and reproach all day long.
- <sup>9</sup> But if I say, 'I will not mention his word  
or speak any more in his name,'  
his word is in my heart like a fire,  
a fire shut up in my bones.  
I am weary of holding it in;  
indeed, I cannot.
- <sup>10</sup> I hear many whispering,  
'Terror on every side!  
Denounce him! Let's denounce him!'  
All my friends  
are waiting for me to slip, saying,  
'Perhaps he will be deceived;  
then we will prevail over him  
and take our revenge on him.'
- <sup>11</sup> But the LORD is with me like a mighty warrior;  
so my persecutors will stumble and not prevail.  
They will fail and be thoroughly disgraced;  
their dishonour will never be forgotten.
- <sup>12</sup> LORD Almighty, you who examine the righteous  
and probe the heart and mind,  
let me see your vengeance on them,  
for to you I have committed my cause.
- <sup>13</sup> Sing to the LORD!  
Give praise to the LORD!  
He rescues the life of the needy  
from the hands of the wicked. ©NIV

## **Gospel according to Matthew Ch7: vv.1-5, 7-12**

'Do not judge, or you too will be judged. <sup>2</sup> For in the same way as you judge others, you will be judged, and with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.

<sup>3</sup> 'Why do you look at the speck of sawdust in your brother's eye and pay no attention to the plank in your own eye? <sup>4</sup> How can you say to your brother, "Let me take the speck out of your eye," when all the time there is a plank in your own eye? <sup>5</sup> You hypocrite, first take the plank out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother's eye.....

<sup>7</sup> 'Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. <sup>8</sup> For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.

<sup>9</sup> 'Which of you, if your son asks for bread, will give him a stone?

<sup>10</sup> Or if he asks for a fish, will give him a snake? <sup>11</sup> If you, then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask him! <sup>12</sup> So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets.

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## **The Collect (Prayer for the Day)**

**God our Saviour,**

look on this wounded world in pity and in power; hold us fast to your promises of peace won for us by your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

**Amen.**