

Please join us in prayer for:

... for those in need of our prayers:

Louise Harward (HA)(CH) Kate Touhy (CH)
John Edwards (CH) Lita Edgell (CH)
Peter Ward (CH)(HA) Audrey Huggins (HA)

...for those ill, at home or in hospital:

Steve Chicken (CH) Lynne Hammond (CH)
Sarah Ives (SH) Margaret Nunn (SH)
Adrian Sadler (ER)

... the family and friends of those who have recently died

If you would like to be included in our prayers, if you know of somebody who might be interested, or if you wish to come off the list, then please contact Liesbeth on 781902, or email to l.oosterhof@btinternet.com

How you can support your church financially

Like every other charity, we need your help in our parishes. To support the work of the churches in our benefice, you can donate by joining the Parish Giving Scheme, or by setting up a Direct Debit or Standing Order. We also have Contactless Giving Terminals in all our churches and of course you can still give cash on the collection plate.

In addition we are adding a Donate button to the 'A Church Near You' website for each parish.

Your friendly treasurers can give you further details if needed.

Thank you for your generosity!

This news sheet is available on our websites and delivered by email every week to all those who wish to receive it. If you know of someone who would like to receive this news sheet, please get in touch!

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NOTICES FOR Sunday 5 July '26

Fifth Sunday after Trinity



Collect for the Fifth Sunday after Trinity

Almighty God,
send down upon your Church
the riches of your Spirit,
and kindle in all who minister the gospel
your countless gifts of grace;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Readings for the Fifth Sunday after Trinity

Genesis 24.34–38, 42–49, 58–67, Psalm 45.10–17,
Romans 7.15–25a, Matthew 11.16–19, 25–end

From Psalm 45

Hear, O daughter; consider and incline your ear;
forget your own people and your father's house.
So shall the king have pleasure in your beauty;
he is your lord, so do him honour.

Services, worship and prayer time for the coming week

Mid-week World Peace Prayers will be delivered by email this week

Next Sunday 12/7: Trinity 6

9.30am Holy Communion, St Andrew's, Chelmondiston
10.45am Family@Church in Shotley Village Hall

Worship in the Cathedral:

A schedule of regular services in the Cathedral can be found here:

<https://stedscathedral.org/worship/>

The cathedral live streams most of their services on their YouTube

Channel: <https://www.youtube.com/@stedscathedral/streams>

Events @ the Cathedral

Our Cathedral offers a broad program of events including popular and classical concerts, holiday activities, tower tours, talks and lectures, etc:

Please check the Cathedral's website for more details of all events:

<https://stedscathedral.org/whats-on/>



Gents' Breakfast

St Andrew's Church Room, Chelmondiston
Saturday 18th July, 9.00 - 10.30am



Dilly Ridge will be cooking breakfast for any gent who wishes to come along.

A donation of about £10 is appreciated towards Church funds.
Please let Dilly know in advance to make sure there is space on the day: dilly@hildaridge.co.uk
or phone: 01473 780350 mob: 07850 431628

Samford Deanery Garden Party Friday 10th July at 6.00pm The Rectory, Capel St Mary IP9 2LE

All those helping in our churches in any way are invited to meet with those doing the same in the other parishes in the deanery.
Revd Sally Letman asks all to bring a plate of food and a bottle!



Together we are listening - refreshing the diocesan vision and strategy

A time to pray, to reflect and to listen together to God and one another as we begin to refresh our diocesan vision and strategy. This process will be underpinned by a rhythm of prayer, attuning our hearts to God's voice as we listen and discern what God is calling us to in the future.

Whether you come with questions, hopes, or simply a desire to be present, you are very welcome.

No need to sign up — just come along.

Tuesday 28 July 7.00pm – 9.00pm led by Archdeacon Sam | St Margaret's Church, Ipswich

Saturday 18 July 11.00am – 1.00pm led by the Revd Canon Sharron Coburn | Online - details to follow

To listen to Bishop Joanne explaining more, and to find out how you can be involved and/or contribute please have a look at:

<https://www.cofesuffolk.org/exploring-faith/our-bishops/together-we-are-listening/>

PCC Meetings

Chelmondiston: PCC Thurs 3rd September, 7.30pm, Church Room

Harkstead: PCC Wednesday 14th July, 7.30pm at Catkin's

Erwarton: PCC Wednesday 14th October, 2.00pm at Jayne's

Shotley: PCC Thursday 16th July, 7.30pm at Maureen's