

# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

**St Mary's, Crich**

**1<sup>st</sup> February 2026**



*'To Know Jesus and for Jesus to be Known'*

## **SERVICE TODAY**

**10am**

**All Age Worship with guests from  
Compassion**



***Next Sunday***

***10am – Holy Communion***



***Ash Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> February  
Benefice Communion Service with ashing  
10.30 @ St Mary's, Crich.***





### **Prayers for those in our Parish and beyond**

- For those connected to our congregation who need prayer and support. These include Joe & Josie Brown, Dennis Holmes, Ruth & Pete Townsend, Doreen Sayles, Peter Hancox. Do let us know of others you would like to see mentioned each week.
- For church members to feel encouraged as they consider attending The Bible Course, our Lent 2026 study.
- For ongoing plans for children's ministry
- For more people ready and willing to help with Sunday morning worship in different ways.

### **Prayer Diary**

#### **Monthly prayer Diary for St Mary's**

"The monthly prayer calendar for FEBRUARY is ready for collection at the back of church. Please only take one if you intend to use it on a daily basis!"

### **Funerals and remembrance:**

Please pray for the family and friends of **Brian Sayles** whose service will be at 11am on 3 February.

Please pray the family and friends of **Ralph Land** whose funeral was on 20<sup>th</sup>.January

**St Mary's Lent Course, 2026**  
***How well do you know the Bible?***  
***Let's learn together!***



The Course will be run twice a week in Wesley Chapel. You can join  
**Either** on Thursdays at 7.30pm **or** on Mondays at 10.30.

First sessions will be **Thursday 19 Feb and Monday 23 Feb**

Sign at the back of Church if you plan to come.

Course booklets (not absolutely necessary but very helpful) are £10  
which you can bring to session 1.

Watch out for more details or investigate via

<https://www.biblesociety.org.uk/explore-the-bible/the-bible-course>

St Mary's services cannot run without the wonderful people who make it happen in so many practical ways. If you are a regular participant, please consider joining this work and speak to Linda, vicar Jo or another Church leader about the following:

- Helping to prepare the church before the service and clear it for weekday visitors after the service.
- Welcoming/counting attendance/collection plate.
- Leading prayers.

This list will be included and extended as a prompt during the months of Jan/Feb. Please be prayerful about your part in the body of Christ and get in touch!

# All Saints, South Wingfield

Every Sunday, 11am @ All Saints Church Hall

1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays in the month: Holy Communion

2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays: Morning Prayer led by Reader Diana Marshall +  
occasional guest

## Smith Memorial Hall, Wingfield Park

3pm on every 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in each month unless advertised otherwise.

### OTHER ACTIVITIES

- **BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER HOLY COMMUNION:** 8.00 @ Crich Wesley
- **FAMILY WORSHIP CAFÉ CHURCH** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday, 9.30-11.00 @ Crich Wesley
- **HEALING PRAYER:** On the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday, 14.00 @ Crich Wesley
- **POPALONG TODDLER GROUP:** Fridays during term time, 9.30 at Crich Wesley
- **WEEKLY PRAYER MEETINGS: All are Welcome**  
Mondays 9.00 @ 16 Culland View. Saturdays 9.30 @ 22 Cromford Road
- **HOMEGROUP:** On the second Monday 14.00 @ 21 Culland View

**A CHURCH NEAR YOU:** Keep abreast of what's happening at  
St Mary's, All Saints and other local Churches

<https://achurchnearyou.com/church/13152/>

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