

Welcome to our Services



Holy Communion, St. Mary's. 9.30am

Morning Praise, Church of the Holy Spirit, 11.00am

Readings: 1 Peter 1. 16—end and Matthew 17. 1—9

Sunday Services will continue to be streamed on facebook

CHS: <https://www.facebook.com/widfordparishchelmsford/>

St Mary's: <https://www.facebook.com/stmaryswidford/>

WIDFORD PARISH MISSION STATEMENT PRAYER

Loving Heavenly Father, please help us to grow to be more like Jesus. We want to get to know Christ together by loving one another, serving others and being at the heart of our community. Lord Jesus please encourage us on our way. Amen

Collect for Sunday next before Lent

Almighty God, give us reverence for all creation and respect for every person, that we may mirror your likeness in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Bishop John's leaving service is Sunday 26th February @ 3:30pm, Chelmsford Cathedral—register your attendance: Farewell to the Bishop of Bradwell.

Following the visit of Keshule and Ali Edapal, we are printing one of their prayer requests each week, This week:- **Praise God that these amazing gardens are providing food for the church and the wider community.**

World Day of Prayer is Friday 3rd March, and focuses on Taiwan. We are hosting our own service for this @ CHS, 11am on the 3rd, followed by finger buffet/soup. If you are interested in being part of a team to plan for this and help with catering (!), please speak to Jess :)



Chelmsford college will be returning to Hope Café on Tuesday 21st Feb to run their pottery workshop! Do come along to paint and support the students with their assignments!

Chelmsford College Students will be opening Hope Café and Soft Play for an extra morning 10 00am.-12.00, plus Warm Hub, free soup and a roll (11.00-12.00) Fridays:- 24th February, 10th March, 17th March, 24th March.

Bishop Guli is encouraging us to Travelling Well Together. The Diocese have produced a Lent course to start our thinking on this topic. If you would like to join me in working through the Lent course, they have produced, please join me at 7.00pm, in the Westlands Lounge. God Bless. Stephanie.

**Friday 3rd March,
10th March,
24th March,
31st March**

**PANCAKES!
TUESDAY 21st
3-5pm, 7-9pm!
Parish Centre**



Walsingham—Friday 1st—Sunday 3rd September

If you'd like to come please pay your deposit of £10 to Widford Parish PCC by this Friday 24th Feb. This is to secure your place.

The PCC has donated £420 to the Earthquake appeal to help survivors of the deadly earthquake last week, in Turkey and Syria.

Mon 20th	Hope Café/Soft Play <5yrs>	9.00-12.00	Parish Centre
Mon 20th	Bridge Club	1.00-4.15pm	Parish Centre
Mon 20th	Rainbows	4.30-5.30pm	Parish Centre
Tues 21st	Hope Café/Soft Play <5yrs>	9.00-12.00	Parish Centre
Tues 21st	Pancakes/Homework Club	3.00-5.00pm	Parish Centre
Tues 21st	Pancakes	7.00-9.00pm	Parish Centre
Tues 21st	Bible Trek	7.30-9.15pm	Westlands Lounge
Wed 22nd	Morning Prayer	9.15am	Prayer Room CHS
Wed. 22nd	Ash Wednesday Service	10.30am	St. Luke's
Wed 22nd	Lunch Club	1pm-2:15pm	Parish Centre
Wed 22nd	Wednesday Fellowship	2:15pm-4pm	Westlands Lounge
Wed 22nd	Music Practice	7.30-9.00pm	CHS
Wed. 22nd	Ash Wednesday Service	7.30pm	St. Mary's
Thurs 23rd	Widford Waddlers	10.00-12.00	Widford Vill. Hall
Thurs 23rd	Homework Club	3.15-5.15pm	Westlands Lounge
Thurs 23rd	Choir	7-8pm	CHS
Thurs 23rd	Art Club	6.00-10.00	Parish Centre
Fri 24th	Hope Café/Soft Play <5yrs>	10.00-12.00	Parish Centre
Fri. 24th	Craft Club	3.15-4.15	Parish Centre
Sat. 25th	Youth Group	7.00-8.30pm	Parish Centre
Sun 26th	All Age Worship	9.30am	St. Mary's
Sun 26th	Holy Communion	11.00am	CHS

PARISH CONTACT INFORMATION:

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Mr Keith Schofield (CHS)
Mr Bob Wiseman (St Mary's)

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The Parish Office and CHS:-

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limited hours but the email and
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w: www.widfordparish.com

Monday: Bob
Tuesday (Churchtalk): Barbara O
Wednesday: Jess
Thursday: Shirley
Friday: Sylvia

Let us remember today, the 19th,
those living in, Nabbott Road and
Parkinson Drive, also, Dave O and
Barbara O, from our Parish prayer
directory.

For inclusion here please let,
Stephanie or one of the wardens
know, alternatively send a message
to widfordchurchtalk@gmail.com
headed "Prayer request".

There is also a **Prayer Chain via**
Text message on [07368136770](tel:07368136770)
for specific prayer requests.

Please also remember in your
prayers our tithe charities, this week:

CPAS (Christian Pastoral Aid Society)

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Have you checked out the church's
website at www.widfordparish.com
which is updated every week. There is
more information about what goes on
in/at church, and links to partner
organisations. Why not check it out??

