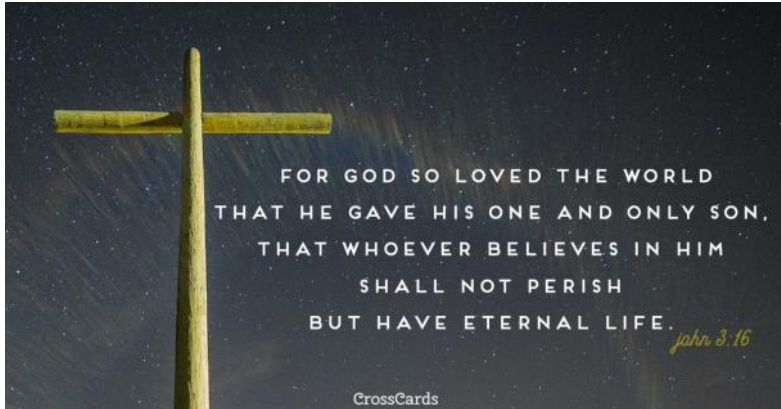


Welcome to our Services



All Age Worship, St. Mary's, 9.30am

Praise and Worship, Church of the Holy Spirit,
10.30am

Readings. [Isaiah 6. 1-8](#) and [John 3. 1-17](#)

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. Trinity Sunday

Holy God, faithful and unchanging: enlarge our minds with the knowledge of your truth, and draw us more deeply into the mystery of your love, that we may truly worship you, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, one God now and forever. Amen

There is now a wheelchair in the anti room to the gents at CHS. It has been hardly used, if anyone, anytime needs the use of a wheelchair please help yourself. It is on permanent loan or until I'm old and decrepit!! Bob

Christians in Chelmsford are encouraging Prayer Walking again, this time through the month of June. Please take a pack of Prayer Request cards, pray for the road and then deliver the cards. When you have finished, please leave the elastic band and the name of the road in the office for Bob to relay to Christians Together in Chelmsford. Thank you for joining in and praying for our Parish. Stephanie

This week's Eco tip includes a couple of ideas about recycling: It's easy to recycle domestic rechargeable batteries and cell phones at large supermarkets, or by post for phones (some ideas are here: <https://www.which.co.uk/reviews/mobile-phones/article/how-to-recycle-your-mobile-phone-a4RH90q3yNtT>). Also, if you can, buy products made from the highest recycled content whenever possible. Naturally, extending the life of existing products or repurposing them where possible is even better than recycling!

The Youth group is hoping to do another "Safari Supper" on Saturday 15th June. If you would be happy to host us for a course of a meal, please speak to Jess or Stephanie! It is a great way for our youth to meet other members of the church and for you to get to know them!

We will soon be doing an update of the Church directory, if you are not currently in it but would like to be, please pass your details to Jess.



Donating to the parish is easy, either by giving cash in the plate, envelopes, online, via Parish Giving Scheme, or using the QR code here.

To use the QR code just open the camera on your phone, and it will take you to the 'Give a Little' page where you can choose the amount you want to give. Thank you.





Very touched by my 90th birthday card from everyone at St Mary's. I had a lovely day, being spoilt with balloons, cake, candles, wine and flowers! Godless and love.
Daphne

"Destiny and Doom"

From 4-5.30 on the last Friday of each month from June till November, we'll be

gathering at St Mary's Church, Woodham Ferrers, to talk about "Destiny and Doom".

The first time we'll meet, we'll look at Woodham Ferrers' Doom Painting (which dates from the thirteenth century and has been reconstructed in 2024), and talk about what subjects we will cover.

Thereafter we will have a bit of pre-reading to do, and then 'disagree agreeably' with one another about such subjects as heaven, hell, Jesus and judgement. Each session will include recording a youtube video together.

Contact Andy Griffiths on agriffiths@chelmsford.anglican.org to hear more, or just turn up on 28 June! You can park at the Bell pub.

Tues 28th	Bible Trek	7.30-9.15pm	CHS
Wed 29th	Morning Prayer	9.15am	CHS
Wed 29th	Lunch Club	1.00-2.15pm	Parish Centre
Wed 29th	Wednesday Fellowship	2.15-4.00pm	Parish Centre/CHS
Wed 29th	Music Practice	7.30-9.00pm	CHS
Thurs 30th	Choir	7.00-8.00pm	CHS
Sat 1st	Youth Alpha	7.00-8.30pm	Westlands Lounge
Sun 2nd	Holy Communion	9.30am	St. Mary's
Sun 2nd	All Age Worship	10.30am	CHS

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<i>Monday:</i>	Bob
<i>Tuesday (Churchtalk):</i>	Barbara O
<i>Wednesday:</i>	Jess
<i>Thursday:</i>	Shirley+Val
<i>Friday:</i>	Barbara J

Let us remember today, the 26th May, those living in, Thetford Court and Waterhouse Lane, also, Tammy and Linda and Geoff, 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:

Mary Wood Trust (Working with girls in Uganda)

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

And <https://www.facebook.com/stmaryswidford/>

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??



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