



If you know of someone who might like prayer, needs a home visit or is unable to get to church and would like communion in their home, please speak to a member of the clergy or one of the Welcome Team.



We offer a personal ministry of prayer every week during the **10:30 Service**. If you wish to bring anything to God in prayer, and in private, please go to the South Porch during Communion where two people will be available to pray with you.

Loop System: For people who are hard of hearing the church has a 'loop system'. Please adjust your hearing aid to 'T' and if possible sit at least 2 feet away from church walls.

Toilet Facilities: The toilet is located at the back of the church through the doors to the kitchen.

Alcohol Free Wine for Communion: Please inform the minister at the communion rail if you would prefer alcohol free wine.

Vicar: Rev'd Steve Morley 01787 227407 vicar@parishchurch.co.uk
(Please note Monday is Steve's day off)

Notice Sheet items should be sent to office@parishchurch.co.uk

The Parish Office, The Vicarage, Church Square, Bures CO8 5AA
**01787 227407 - Tuesday to Friday between the hours of
9.00am - 1.00pm**



Church News

Sunday
20th May 2018



Today's Services - Pentecost

8.00	Holy Communion (BCP) Bures: <i>Tricia Box</i>
10.30	Holy Communion Bures: <i>Tricia Box</i>
10.30	Family Service Assington: <i>Steve Morley</i>
10.30	Morning Worship Little Cornard: <i>Murray Emerson</i>
2.30	Annual Rogation Walk: St Mary's

Next Sunday's Services - Trinity Sunday

6.30pm	Evensong (Open Gardens) Bures: <i>Mary Cantacuzene</i>
10.30	Morning Worship Assington: <i>Tricia Box</i>
10.30	Holy Communion (with Baptism) Little Cornard: <i>Steve Morley</i>

What's happening this week (see notices)

Wed	9.00	Prayers in the South Porch, Bures
	10.00	Informal Service of Morning Prayer, Bures
	10.30	'Open Door' Drop-in café, Bures
	2.15	Stepping Stones, Bures
Thurs	7.30pm	Mothers' Union
Fri	9.00	Morning Prayer, Little Cornard
Sat	8.30	Prayers in the South Porch, Bures

Welcome It is good to have you all with us today. Please stay for tea and coffee after the Service. If you are new here, we would like to keep in touch with you. Please fill in a Welcome Card and hand it to the person taking the service or one of the Welcoming Team.



For more details of what's on see:

www.parishchurch.co.uk

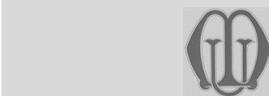
www.facebook.com/Messy-Church-St-Marys-Bures

What is happening this week ...



@ St Mary's Church

For babes and little ones and their parents/carers - 20 minutes of fun, bible stories and songs, followed by refreshments and play. **Wednesday 23rd May at 2.15pm.**



Mothers' Union - Thursday 24th May at 7.30pm, St Mary's.

We very much look forward to welcoming *Cath Brown* from the Baptist Church to share our evening with us ...

You don't have to be a member to come along - Everyone is very welcome!

Bures Open Gardens - Saturday 26th and Sunday 27th May. Up to 15 lovely gardens will be open. The inside of the church will be decorated with a wonderful array of flowers. The Bures Art Group will be exhibiting their works. Plants from individual gardens will be available to purchase and we are also hoping to include a Horticultural stall. Cakes and good quality books will be on sale and (weather permitting), lunches will be available on the Bures Common from 12.30 to 2.00pm. If that's not tempting enough, delicious cream teas will be served each day from 2.00pm to 5.00pm. **Tickets are £5 (and will be available in church).** Proceeds will be shared between *St Mary's Church and the Essex and Herts Air Ambulance Service.*



Please note : Due to the Bures Open Gardens weekend, there will be no Messy Church or Solos on Sunday this weekend (the next Solos lunch will take place on Sunday 3rd June and going forward will continue to be held on the 1st Sunday of each month).

Notices

Pentecost Praise

Today at 6.30pm, St Peter's Church, Sudbury

Pentecost Praise is taking place today at 6.30pm, St Peter's Church, Sudbury. Please do come along to this service and encourage others to do so too. The speaker is Gavin Calver and should be well worth hearing.

Gavin Calver is the Director of Mission at the Evangelical Alliance and the Chair of the Spring Harvest Planning Group. He has a burning passion to see the Gospel reach every person in the UK. Formerly the leader of Youth for Christ, Gavin is an ordained evangelist and regular public speaker, and has authored six books. Married to Anne, they have two children, Amelie and Daniel. He loves new challenges, is a passionate AFC Wimbledon supporter and was part of the team that broke the World Record for the longest 5 a side football match. He and Anne host a television programme currently running on TBN U.K. at 8:30pm on Wednesday evenings.

If anyone is available to help set up at St Peter's from 4pm on 20th May please contact: **Ruth Ridge:** ruthkridge@gmail.com or **Peter Halden:** peterhalden@hotmail.com



"The Suffolk Show is a fabulous event at which to celebrate and showcase all that Suffolk has to offer. One of the wonderful treasures of Suffolk is its churches - and just a taste of the creativity, energy and diversity of our church engagement and connections can be sampled at the Church of England stand. You'll find a very warm welcome, delicious free refreshments and activities of interest for all ages so do put this stand on your list of must sees!" *Bishop Mike.*