# Wollaston, E Maudit, Bozeat & Strixton church community

## Worship this Sunday - 6th March

online from 11am: (via youtube, facebook, websites)

Live stream of the service at Wollaston

onsite: 9am Holy Communion at Strixton

9:15am Morning Prayer @ Bozeat 11am Morning Worship @ Wollaston

11am Matins @ E Maudit

### **Readings for this Sunday**

(1st Sunday in Lent)

Deuteronomy 26.1-11 Romans 10.8b-13 Luke 4.1-13

### General information

**St. Mary's, Wollaston** is open for private prayer each Friday, 10am to 12pm. All welcome.

Car parking for Sunday morning at St. Mary's, Wollaston - we do have permission to use the limited number of spaces at the Scott Bader Commonwealth centre.

St. Mary's, Wollaston runs a support and prayer group via WhatsApp. If you would like to join this group, then please do contact Matthew Beeby on 07737148358



#### Online services are continuing

St. Mary's Bozeat & Wollaston,
Northamptonshire
Youtube channel: YouTube

https://www.youtube.com/channel/ UCiJR-fqRHF2J4mnccy4A9TQ

Prayer Chain - St. Mary's, Wollaston runs a prayer chain where needs will be prayed for by a team of people. Use the confidential email, websprayerlink@gmail.com, to send in your requests.

This Newsletter - to receive a copy by email or include an event etc in the notices, email Adrian (see overleaf) Support for Ukraine - we are hoping to partner with Hope church Wellingborough to offer support for those needing help in the Ukraine crisis. Paul & Cynthia Chadwick (<a href="mailto:chadwickpei@hotmail.com">chadwickpei@hotmail.com</a>) are our link people, do contact them for more information. They write as follows:



Luidmila (Mila) Kuchma is organising aid going out through Hope Church Wellingborough and Elim Church. We know the family (of husband Vladimir & 5 children) and friend Anton (who is a Pastor) and his wife, through fellowship at Hope Church. I think it was last year they all returned to the Ukraine before making a miraculous escape back to the UK. Presently they are in need of the following items:-

Non- Perishable food, Medicines, Warm Clothes, Shoes, Socks, Baby Food, Nappies, Underwear

They have also set up a GoFundMe page http://gofund.me/c91a9a50 which has only just been activated through Ignite Elim Church, for anyone wishing to make a monetary donation either feeding into or called Helping Hand Ukraine.

There is an alternative giving link from the Disasters Emergency Committee: https://donation.dec.org.uk/ukraine-humanitarian-appeal if you'd rather give money this way.

In the first instance please do bring any of the above items to St. Mary's, Wollaston or take to Chris & Linda Brett at the Vicarage, Hensmans Lane, Bozeat.

- Burial of Ashes service for Edith Briggs this is taking place on Monday 7th March at 10am in the garden of remembrance at St. Mary's, Wollaston. Any members from St. Mary's who would like to attend are very welcome.
- Easter Day 17th April The Baptism pool will be available during the service at St. Mary's, Wollaston, please speak to Adrian if you would like to be baptised on Easter Day or would like to renew your baptismal promises by full immersion!



Please turn over for more notices...

**Crafted Prayers for 2022** - Over the next few weeks a number of prayers will be published for our use. These have come from the Sunday evening 'worship, prayer & prophetic' equipping evenings. The second one is around the them of 'New people, new ventures':

Lord, we sense this is a season of kingdom growth, where many will say' Yes 'to you and become part of your body. As your church in this place we want to say YES! to being part of this, we are excited for the diversity of this season, we are expectant for growth to be different to how we have seen it before. We welcome the complexity! We pray for the new ways we are reaching out, our building based ventures... including 3Cs, 3Ts, youth cafe, youth alpha, may those who enter be surprised by the ease of it, experience your presence, receive healing. For other ways we are seeing kingdom growth: For Nigel, and outreach to Bean Hill Milton Keynes and the prospect of alpha there; for Ivor and Gemma and Faith walks, the conference and recovery group; for the chance to minister in the prison... Lord guide and lead us, help us as your sons and daughters to make good decisions, to follow what you are doing, to be prepared to do what we have not done before, to embrace how different things might look and be ...

We say Yes please, to the promises of Isaiah 56, and Jeremiah 23, that the Lord is in the business of gathering others in, and seeing return those who have drifted away. Our hearts long to see those who have wandered return to you, to enjoy again the embrace of the Father....to see others gathered in, kingdom growth that causes rejoicing in Heaven. In Jesus name, Amen



Bishop's Bible Day 2022

The Four Gospels

9.30-11:30am

Bishop Donald has released a series of recorded talks which can be accessed on the <u>diocesan website</u>. He suggests that they may be used as a five week Lent study course, the first week looking at talks 1 and 6, then one week each of the Gospel talks. Or as a replacement for the Bible Day, possibly on the originally planned date of Sunday 5 March, that they are watched in order, on your own or with others. The talks are:

- 15 minute introduction to the Gospels
- half-hour talk on each of the four Gospel books
- 15 minute talk on the reliability of the Gospels.

On Sat 12 March we hope you will join us live online for a morning of worship, two workshops and the opportunity to quiz the Bishop.

This event is for anyone who uses the Bible in their ministry, in church, in school, at work, in the community or at home.

#### Booking is essential.

Enquiries to <a href="mailto:bookings@peterborough-diocese.org.uk">bookings@peterborough-diocese.org.uk</a>

#### **News from the Daylight Centre (4th March)**

Numbers are still increasing at the Food Bank and they anticipate a greater demand on their services once the energy price rises kick in. There are currently over 100 parcels per week being delivered to those in food poverty. Thank you to everyone who supports the Daylight Centre Food Bank. All your donations are very much appreciated. Thank you.

Stocks are now running low on: Tinned Fruit, Fruit Squash, Toilet Paper, Cup-a-Soups, Mug Shots, Pot Noodles, Pasta & Sauce and Tinned Custard. There is always a need for Sugar, Biscuits, Crackers (savoury biscuits), Crisps, Washing Powder tabs, Tinned rice pudding, Fruit juice (not grapefruit), the smaller child-sized cartons of fruit juice, Coffee (100gm jars), Jam, Packets of rice (basmati, wholegrain etc), Savoury Rice, Boil-in-the-Bag Rice, Microwaveable Rice, Jelly (in cubes or already made up in pots), Boxes of Breakfast Cereal, Weetabix (or similar breakfast biscuit), Pasta, Pasta Pots, Packet Noodles, Tinned spaghetti, UHT Whole Milk & Semi-skimmed Milk, Tinned Potatoes, Tinned vegetables, Tinned pulses (butter beans, kidney beans etc), Small Tins of fish (sardines, tuna etc), Tins of meat (eg Stewing Steak, Meat Curry, Minced Beef etc) including Fray Bentos Tinned Pies, Instant Whip Desserts and Kitchen Roll. Nappies in size 5 and size 6 (no need for expensive ones) are also helpful at present. Also Spray Deodorant for ladies and men, Dog food, and cheap tin openers (for the homeless) are also always welcome. Thank you

Please deliver direct to the Daylight Centre food bank warehouse on Finedon Road Industrial Estate, 3 Bradfield Road, NN8 4NB between 9.30am and 11.30am, Monday to Friday.

Or to 2 Manchester Road, Wollaston, or contact Jean & David Rose 01933 663778 for collection.

Or drop off to Chris & Linda Brett at the vicarage in Bozeat.

Thank you very much for your help.

**Daylight Shop**, Cambridge Street, Wellingborough Unfortunately the shop is currently closed due to storm damage. They hope to reopen from 8th March 2022.



### **Experience Easter**

\* An interactive way to explore the Easter Story with children and adults \* Tuesday 22nd & Thursday 24th - 9-3pm \* St Mary's Church, Bozeat

If you would like to help in any way:

- setting up the church on Sunday 20th & Monday 21st
- preparing and helping with craft activities
- sitting with a scene to help tell the story
- sharing the Easter Story with Under 5's using story bags
- helping with refreshments

Contact for further details or to offer help: Linda Brett 07846 217633 01933 665831 lindabrettles@gmail.com

#### WEBS Benefice & The Little Chapel



# **Passover Meal**

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> April 6-8pm Church Hall, Allens Hill, Bozeat

Come for a 2 course meal & an act of worship

Jacket Potatoes Hot & Cold Meats Salads & Desserts



Adults &6 Children &3

For further details & tickets please contact Linda Brett 01933 665831

#### Contact details

Revd Adrian Morton 01933 664256, <u>adrianmorton762@gmail.com</u> Revd Gordon Chisnall 01933 674660, <u>gchisnall@btinternet.com</u> Chris & Linda Brett 01933 665831, <u>chris.brett53@googlemail.com</u>,

lindabrettles@gmail.com

Jean Rose (Administrator) 01933 663778, jeanerose@btinternet.com

**Facebook, search:** Wollaston church - St. Mary's Church Wollaston Bozeat church - St Mary's Bozeat Church Events

Websites: <a href="https://stmaryswollaston.com">https://stmaryswollaston.com</a>

https://bozeatchurchstmarys.com



### Wollaston Health & Wellbeing Group

(An initiative of St Mary's Church, Wollaston)

Millions of people around the world cannot access basic medical care, clean water, schools or receive the Good News of God's love, simply because it's too dangerous or time-consuming to reach them. MAF provide flights for over 2000 aid, development and mission organisations to enable them to transform lives.

Come and listen to a talk by Kevin Crook on how they provide medical relief and life-transforming help to vulnerable people in hard-to-reach places.

### **Mission Aviation Fellowship**

**Guest Speaker Kevin Crook** 

Thursday 17th March 2022 2.00 pm to 4.00 pm

to be held at St Mary's Church, Wollaston. Refreshments provided. All welcome.

For further information contact Nigel Scott (Tel.: 01933 664043) or Jean Rose (Tel.: 01933 663778)