# Wollaston, E Maudit, Bozeat & Strixton church community

### Worship this Sunday - 12th March

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

Live stream of the service at Wollaston

onsite: 9:15am Holy Communion @ Bozeat

11am Holy Communion @ Wollaston

11am Matins @ E Maudit

### **Readings for this Sunday**

Exodus 17.1-7 Romans 5.1-11 John 4.5-42

### **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



Booking St. Mary's Church Community Hall in Bozeat please contact Chris & Linda Brett on 01933 665831

#### Online services are continuing

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

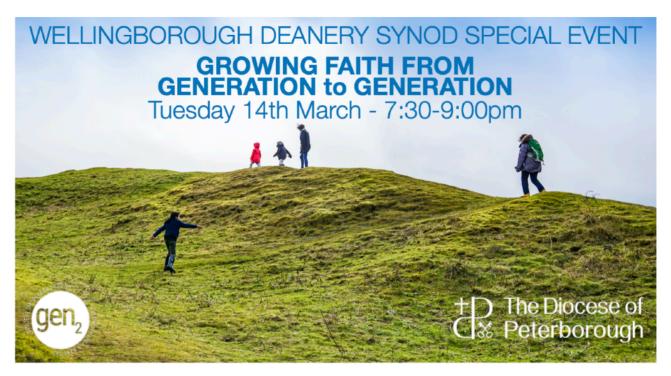
https://www.youtube.com/channel/ UCiJR-fqRHF2J4mnccy4A9TQ

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)

- Sunday 19th March at St. Mary's, Wollaston following the All-age service there will be a lunch. All welcome to stay on and enjoy the food and fellowship.
- Electoral Roll One of the many great strengths of the Church of England is its system of governance, from the parish level to General Synod. At the parish level, the Electoral Roll ensures that members of a church can shape the local mission and ministry by electing the officers necessary to do that work. Being on the Church Electoral Roll is not a prerequisite of membership of a particular church, but it does demonstrate a willingness and intention to help shape the future of the Church, not just locally, but nationally and even internationally. Please do consider whether you should enrol, and take a fuller part in the life of your church. Now is the time to get your name on the Church Electoral Roll if you are not already on it. This needs to be completed before the Annual Meetings for Bozeat, Easton Maudit and Wollaston with Strixton in April and May 2023. If you are not on the electoral roll for your parish and would like to show your commitment to your church then please contact Chris Brett for Bozeat (01933 665831), Anne Leathers for Easton Maudit (01933 664977) or Jean Rose for Wollaston and Strixton (01933 663778). Thank you.
- The Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) is also the place where church members are nominated for the Parochial Church Council (PCC) in Bozeat and Easton Maudit, and for Wollaston and Strixton, local governance is through a District Church Council (DCC). If you would like to stand for election to your local church's governing body, please have a chat with the Vicar, Adrian, or with any of the secretaries (Kelly Joyce for Bozeat, Anne Leathers for Easton Maudit, Kerry Woodrow for Strixton and Jean Rose for Wollaston), or pick up a nomination form in church. Thank you very much.
- Deanery Synod This is the year for elections to Deanery Synod. This is a meeting that has representatives from each church and they meet at the Deanery level, about 5 times a year, to discuss local church matters and review national decisions made at the General Synod. If elected, it is a 3 year term of office. This position also entitles you to a place on the Parochial Church Council or District Church Council. If you would like to know more about this, please talk to the Vicar, Adrian or the current Deanery Synod representatives, Mark Short of Strixton and Jean Rose for Wollaston & Bozeat. Thank you, Jean Rose, Benefice Administrator
- St. Mary's, Bozeat Lent Supper, Friday 17th March 7pm, Church Hall, Soup & Desserts. Quiz, Donations to the Daylight centre. All welcome.

**Experience Easter** - In St Mary's Bozeat Church on Tuesday 28th and Thursday 30th March - an interactive way of telling the Easter Story using scenes, activities and crafts for Bozeat School and for all. If you would like to volunteer by building scenes, preparing crafts beforehand or sitting with a scene, donating or serving refreshments or helping the school children with crafts, etc for more details please contact Linda Brett 07846 217633 lindabrettles@gmail.com

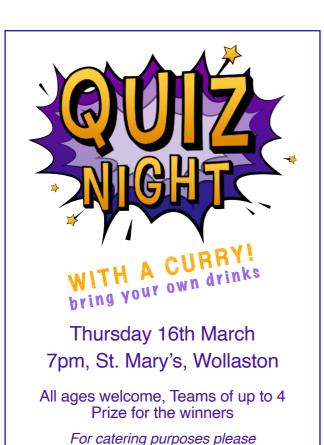


The Peterborough Diocese Children & Youth Ministry Team will be joining us for a special evening event, where we will be discussing why intergenerational ministry is more vital than ever.

There will be plenty of practical advice, resources and top tips as we learn together how to grow faith in our churches, schools and homes. This is an open event (not just for Synod members). Everyone is welcome.

Tea and cake served from 7:00pm

St.Mark's Church, Wellingborough NN8 3SD Click for directions



book in using the sheet in church





## **BISHOP'S BIBLE DAY**

A day for everyone to explore the Bible together with a focus on the Psalms.

18 March 2023

Northampton High School NN4 6UU



ALL WELCOME





Friday 24th March 2023 at 7.30pm at St Marys Church, Wollaston

Free Admission Free Refreshments
but donations greatly appreciated.

Tea, coffee and biscuits available from 7.00pm before the film.

#### Contact details

Revd Adrian Morton 01933 664256, <u>adrianmorton762@gmail.com</u> Revd Holly Horspole 07354 410513, <u>revhollyhorspole@outlook.com</u> Revd Gordon Chisnall 01933 674660, <u>gchisnall@btinternet.com</u> Chris & Linda Brett 01933 665831, <u>chris.brett53@googlemail.com</u>,

<u>lindabrettles@gmail.com</u>

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: https://stmaryswollaston.com

https://bozeatchurchstmarys.com

#### **News from the Daylight Centre (10th March)**

Numbers are still increasing as people seek help with providing food for their families. Thank you to everyone who supports the Daylight Centre Food Bank, your help is invaluable. Please buy something from the list below, it doesn't have to be expensive - a jar of jam is 39 pence and packets of biscuits are available from 39 pence. Every item you can donate really does help to feed hungry people. Your help is much appreciated. Thank you. Urgent Needs this week are Jam, Jelly, Custard, and Pot Noodles. You can bring any items to church on a Sunday or give to us at 2 Manchester Road, Wollaston.Thank you also for all the egg boxes, these are really helpful.

The Food Bank always needs: UHT Milk (whole & semi-skimmed), Toilet Rolls, Jam, Tinned Fruit, Fruit juice (not grapefruit), Custard, Tinned vegetables, Pasta Sauce and Crackers (savoury biscuits), Pasta Pots, and Pasta & Sauce, Cup-a-Soups, Sugar, Pot Noodles, Packet Noodles, Mug Shots, Crisps, Washing Powder tabs, Fruit Squash, the smaller child-sized cartons of fruit juice, Coffee (100gm jars), Biscuits, Boxes of Breakfast Cereal, Weetabix (or similar breakfast biscuit). Tinned spaghetti, Tinned Potatoes, Tinned vegetables, Tinned Tomatoes, Tinned pulses (butter beans, kidney beans etc), Packets of rice (basmati, wholegrain etc), Savoury Rice, Boil-in-the-Bag Rice, Microwaveable Rice, Pasta, Pasta Sauce, Small Tins of fish (sardines, tuna etc), Tins of meat (eg Stewing Steak, Meat Curry, Minced Beef etc) including Fray Bentos Tinned Pies, Tinned Custard, Instant Whip Desserts, Tinned Rice Pudding, Jelly (in cubes or already made up in pots), 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.

**Postcard Collection Box** - On the table with all the leaflets, you will now find a postcard collection box. Please



put in it any postcards which have pictures on them. These are sorted and then sold on and they make quite a bit of money for the charity Mission Aviation Fellowship. It doesn't matter if the cards are written on or not, or whether they have been through the postal system or not. All donations gratefully received. Thank you.