



THE WEEK AHEAD

SATURDAY 6th

09.00 Morning Prayer via Zoom
11.00 to 15.00 Summer Fair, **Woodbridge**
(in church, SMH & churchyard)

SUNDAY 7th (Trinity 6)

09.30 Parish Eucharist, **Great Bealings**
11.00 Parish Eucharist, **Woodbridge**,
including commissioning of Cilla Steed by
Archdeacon Rich, followed by coffee at
the West End
17.30 Evening Prayer, **Woodbridge**

TUESDAY 9th

10.00 – 14.30 Poppy’s Pantry, **SMH**
10.30 Morning Prayer at **Seckford Chapel**
17.00 Christian Meditation, **SMH**
17.30 Governors’ Meeting (in person), **St
Mary’s CofE Primary**
19.00 Bellringers’ practice

THURSDAY 11th

10.00 Said Eucharist, **Woodbridge**
10.30 Extended Communion at
Haughgate House
11.15 Extended Communion at
Woodbridge Lodge
14.15 Mothers' Union 'Wave of Prayer,'
SMH
18.30 Choir rehearsal, **Woodbridge**

SATURDAY 13th

09.00 Morning Prayer via Zoom

SUNDAY 14th (Trinity 7; ‘Sea Sunday’)

08.00 BCP Eucharist, **Woodbridge**
10.00 Parish Eucharist, **Woodbridge**
15.00 Choir rehearsal, **SMH**
17.30 Choral Evensong, with guest
preacher, Canon Roy Tricker (also one of
our Patrons), **Woodbridge**

TODAY’S Readings
Sunday 7th July
(Trinity 6)
2 Corinthians 12. 2-10
Mark 6. 1-13

Readings for NEXT WEEK
Sunday 14th July
(Trinity 7; ‘Sea Sunday’)
Ephesians 1. 3-14
Mark 6. 14-29

NOTICES

WE WELCOME OUR ARCHDEACON, RICH this Sunday, to preach and commission our new Elder, Cilla Steed – for whom our prayers and congratulations in the months ahead.

BLESSED ARE THE CANAPÉ MAKERS! A big thank you to all who helped with our lovely refreshments last Sunday. There are copies of last week's service still available (the Bishop's sermon is posted on our website) as well as our Appeal Leaflets, if you missed yours last week, or if you live outside the Parish! We have also created a [new page on our website](#), which will be updated regularly as the Appeal progresses.



BUILDING APPEAL LEAFLETS – Please bring a bag to take some of these to deliver to the named streets within the parish (as we used to do with 'Inside Out'). All businesses will be approached separately, so please ignore shops and companies when you go on your 'round.' Very many thanks to all our volunteers!

A NEW PCC TREASURER – is now being urgently sought for St Mary's, Woodbridge. Please have a quiet word with David Sharples or Fr Nigel if you could help our financial team. We already have a bookkeeper, the office sees to everyday payment of bills, whilst Sue kindly looks after our donations, Roger keeps track of cash takings in the Shop, and Sarah looks after our Gift Aid donations. So, we are looking for a PCC colleague who is happy with online work from home – and happy with overseeing figures and budgets!

'SEA SUNDAY' – NEXT SUNDAY 14th July at 5.30pm we are holding a Choral Evensong to celebrate 'Sea Sunday.' Guest preacher: Canon Roy Tricker. Further details from James Davy if you would like to sing with us ([see poster](#)). There will be an offertory collection for our SMH & Church Appeal.

A NEW 'GATHERING' (ASSEMBLY) BELL - has been purchased from Andy Seedhouse (possibly from a local Woodbridge ship) and installed at the west end of St Mary's, Woodbridge. When rung twice, it will mean we all stand in preparation for the opening hymn and procession. It will be blessed by Fr Nigel at the beginning of our Choral Evensong **next Sunday – Sea Sunday!**

OUR JULY SERVICES are now posted in both our Church Porches in Great Bealings and Woodbridge. We really do encourage weekly attendance wherever you choose to be and at, whichever time!

OUR ECO TABLE is coming down this week, so we would really appreciate further signatures to help with weekly bird feeding etc, as detailed on Rita's list... and again, thanks to those who have already helped with grass cuttings and tidying in our churchyard in Woodbridge.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: "It is wisely said that politicians campaign in poetry but govern in prose."

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

(please [click here](#) for the Diocesan Prayer Diary)

We pray for Archdeacon Rich leading and growing our Archdeaconry in love and faith; for the new Deacons & Priests ordained in our wider Diocese, and the Parishes they serve. In giving thanks for Cilla's new ministry as an Elder, we pray for all our Elders here who serve us both liturgically and pastorally...

For the newly elected Government and Prime Minister that they will build mutual trust and good governance in the months ahead; for all who seek change and improvement to our NHS, Education, Welfare, and Environmental concerns...

For the peace of the world...

Among the sick: Gill Notcutt

Among the departed: Marguerite Wood (Mum of Canon Martin Wood), Tom and Tomasz Ashton who died tragically in Brazil.

COLLECT (PRAYER FOR THE WEEK)

Generous God,
you give us gifts and make them
grow:
though our faith is small as
mustard seed,
make it grow to your glory
and the flourishing of your
kingdom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
AMEN

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Lord God, whose Son is the true
vine and the source of life,
ever giving himself that the world
may live:
may we so receive within ourselves
the power of his death and passion
that, in his saving cup, we may share
his glory and be made perfect in his
love;
for he is alive and reigns, now and
for ever.
AMEN

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