



**The United Benefice of Sharnbrook, Felmersham
and Knotting with Souldrop**
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Welcome

Sunday 29th October Last Sunday after Trinity

9.00am	Said Communion (BCP)	St Peter's	Revd Dr Diana
10.30am	Choral Communion	St Mary's +Zoom	Revd Nick/Revd Dr Diana
3.00pm	Evensong	St Peter's	Rosemary

Wednesday 1 st November	9.30am	Communion (CW)	St Mary's	Revd Robert
Thursday 2 nd November	9.30am	Morning Prayer (CW)	Zoom	Revd Nick
	7.00pm	Service of Thanksgiving for our departed loved ones	St Peter's	Revd Nick/Revd Paolo

Sunday 5th November All Saints' Day

9.00am	Said Communion (CW)	St Mary's	Revd Dr Raymer
10.30am	All Saints' Patronal Festival	All Saints' +Zoom	Revd Robert/Revd Paolo
10.30am	<i>No Choral Communion Service at St Peter's</i>		

Prayer and Praise

We shall be pausing this service until the New Year



Reminders:

- Barn Dance, Saturday 28th October, Sharnbrook VH.
- Don't forget to turn your clocks back an hour this weekend.

**A service of thanksgiving for our Departed Loved Ones
Thursday 2 November (All Souls' Day) St Peter's, 7.00 pm**

You are most welcome to come to this quiet service at which you will be invited to leave a prayer leaf card and light a candle in memory of loved ones. If you are not able to attend but would like someone remembered, please take a leaf card from the back of church and hand it in advance to Revd Paolo or any member of the clergy.

Coffee Morning Saturday 4th November at 10.30am.

There will be a Coffee Morning at the home of Jane Rhodes, The Spinney, Hunts Lane. Proceeds to St Mary's.
Coffee, cake and usual chatter. *Everyone welcome*

St Peter's Christmas Tree Festival weekend:
This year's Theme **PEACE ON EARTH**

Fri 1st December 3:30pm - 8:30pm Christmas Tree Festival
Sat 2nd December 11am - 3:30pm Christmas Tree Festival
4pm Christingle Service
Sun 3rd December 10.30am Choral Communion
3pm Ouse Valley Christmas Concert.

We remember in our prayers all those in our Prayer Book or on our Prayer Board, and especially the following:-

The sick and in need: Alan, Penni, Nicole, Janet T, Bernard, Margo, Hanne, Marion

The Departed: Richard Phipps, Pauline Wildman, Trissa Willmott, Geoff Hulatt

(Please let Revd. Paolo Di Leo know if you would like any names of dear ones to be added or removed)

'Zoom' Link for our Benefice Online Services

<https://zoom.us/j/763110804> Password: 079014

Choral Communion

Readers: Jane Rhodes & Sue Whitehouse
Intercessor: Liz Munday

**Advance Notice
Remembrance Sunday 12th November**

10.50am	Act of Remembrance	All Saints', Souldrop
10.40am	Act of Remembrance	St Peter's, Sharnbrook
10:50am	Act of Remembrance	St Mary's, Felmersham
11.00am	Holy Communion	All Saints'
11.00am	Choral Communion	St Peter's
11.00am	Choral Communion	St Mary's

Faith Explorers – Sunday afternoon service at 3pm

Sunday 12th November, St Mary's, Felmersham

Sunday 19th November All Saints', Souldrop

Click [here](#) for more details.

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Reference **ST MARY**

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**YOUR OFFERTORY
OPTIONS WITHIN
THE BENEFICE**

LAST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

When you have finished with this sheet please pass it on to someone unable to get to church today

COLLECT

Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: help us so to hear them, to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them that, through patience, and the comfort of your holy word, we may embrace and for ever hold fast the hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

1ST READING: Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18

¹The Lord spoke to Moses, saying:

²Speak to all the congregation of the people of Israel and say to them: You shall be holy, for I the Lord your God am holy.

¹⁵You shall not render an unjust judgement; you shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great: with justice you shall judge your neighbour. ¹⁶You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not profit by the blood of your neighbour: I am the Lord. ¹⁷You shall not hate in your heart anyone of your kin; you shall reprove your neighbour, or you will incur guilt yourself. ¹⁸You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against any of your people, but you shall love your neighbour as yourself: I am the Lord.

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

2ND READING: 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8

¹You yourselves know, brothers and sisters, that our coming to you was not in vain, ²but though we had already suffered and been shamefully maltreated at Philippi, as you know, we had courage in our God to declare to you the gospel of God in spite of great opposition. ³For our appeal does not spring from deceit or impure motives or trickery, ⁴but just as we have been approved by God to be entrusted with the message of the gospel, even so we speak, not to please mortals, but to please God who tests our hearts. ⁵As you know and as God is our witness, we never came with words of flattery or with a pretext for greed; ⁶nor did we seek praise from mortals, whether from you or from others,

⁷though we might have made demands as apostles of Christ. But we were gentle among you, like a nurse tenderly caring for her own children. ⁸So deeply do we care for you that we are determined to share with you not only the gospel of God but also our own selves, because you have become very dear to us.

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL: Matthew 22:34-end

³⁴When the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, ³⁵and one of them, a lawyer, asked him a question to test him. ³⁶'Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?' ³⁷He said to him, ' "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind." ³⁸This is the greatest and first commandment. ³⁹And a second is like it: "You shall love your neighbour as yourself." ⁴⁰On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you O Christ

POST COMMUNION

God of all grace, your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry with the bread of his life and the word of his kingdom: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your true and living bread; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Amen

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