

Vicar The Reverend Alan Partridge

The Vicarage, Church Lane, Sawston Telephone 832248
Alan hopes to have FRIDAY as his rest day and asks that we respect this and only disturb him in an emergency.

CHURCH OFFICE

Telephone **837298**

The Church Office in the Community Hall is open Tuesday and Thursday 9.30-11.30am, or email stmaryssawston@btinternet.com
Our Web Site is www.stmaryssawston.org.uk, please look at it; if you would like to add to it contact the Church Office
St Mary's and St Peter's now have Facebook pages – "like" at www.facebook.com/stmaryssawston and www.facebook.com/stpetersbabraham and invite your friends to like us too!

Please send any material for inclusion in next Sunday's notices to the Church Office on stmaryssawston@btinternet.com and to marianwatson55@gmail.com by Tuesday evening.

St. Mary's sound system includes a loop allowing people with hearing aids to switch to 'T' and benefit from the boost this gives the sound.

This week please pray for:

- Bishop Stephen and Bishop Dagmar
- For Alan and his family
- For the residents of Chestnut Close, Mill Lane and Milner Close
- Peace in God's world; all places affected by conflict, famine and war
- For our armed forces, overseas and in this country
- The parishes of Sawston and Babraham; our Churchwardens, Andy, Marian, Mary and Sheena; our readers José and Sara and our PCCs
- Sawston Youth Group
- Those who are ill, Isobel Darling, Angela Harradine, Clare Kemp, Anthea Pritchard, Tom Stamper their families and all others who are ill.
- All who are affected by the loss of a loved one

'We look forward to seeing you at church again'



St. Mary's Church
SAWSTON



St Peter's Church
Babraham

Patronal Festival
8 September 2019
Welcome to St Mary's Sawston

Services today at St. Mary's

- 10.30 am Patronal Festival – All together Service with Holy Communion. With a dedication/thanksgiving service of Ikechukwu Emmanuel Osuji
- 6.00 pm Evening Prayer at Orchard House

St. Peter's No Service

Services at St. Mary's this Week

- 8.00 am Morning Prayer Monday to Wednesday and Saturday
- 9.30 am Holy Communion Thursday
- 5.00 pm Evening Prayer Monday to Thursday and Saturday

Services on Sunday 15th September – Holy Cross Day

- 9.15 am Holy Communion – Service of Healing
- 10.45 am Open Door – Colossians Autumn series begins: Alive in Christ the hope of glory
- 6.00 pm Evening Prayer at Orchard House

St. Peter's

- 11.00 am Holy Communion

MISSION PLATE COLLECTIONS for July, August and September are for Mission to Seafarers



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ST MARY'S OFFERINGS RECEIVED WITH THANKS

Collections for Sunday 25 August and 1 September

Envelopes	£220.60
Open Plate	£155.00
Standing Orders	£353.50
Total	£729.10

NB Cheques should be made payable to 'SAWSTON PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL' thank you

Monday House Group 7.30pm meet at 15 Huddleston Way
Re starts on the 9th September.
For more information please phone Sally 01223 501165 or 07753 261322

Tuesday House Group has been suspended for the time being.

Wednesday Bible Study 8.00pm at Chalk Farmhouse. For more information please contact Alan 01223 832248 or email a.partridge7@gmail.com

NEWS FROM THE BELL RINGERS

Regular monthly practices take place at St Mary's on the first and third Friday of each month 7.30 – 9 pm.

We would like to be able to communicate with more church members by email, in accordance with UK law under data protection. If you have not already done so, please complete the form on the table by the door.

Thank you, Margaret

Our Safeguarding Officer is Margaret Davis – email normard@vismail.co.uk or telephone 07966 215285 please contact her in the first instance.

SAFEGUARDING in the church is not concerned with the bricks and mortar but the true 'Fabric' which is the hearts and minds of the people and their actions to each other. It is the responsibility of all of us to be aware of any problems and take them to the officer

Mission to Seafarers: 1st July – 30th September 2019

The Mission Committee will be supporting Mission to Seafarers (overseas charity) for the next quarter. Mission to Seafarers is there to support seafarers when they need them most. Men and women who work at sea may be affected by any number of problems: money worries, mental health issues and loneliness, as well as piracy, shipwreck and abandonment. These issues can be made worse by a lack of facilities, with email only available to less than 25% of seafarers on board ships. As well as practical support they know that seafarers need emotional and sometimes spiritual support too, and Mission to Seafarers have a large network of chaplains who come on board ships, giving seafarers a listening ear and prayer, if needed. They can also connect seafarers to other organisations or speak to them on their behalf. Their mission is to care for the shipping industry's most important asset: its people.

"Communicate" - Erratum

On page 18 of the September - November edition of "Communicate" it is stated that the Summer Fete raised £20,049.17. Unfortunately, this is a misprint. The actual total was **£2,049.17**.

Please recycle me after reading

Dates for your Diaries

- Monday 9 Sept Refresh 2 – 4pm in church
- Tuesday 10 Sept Baptism follow up 7.30pm in church
- Thursday 12 Sept Soup and Sandwiches 12.30pm in the Community Hall
- Saturday 14 Sept the CHCT Ride and Stride
PCC/PMC Away Day
Jumble Sale 2 pm at the Community Hall
- Monday 16 Sept Refresh 2 – 4pm in church
- Thursday 19 Sept PCC meeting in church 7.30 pm
- Thursday 26 Sept Soup and Sandwiches 12.30pm in the Community Hall
St Mary's Craft Group 2-4pm in the Community Hall
Mission Committee meeting 7.30pm
- Monday 30 Sept SYG enrolment service in church from 7 – 8 pm
- Thursday 3 October Mothers' Union speaker Nick Burr from Camsight 7.30pm in church
- Sunday 6 October St Peters Harvest Festival with Holy Communion 11.00am, followed by a Bring and Share Lunch
- Thursday 10 October Soup and Sandwiches 12.30pm in the Community Hall
Fabric Committee meeting 7.30pm in church
- Friday 11 October Film night at 7.30 pm Chalk Farmhouse
- Saturday 12 October St Mary's Quiz 7pm in the Community Hall, tickets available from 1st September
- Sunday 13 October St Mary's Harvest service at 10.30am followed by a bring and share lunch at 12.30pm at the hall
- Thursday 17 October Prayer Evening 7.30pm in church, thinking things over with God.