

The Grapevine

COVERING THE CHURCHES OF
GREAT & LITTLE CHESTERFORD, LITTLEBURY WITH
LITTLEBURY GREEN, & WENDENS AMBO

Welcome to our services today Remembrance Sunday

Collect

Almighty and eternal God, from whose love in Christ we cannot be parted, either by death or life: Hear our prayers and thanksgivings for all we remember this day; Fulfil in them the purpose of your love; And bring us all, with them to eternal joy; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Words of Scripture from the Old Testament

Lamentations 3.21-23

This I call to mind, and therefore I have hope: the steadfast love of the Lord never ceases, his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning.

Micah 6.8

What does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

Isaiah 40.31

Those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary they shall walk and not faint.

Gospel Reading

John 15:9-17

"As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Now remain in my love. If you keep my commands, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commands and remain in his love. I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete. My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you. Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command. I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you. You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you so that you might go and bear fruit—fruit that will last—and so that whatever you ask in my name the Father will give you. This is my command: Love each other.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Those who are unwell:

Ken Harvey (Wendens Ambo)
Shirley Green (Littlebury)
Michelle Thomson (Littlebury Green)
Margaret Reed, Valerie Cliff and David Lilley
(Great Chesterford)

Those who need our support:

Betty Dowsett (Littlebury Green)
Lucy Maskell (Great Chesterford)
Kylie Moore-Gilbert (in prison in Iran)

Friends and families of those who have died:

Those whose anniversaries are this week

Other topics for your prayers

- For all who have given their lives for their country in its pursuit of justice and peace
- For young people isolating in their universities and colleges
- For ongoing efforts to contain Covid-19 and for the success of the current lockdown
- For those whose businesses will be in jeopardy due to the lockdown
- For countries without adequate means to manage the coronavirus, and where so many living in camps are facing the coming winter as well as Covid-19, among them Yemen, Sudan, Syria and Turkey
- For the USA and the speedy and peaceful resolution of the presidential election.
- Our churches as we go back to an absence of acts of worship in church
- Those missing loved ones who have died

OUR CHURCHES

Giving to our churches

If you wish to make a donation to our churches we are now able to do offer online giving. Just visit the 'Giving' section of our website (www.camvillages.org.uk) and follow the instructions. Thanks, too, to those who have chosen to commit to regular planned giving.

Getting back to our services in church

We are now holding services in our churches, where possible, in our usual pattern of worship. When coming to church please note the instructions for sanitising and distancing etc. Some services will be live streamed, some still on Zoom and some using both.

Website

Keep up to date with all that's going on by visiting our website <https://camvillages.org.uk>

Children's Work

There are activities for young people of all ages on the website prepared by our children's ministry team.

Access

On page 4 you will find details of how to access the services that are going to be live streamed and those on Zoom.

PRAYER FOR THIS WEEK

Father of all mercies and God of all comfort, whose Son ministered to those in need; remember for good all who suffer through war, by loss of home or faculties, by loss of friends or loved ones, by loss of security or freedom. Look upon our world, still torn apart by violence and fighting and grant success to those who work for peace; through him who reconciled us with God, the Lord Jesus Christ. *Christopher Idle*

CORONAVIRUS UPDATE

WORSHIP IN CHURCHES

Sadly with the new lockdown there will be no services in church this month. We are back to Zoom services with live streaming where possible

MASKS IN CHURCH

Please note it is now compulsory - government and Church of England instructions - to wear a mask for services in church unless you have an exemption.

THANK YOU . . . to those of you who have responded to Alex's reminder not to forget your church in this time of lockdown. You can now give online too.

OPEN CHURCHES . . .

Our churches are open for private prayer as follows:
All Saints, Great Chesterford, is open on Wednesday and Sunday 10 am - 3 pm;
Holy Trinity, Littlebury is open on Wednesdays and Sundays 10 am - 4 pm; St Mary, Wendens Ambo is open between 10 am and 4 pm on Wednesdays.
St Peter's, Littlebury Green will be open on Wednesdays and Sundays

WEDNESDAY 9.30 am ZOOM HOLY COMMUNION

with members of the Team clergy
For an invitation to Zoom services please contact Alex or Gillian (website.camvillages@gmail.com)

SUPPORTING EACH OTHER

There is support available in all our 5 communities during the lockdown. Contact details have been circulated. Don't hesitate to get in touch with them or to encourage your neighbours to - whatever the need.

KEEP IN TOUCH

With all that's going on via our churches' website
www.camvillages.org.uk
especially the variety of services available for us on Sundays

NEWS

PARISH OFFICE The Parish Office is still closed but is contactable by telephone and email as usual.

GREAT CHESTERFORD is planning a
Virtual Christmas Fair
Watch this space!

OUR CHURCHES' DIARY

TODAY REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY 8th Nov

10.50 am **Remembrance Service**
Alex Jeewan (Zoom)

Please email Website.Camvillages@gmail.com for link

10.45 am **Remembrance Service**
Chris Bishop (Zoom)

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THIS WEEK

Tuesday 10th November
1.00 pm Interment of Ashes Littlebury
5.00 pm Evening Prayer Zoom
Wednesday 11th November
9.30 am Holy Communion Zoom
5.00 pm Evening Prayer Zoom
Thursday 12th November
5.00 pm Evening Prayer Zoom
Friday 13th November
9.30 am Set Up Littlebury

NEXT WEEK 15th November SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT

10 am Cam Villages Zoom Service
Please email Website.Camvillages@gmail.com for link

Holy Communion readings for next Sunday:
1 Thessalonians 5:1-11 Matthew 25:14-30

ACCESS

Live streamed services from Great Chesterford
These will continue when we are allowed back into the church building. For now please join us on Zoom for Cam Villages Zoom service. Contact us if you need help.

Services on Zoom

Email Alex at vicar.camvillages@gmail.com or Gillian Hopton at website.camvillages@gmail.com for an invitation with the access codes.

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