

## Notices

**Personal Prayer Ministry** is available after the 10am service on the following dates: 9<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> February.

**Confirmation** We will be having a confirmation service later this year with a course to help people explore their faith in a deeper way beforehand. If you would like to commit to the life of St Mary's in full and to learn more about the joys and beauties of the faith we proclaim, please email the Vicar.

If you would like to make a donation to St Mary's, please use this QR code:



- open your phone's camera
- point the camera at the QR code
- centre the phone's screen on the QR code until it is enclosed within a scanning box
- press the yellow bar that will appear under the box "parishgiving.org.uk"
- this will take you to the Parish Giving website where you can make a donation.
- thank you.

St Mary's Church, Charlbury with  
All Saints Church, Shorthampton

## *The Messenger*

*2<sup>nd</sup> February 2025*

*Welcome*

*Candlemas*

Lord Jesus Christ, light of the nations and glory of Israel: make your home among us, and present us pure and holy to your heavenly Father, your God, and our God. **Amen.**

If you are new to our church, please take a welcome leaflet which you will find by the door.

Please stay for refreshments after the service.

**Large print service books and sheets available.**

There is a loop system in our church – most effective in the north or south aisle away from the pillars.

*Please ask before the service if you need a gluten free communion wafer.*

## Services

### Services today

8am Holy Communion  
10.30am Candlemas Service followed by community lunch  
6pm Choral Evensong

### Services Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> February

8am Holy Communion  
10am Parish Communion  
11am Morning Prayer Shorthampton  
6pm Ignite

### Weekday services: See porch notice for changes

Morning Prayer 9am weekdays  
Evening Prayer 5pm weekdays  
Wednesday 9.30am Holy Communion at St Mary's

## Diary

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> February

2pm Memory Café at the Bowls Club

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> February

7.45pm Bell ringing

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> February

10am Font Café

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February

9.30am Stay and Play at the Bowls Club

7pm Choir rehearsal

## Prayer for the Week

### Prayers for the parish

Playgroups, Nurseries and Childminders

### Praying for the deanery

St Mary's, Swerford. Please pray for Janet Faull, Janet Collins & Keith Disney. And the Churchwardens Jennifer Tustian & Charles Campion.

**Prayers for the Day** <https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/join-us-service-daily-prayer>

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