



# Welcome to the Lordsbridge Team Monthly Newsletter April 2025

'Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer.'  
Romans 12:12 (NIV)



## Worship with us across the Team

Details of services across the team, as well as our worship at home resources, are available each week on our website.

Our Sunday Zoom Church meets every week at 11.00am at the following link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82311473640>. The service sheet is available on the website. Everyone is welcome.

## Events

**Haslingfield Choir and Orchestra**  
Paul Jackson *conductor*

Mascagni *Intermezzo*  
Puccini *Crisantemi*  
Puccini *Requiem*  
Ravel *L'Aurore*  
Puccini *Minuet*

**Mascagni**  
*Messa di Gloria*

Dominic Wallis *tenor*  
Oscar Simms *bass*

**Saturday 5 April 2025, 7.30pm**  
All Saints' Church, Haslingfield, CB23 1JF

Tickets (£12-£8) available from Haslingfield Village Shop, via [www.ticketsource.co.uk/haslingfield-choir](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/haslingfield-choir), and on the door

**Cheese & Wine Evening**  
with an illustrated talk

In aid of St Mary's Church Hardwick

## Becoming Human

How the brain develops before we are born

Topun Austin  
Neonatal Doctor

Where: The Cabin at St Mary's  
When: Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April 19.30 – 22.00  
Price: £15 per person

Tickets from  
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## Music for a Spring Evening

Haydn: *Little Organ Mass*  
Rachmaninoff: *Ave Maria*  
Howard Goodall: *The Lord is my Shepherd*  
Eric Whitacre: *The Seal Lullaby*  
and more

The Orsino Singers  
Director: James Dougal  
Organist: Paul Herring

Saturday 12 April, 6 - 7:30 pm  
St Peter & St Paul's Church, Dry Drayton

Tickets  
£10 Adults  
£5 Students & under-18s

Book on  
TicketSource





## COME and SING

Vivaldi: Gloria  
at Dry Drayton Parish Church

led by  
Edward Wickham

St Catharine's  
College, Cambridge



Ticket reservations at  
[come-and-sing-vivaldi.eventbrite.co.uk](https://come-and-sing-vivaldi.eventbrite.co.uk)  
or on the door:  
Suggested donation £10  
to include tea

*Bring a copy (Novello edition) if you have one.*

Saturday 3 May 4 pm  
final 'performance' at 6 pm

## Mothering Sunday



A reminder that each parish is  
holding it's own service on  
Mothering Sunday, 30th March,  
which is a fifth Sunday.

## Lent

Each week during Lent there will be a reflection available  
on the website. Also instead of a quiet morning this year,  
why not try our pilgrimage at home? This is available on  
our website on our Prayer and Spirituality page.

## Lordsbridge Team Pilgrimage - Save the Date!



The Lordsbridge Team Pilgrimage will  
be taking place on Friday 13th June.  
Do put this in your diaries, and plan  
to join us if you can, even if it is just  
for part of the journey. Everyone is  
welcome! More details to follow.



# Holy Week across the Lordsbridge Team

*Services across the Team for Holy Week*

*All take place in the parish church unless otherwise stated*



## Palm Sunday

**Barton** - 9.30am, Morning Worship

**Caldecote** - 11.00am Morning Worship

**Comberton** - 9.30am, Holy Communion

**Coton** - 11.00am, Morning Prayer

**Dry Drayton** - 9.30am, Holy Communion

**Hardwick** - 9.30am, Holy Communion;  
3.00pm, Wild Church

**Harlton** - 11.00am, Holy Communion

**Haslingfield** - 9.30am, Holy Communion

**Little Eversden** - 11.00am, Holy Communion

**Toft (St Andrew's)** - 11.00am, Holy Communion



## MAUNDY THURSDAY

Holy Communion

6.00pm St Mary's Hardwick

7.30pm St Peter's Barton

7.30pm St Mary's Comberton

## Good Friday

**Barton** - 11.00am, Reflections at the Cross

**Caldecote (Childerley Chapel)** - 3.00pm, An Hour at the Cross

**Comberton** - 9.30am, Reflections

**Coton (Village Hall)** - 10.30am - 12 noon, Easter Activities

**Coton** - 1.00pm, Stations of the Cross

**Dry Drayton** - 12noon, An hour at the Cross

**Harlton** - 3.00pm, Reflections at the Cross

**Haslingfield** - 2.00pm, Walk

**Toft (Methodist Church)** - 2.00pm, Meditations



## Easter Sunday

**Barton** - 9.30am, Holy Communion

**Caldecote** - 11.00am, Holy Communion

**Comberton** - 9.30am, Holy Communion

**Coton** - 11.00am, Holy Communion

**Dry Drayton** - 11.00am, Holy Communion

**Great Eversden** - 11.00am, Holy Communion

**Hardwick** - 9.30am, Holy Communion

**Harlton** - 11.00am, Holy Communion

**Haslingfield** - 9.30am, Holy Communion

**Toft** - 5.30am Dawn Service (on the hill);  
8.30am, Holy Communion BCP (St Andrew's);  
11.00am, Holy Communion (Methodist Church)



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## News

### **Praying for Growth**

Some of our Team attended the recent 'Leading your Church into Growth' conference led by the Diocese. One of the first things that the conference encouraged is for us to be praying for growth - in numbers, discipleship and service - in our churches. As such, we would love you to join with us in regularly praying the prayer below for your parish, as we trust in God to grow our church communities.

### **God of Mission**

**Who alone brings growth to your Church**

**Send your Holy Spirit to give**

**Vision to our planning,**

**Wisdom to our actions,**

**Joy to our worship,**

**And power to our witness**

**Help our church to grow in numbers,**

**In spiritual commitment to you,**

**And service to our local community**

**Through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

**Amen**

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### **Team Rector Recruitment**



Unfortunately we were unable to make an appointment at the recent interview discernment day. The recruitment process is therefore ongoing. Please continue to pray for this process, the Team and the vacant parishes.

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