



Welcome to the Lordsbridge Team Monthly Newsletter July and August 2025

"Those of steadfast mind you keep in peace —
in peace because they trust in you.

Trust in the Lord for ever,
for in the Lord God
you have an everlasting rock."

Isaiah 26: 3-4 (NRSV)

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

Fifth Sunday Team Services Sunday 29th June

8.30am Holy Communion (BCP)
St Andrew's Toft

10.30am Team Service
Sung Holy Communion
Dry Drayton Church

11.00am Lordsbridge Online
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82311473640>

Chamber Music Concerts
Dry Drayton Parish Church

Deo gracias Anglia!
Music from the age of Agincourt

The Clerks



Tickets: £15 and £5 (students & under 18s)
to include wine/juice afterward

Ticket reservations: theclerks.eventbrite.co.uk
Payment on the door

Saturday 28 June; 6.00 pm
lasting one hour



St Peter's Church Fete



in St Peter's Church, the Village Hall and
School playground (School Lane)
ADMISSION FREE

You are invited to
Youthscape Essentials,
all round training for every
volunteer youth leader.

Session 10: Tuesday 1st July, 7.30–9.30pm
at Cambourne Church Annexe

- **Insight:** Mission and exploring faith
- **Practical Skill:** Knowing you're making a difference
- **Developing Character:** Courageous



HASLINGFIELD CHOIR

Paul Jackson conductor



THE TRIUMPH OF TIME
Handel AND TRUTH
(abridged)

Saturday 5 July 2025, 6.00pm
All Saints' Church, Haslingfield, CB23 1JF

Tickets (£10–£5) available from Haslingfield Village Shop,
via www.ticketsource.co.uk/haslingfield-choir, and on the door


Cotton Praise
 Breakfast Craft Prayer
 1st Sundays of the Month
 6th July and 3rd August
 All Age Service
 in Coton Primary School



Come and join us for a relaxed and intergenerational gathering with music, craft, reflection and prayer.

Breakfast snacks and drinks are available beforehand and throughout the event.



Cambourne Community Gospel Choir
 Wednesday 16th July | 7.30pm | Cambourne Church
 Fundraising for WCCYM | Suggested donation of £5+ each on entrance

 Igniting community spirit through music that celebrates God's love for everyone 

Join us at the
 Hardwick Safari Supper
 on
 Saturday 12th July 2025



To enjoy a 4-course meal including drinks for £30
 Starting at the Cabin at 7pm
 More details and book your meal, contact:
 Anne Jones
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 By
 Wednesday, June 18th

Proceeds in aid of St Mary's Fabric Fund

A Spell of Rest
 a summer evening music series
 ALL SAINTS' HASLINGFIELD, CB23 1JF

Summer breeze
 woodwinds and voices

A moment to gather your thoughts and round off a summer day
 Tickets available from 1 July from the Village Shop and TicketSource

DOORS OPEN 5:30PM
 CONCERT 6:00PM
 ADMISSION £10
 CHILDREN £5
 UNDER FIVES FREE

Sunday 3 August
 The Summer Breeze Ensemble of woodwinds and voices share favourite duos, trios and quartets from Vivaldi, Röntgen, Bocca and Elgar to Ross Edwards, with a selection from 10 Blake Songs by Vaughan Williams for woodwind and solo voice

Join us in the church the day before...
Saturday 2 August
 for cake, conversation, and perhaps a Tree Trail stroll
 10 AM - MIDDAY



Fifth Sunday Team Services
Sunday 31st August
8.30am Holy Communion (BCP)
St Andrew's Toft
10.30am Team Service
Holy Communion and Ecumenical Welcome
St Andrew's Toft
11.00am Lordsbridge Online
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82311473640>



CLAIRE AND ANTOINETTE CANN



All Saints' Church
Haslingfield CB23 1JF
Sat. 6th Sept., 3pm

A dazzling programme on two pianos to include music from:

Ravel	- Introduction & Allegro
Liszt	- Hungarian Rhapsody No.2
Strauss	- Blue Danube Waltzes
Shostakovich	- Concertino Op.94
Gershwin	- Rhapsody in Blue
Tchaikovsky	- Nutcracker Suite

Tickets £ 15, £ 5 (under 17's)

Available from: www.canntwins.com - 'performance tab' or
www.tickettailor.com/events/thecanntwins/1691639

A concert in aid of church funds



Hardwick Climate Action Group, Hardwick Evangelical Church, Dry Drayton Church & Hardwick St. Mary's Church invite you to



HARDWICK & DRY DRAYTON ECO EVENT 2025
27TH SEPTEMBER

Saturday, 10.30am – 4.00pm
 The Cabin, St. Mary's Church, Hardwick, CB23 7QS

Come to hear & discuss ways you can help to tackle the climate emergency!

- Exhibitions & stalls open all day
- Fun activities for all the family
- Expert speakers (morning only)
- Everyone welcome!

Free: Donations towards the cost of the event welcome.
Refreshments available to buy throughout the day

Scan the QR code or visit: stmaryshardwick.org.uk/eco/ for more details




RIDE + STRIDES for Churches

SATURDAY 13TH SEPT 2025

Discover and support Cambridgeshire's historic churches.



Join us and get sponsored to visit beautiful churches and chapels by bike, foot, horse or whatever way takes your fancy. All money raised will be shared between the Cambridgeshire Historic Churches Trust and your chosen church or chapel of any denomination and will help to repair and maintain these amazing buildings.

join us

WCCYM Summer Party

This year, the WCCYM Summer Party will be on Friday 4th July and is for anyone in years 6 to 13. Join us at 6pm until 9pm at Mill Farm, Gamlingay, for a great evening.

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Harlton Church's 650th Anniversary!

In July Harlton Church will be celebrating it's 650th anniversary with two very special events, to which everyone is welcome:

Talk on the History of the Church in Harlton: Wednesday, 2 July at 7pm, Village Hall

As part of this jubilee, Dr Nicholas Branson will give a talk on the history of Harlton Church – the oldest building in the Village. The talk will cover the impact of national events on the life of the church, and it will refer to special features of the building and some of the people associated with the church over the centuries. Some of the church's archives and registers dating back to the beginning of the 19th century will be on display. Light refreshments will follow.

Organ Scholars & Friends' Concert - a feast of music on organ, piano, violin, trombone and voice: Sunday, 6 July at 6pm – 7pm, Harlton Church

Please come to celebrate 650 years of our beautiful village church and to support these brilliant musicians. Refreshments will follow.

At the start of the concert, there will be the unveiling of a special commemorative banner created by members of the village to recognise this special anniversary. The Archdeacon of Cambridge, The Ven Alex Hughes, will be joining us to bless the banner.

There is no charge for either event but we would welcome voluntary contributions to support the funding of the Organ Scholarship.

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Toft Methodist Chapel



We are sad to announce that Toft Methodist Chapel will be closing at the end of August 2025. Toft Methodist

Chapel has been a part of the Lordsbridge Team for many years and this will mark the end of an era for the

Church in Toft. The last service of worship in the church will be taking place on **Sunday 27th July at 3.00pm.**

Everyone is welcome to attend.

Services will continue at St Andrew's Toft, with a special Ecumenical Welcome being extended to our Methodist friends at the **Team Service at the end of August.**

VE Day Celebrations in Bartonl

Some pictures from Barton's VE Day Celebrations early in June.
It was a wonderful day!



Team Rector Recruitment

Unfortunately the latest round of advertising for the Team Rector post was unsuccessful. We will be readvertising for the post in September, with a view to interviewing in October. Please do keep the vacant parishes - Comberton and Toft - in your prayers.

Team Administrator Recruitment

We will be interviewing for the Team Administrator role at the beginning of July and hope to have someone begin in the post as soon as possible. Please do pray that we are able to appoint the right person to this vacancy.

Goodbye from Becca

This is the last newsletter I will be sending in my role as Team Administrator for the Lordsbridge Team of Churches. It has been a delight and a privilege to work for the Team for the last four years and to meet some of you - in person and via email. Thank you very much for all your support and help over the years.

I would be grateful for your ongoing prayers, as I enter the last year of my ordination training, which I've been doing part-time for the last two years alongside my work. My last day with the Team will be **Tuesday 15th July**, and I hope to have the opportunity to say goodbye in person to some of you at the **Team Service on Sunday 29th June**.
Wishing you all every blessing for the future!

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