

# ST MARY'S GAMLINGAY, HATLEY ST GEORGE & ST MARY'S EVERTON



## Weekly newsletter 16 June 2023



### ***From the Editor!***

As explained last week, Hilary is currently on holiday, but the newsletter continues to be produced and circulated in her absence.

Last Sunday we much appreciated the services led by Revd. Lucy McKeown at Gamlingay and Everton. This coming Sunday we look forward to welcoming Revd. Roger Henthorne who has often helped us out in the past and is well known to many in our congregation.

Summer certainly arrived with a bang last weekend! Fingers crossed it won't desert us for the .....

## Flower Festivals and Fete – 24<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup> June



### **GAMLINGAY - PLEASE CAN YOU HELP?**

There really are things that everyone can do:

On a hot, summer afternoon what could be more pleasant than sitting peacefully in a cool church for an hour, surrounded by the most beautiful flower arrangements and enjoying a chat with any visitors who may pop in?

**Stewards** are needed in church to welcome folk and generally keep an eye on things on both the Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

We need to produce a rota so that both afternoons are adequately covered. Please let Jane know if you feel this is something you could do. [janeorch@hotmail.com](mailto:janeorch@hotmail.com)

**For the younger, fitter and more able-bodied.....**

If that description applies to you, **PLEASE** consider whether you might be able to help on the Friday, and possibly even the Thursday, with getting out and setting up the trestles in church for the flower displays and erecting marquees and tables in readiness for the Fete.

If the above description does not apply to you, do you perhaps know of someone else who might be persuaded to come and lend some desperately needed muscle? Again, please contact Jane (as above) if you can help.

**And, of course, we still need filled jars for the Tombola, prizes for the Raffle and cakes for the Teas.**

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## Service information and dates for June

### Sunday 18th June - Trinity 2 (Revd Roger Henthorne)

9.30am Eucharist at Gamlingay  
11.15am Eucharist at Everton

### Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June

9.30am Midweek Eucharist at Gamlingay

### Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June

1.00pm Funeral of Margaret Furniss at Gamlingay

### Saturday/Sunday 24<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup> June - Benefice Flower Festival Weekend

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June** - Gamlingay Summer Fete - Church and Church Hall

### Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> June - Trinity 3, Flower Festival Services - Story-Telling

9.30am Eucharist at Gamlingay  
11.15am Eucharist at Everton

### Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June

10.30am Funeral of Terry Read at Gamlingay

### Wednesday 28th June

9.30am Midweek Eucharist at Gamlingay

## Service information and dates for the rest of the Summer

### Sunday 2nd July - Trinity 4

8am Service at Hatley St George - personnel permitting.  
9.30am Parish Eucharist at Gamlingay  
11.15am Parish Eucharist at Everton  
2.30pm Baptism at Gamlingay

### Sunday 9th July - Trinity 5

9.30am Parish Eucharist at Gamlingay  
11.15am Parish Eucharist and Baptism at Everton

### Sunday 16th July - Trinity 6

10.30am **Benefice Service** at Gamlingay celebrating Family and Marriage  
12.00noon - 2pm Buffet Lunch at the Church Hall

### Sunday 23rd July - Trinity 7

9.30am Parish Eucharist at Gamlingay, Cream Teas in the afternoon  
11.15am Parish Eucharist at Everton

### Sunday 30th July - Trinity 8 (Benefice Service swapped to July 16th)

9.30am Parish Eucharist at Gamlingay  
11.15am Parish Eucharist at Everton

### Sundays 6<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> August

9.30am Parish Eucharist at Gamlingay  
11.15am Parish Eucharist at Everton

**NB:** Wednesday 9.30am, Midweek Eucharist will continue at Gamlingay throughout the summer months.

# NEWS FROM EVERTON

We have not received any news from Everton this week, but their **Flower Festival** arrangements are all in hand as per the poster below and donations of prizes for the raffle will, no doubt, still be welcomed - as requested last week.



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