

BENEFICE BULLETIN

Sunday 27th September

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Weekly Diary

Sunday 27

9.00am	St Peter's	Holy Communion
10.30am	St Mary's	Holy Communion

Tuesday 29

10.00am	St Mary's	Little Lambs
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Wednesday 30

10.00am	St Mary's	Holy Communion
3.30pm	St Mary's	Messy Church
7.00pm	Fernhurst	'Start' Course



Harvest Festival 2026

Please join us for our Harvest Festival celebrations across the Benefice at the morning communion services over the next two weeks.

Sunday 4th October

8.30am	St James' Church, Selham
10.30am	St Mary's Church, Easebourne

Sunday 11th October

9.00am	St Peter's Church, Lodsworth
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Your harvest gifts (preferably non-perishables, in tins and packets) will be gratefully received at these services and will be taken to the Stone Pillow hostel at Hunston near Chichester. Many thanks.

Fair Trade @ St Mary's Church

Please support the fairtrade stall at St Mary's Church after the service this Sunday. We're in the middle of this year's Fairtrade Fortnight so we should have a bumper stall - come and see!



ECO TIPS: Season of Creation

At this time of year many churches celebrate Harvest, thanking God for His provision through the land and food that is grown. It's a time when congregations are called to pay special attention to the responsibility of humanity for the Earth and for all that lives upon it, and to pray for our world. Explore more Season of Creation resources at: www.arocha.org.uk/what-we-do/season-of-creation

Messy Church

This coming Wednesday, 30th September, from 3.30pm to 5.30pm at St Mary's Church, join us for **Messy Harvest** with a warm welcome for the whole family! Please speak to Alison Davis for more details or contact her on 01730 816642.



Safeguarding Training Day

This is an advance notice of the Midhurst Deanery Safeguarding Training Day which will take place on Friday 30th October at St Mary's Church, Easebourne. Whether you need safeguarding training for your church role, would like to refresh your knowledge, or are simply interested in learning more, you are very welcome to join us. Please speak to Emma Glue our Benefice Safeguarding Officer if you would like to book onto one of the training sessions - further details soon.

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 + in **LOVE** we **SERVE**'

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