



EVERY PERSON,
EVERY PLACE,
SATURATED
WITH **GOD**



ST MARY'S
LOUGHTON
NOTHING
IS
IMPOSSIBLE
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WELCOME

As we come together today our prayer is that you will encounter God's presence and love. If you are new, please introduce yourself to us. You are so welcome here.

15 June 2025

If you would like to pray with someone, or have a practical need during this time, please call one of the clergy. Our numbers are on the back page.

Dear St Mary's family

Last Sunday, we had a special time together celebrating Pentecost as we ate breakfast together and worshipped together. We also reflected on being a healthy church and the importance of growing in fellowship and friendship. This is so important. Let me encourage us to grow in friendship together. Let's hang out more in Life Groups and in every way we can. Let's offer hospitality to one another in our homes. Let's commit to meeting together regularly. It makes such a difference when we make time for one another.

We encourage everyone in St Mary's to worship, serve and give regularly. We have many opportunities for getting involved on Sundays and through the week too. Part of being a healthy church is everyone getting involved and making a difference by using your gifts and serving the Lord in our community. The church is the people of God. It makes all the difference when we all play our part in investing in our church family.

Don't forget to book for the summer conference on 9 July with Pete Hughes as our guest speaker. Do have a look in the news sheet below as there are important dates for newcomers to St Mary's, our church picnic in July, youth leaders needed and service consultations starting this Sunday. Also, if you have not yet been baptised and Jesus is your Lord and Saviour, why not get baptised on 13 July. Just chat to myself or Ruth How this Sunday. Being baptised is part of following Jesus.

Yours with very much love and thanks,

Malcolm

SUNDAY SERVICES

Holy Communion 8.45am

Service Leader:

Ruth How

Preacher:

Malcolm Macdonald

Theme:

Being an apostolic church

Readings:

Acts 19:1-12

John 16:12-15

Hymns: 33, 207, 251

Morning Celebration 10.30am

Service Leader:

Ruth How

Preacher:

Malcolm Macdonald

Theme:

Being an apostolic church

Reading:

Acts 19:1-12

*Prayer time prior to the service
at 10:15am in the Prayer Room*

@5pm

Service Leader:

Caroline Macdonald

Preacher:

Malcolm Macdonald

Theme:

Being an apostolic church

Reading:

Acts 19:1-12

*Prayer time prior to the service
at 4:45pm in the Prayer Room*



Children and youth are very welcome here at St Mary's and may join in with our Ignite groups as follows:

- **Kindling** (0-4 years)
- **Blaze** (Y3 - Y6)

Sparklers (Reception-School year 2)
Ignite Youth (Y7 - Y13)

THE WEEK AHEAD

WEDNESDAY REFRESH SERVICE 12 NOON - Ruth How leading.

WEDNESDAY 7:30PM - HOPE CENTRAL - a community for the 18-30's.

KINGDOM COME - PRAYER MEETINGS

1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 8-9pm in Hope Hall

2nd & 4th Mondays, 1-2pm in Evans Room

PRAYER POINTS FOR THIS WEEK

- Jesus to be in the centre of all we do
- Friendships to grow in St Mary's
- Peace in Northern Ireland
- St Michaels Loughton (Mission Partner)

BIBLE READING PLAN

*We are reading through
the book of Judges,
reading a chapter a day.*

CHURCH PICNIC

6 JULY

Please save the date - We will have a Church family picnic at Hainault Park on Sunday 6 July at 1pm approx.

HELP WITH CAFE HOPE

We have an amazing community that has built up around Cafe Hope during the week and this is a very fruitful mission ground.

We need some help with this, particularly on Thursdays and Fridays. If you have an hour or two available to you between 9:15am - 2:45pm on one of those days and would like to be involved, please email Lieu on lieu@stmaryssloughton.com

YOUTH LEADERS NEEDED

We love our young people and regularly have nearly 20 come on Sundays to our 10:30am service.

We have an urgent need for group leaders and helpers for them. If you can help, please let Hin Cheung know on: hin@stmaryssloughton.com

SERVICE CONSULTATIONS

Malcolm will be consulting during June with all of our congregations about our Sunday Services. Here are the dates:

8:45am Congregation:

- 15 June 3:30pm in Church

10:30am Congregation:

- 22 June 12:30pm in Smith Room

5pm Congregation:

- 29 June 3:30pm in Church

If you are unable to get to a meeting and would like to speak with Malcolm about it, please email him on malcolm@stmaryssloughton.com

PETE HUGHES - 9 JULY 7:30PM

We are delighted that Pete Hughes from KXC and their worship band will be at St Mary's on Wednesday 9 July for an evening conference "Altars, Tents & Wells: Stewarding a move of God".

There is no charge for this but please [register your place](#) as soon as possible as this is widely advertised and spaces available are going fast.

TREE WATERING

We planted 3 trees some 18 months ago which need watering 1 - 2 times a week over the Summer (it takes about 40 minutes). If you are able to help with this, please email: caroline@stmaryssloughton.com

NEWCOMERS GATHER 29 JUNE

On Sunday 29 June at 12:15pm, there will be a gathering in our Smith Room for all newcomers to St Mary's. This is a great opportunity for those new to the Church in the last few months, to get to know some people.

COME AND SEE

13 JULY

On Sunday 13 July we will be holding "Come and See Services" as we did last year. Let's think of friends, neighbours and family who we may invite to come along to Church with us.

BAPTISMS

13 JULY

On Sunday 13 July at our 10:30am Service, we hope to have some baptisms. If you haven't been baptised already, speak to Malcolm as this would be a great opportunity to be obedient to Jesus and witness to his great gift of salvation to us.

CONTACT & ESSENTIAL INFORMATION

Church Office team: Martin Huff / Amanda Hart
office@stmarysloughton.com Tel: 0208 508 3643

Vicar: Revd Malcolm Macdonald
malcolm@stmarysloughton.com

All staff emails: name@stmarysloughton.com

Pastoral Care: Please contact your Life Group leader in the first instance. If you feel you want to speak to someone, please get in touch.

Malcolm Macdonald	07821011435
Caroline Macdonald	07903 983812
Ruth How p/t	07857 182784

Visit us online: stmarysloughton.com

Safeguarding - for any issues contact
safeguarding@stmarysloughton.com

Please remember that any disclosures that involve a person at risk will be referred to the appropriate agency for help. Please contact our Parish Safeguarding Team as soon as possible:

Hin Cheung (Safeguarding Officer)	07782 550612
Amanda Hart (Deputy)	07780 992325

Counselling - Hope Centre Counselling Loughton
Enquiries: 07858 561334
Email: hellohccloughton@gmail.com

Regular giving to St Mary's

Every gift and tithe really matters. Thank you. It costs over £31K monthly to run St Mary's.

Ways to give to St Mary's:

- Set up a Standing Order.
- Give by card or bank transfer (use the website or the Donation Station in the Welcome Area),
- Yellow Envelope or into the offering on Sundays.
- Don't forget to give with Gift Aid.

Giving Forms are available online. If you wish to give directly with online banking to the St Mary's bank account our details are:

Sort Code: **40-30-25**





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The best place for information on how to give is on our website stmarysloughton.com.



SCAN ME

St Mary's Values

-  ENCOUNTERING GOD
-  LIVING FOR THE KINGDOM
-  LOVING DEEPLY
-  SHARING JESUS

We encourage everyone to get connected and involved in some way.

For more information, contact us via
lifegroups@stmarysloughton.com



Essential reading

Set me on Fire, 2015 (£5)
Saturated with God, 2023 (£10)
Available from the Church Office.

To give any helpful feedback about anything:
helpfulfeedback@stmarysloughton.com

To give encouragements:
encouragements@stmarysloughton.com

Prayer Support

Need urgent prayer? Send a prayer request:
prayer@stmarysloughton.com

Church Bibles are stored on the trolley at the back of Church if required.



St Mary's Guest: Joyful55
Hope Centre Guest: John3:16



If you are interested in enrolling your child, or for more information please phone Little Lambs on 07769 433023