

St Neots Parish Church (St Mary) & Eynesbury St Mary

## Welcome to Worship!

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2026

The Second Sunday after Trinity (Proper 6)



8 a.m.	Eucharist (BCP)	St Neots Parish Church
9.30 a.m.	Sung Eucharist <i>President &amp; Preacher – The Rector</i>	St Neots Parish Church <b>Thorne</b>
<b>Hymns:</b>	<b>795; 284; 499; Anthem + 821; 569 (1<sup>st</sup>t)</b>	
11 a.m.	Sung Eucharist <i>President &amp; Preacher – Canon Melvyn Barnsley</i>	Eynesbury <b>Thorne</b>
<b>Hymns:</b>	<b>795; 284; 499; 569 (1<sup>st</sup>t)</b>	
12.30 p.m.	Baptism	St Neots Parish Church
3.30 p.m.	'All Aboard' (focused on Pentecost)	St Neots Parish Church
4 p.m.	Churchwardens' Admission	Ely Cathedral

### Services & Events this week

Wednesday	09.30	Eucharist	SNPC
Thursday	09.30	Eucharist	Eynesbury
Friday	09.30	Eucharist	SNPC
Saturday	10.30 – 12noon	District Bellringing meeting	SNPC
	13.00	Wedding	SNPC

### Services for next Sunday, 21<sup>st</sup> June 2026 (Trinity 3):

8 a.m.	Eucharist (BCP)	St Neots Parish Church
9.30 a.m.	Sung Eucharist	St Neots Parish Church
11 a.m.	Sung Eucharist	Eynesbury
3 p.m.	Installation of Bishop Sarah Clark ( <i>ticket only</i> )	Ely Cathedral

#### Giving for the work of the Church

We do not pass a collection plate around the congregation during the service, but we always welcome donations from those who attend worship, either in cash or by using the card reader near the door at SNPC before or after the service.

Please Gift Aid that donation if you can do so (envelopes are available).

We also encourage regular givers to become members of the Parish Giving Scheme (which is how many Church members make their donations).

Please ask at the door, or via the Office, if you want more information about this.

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## **Collect for Trinity 2**

Lord, you have taught us that all our doings without love are nothing worth: send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues, without which whoever lives is counted dead before you.

Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

## **Alternative Collect for Trinity 2**

Faithful Creator, whose mercy never fails: deepen our faithfulness to you and to your living Word, Jesus Christ our Lord.

## **Reading from the Hebrew Scriptures (first in service): Exodus 19.2-8a**

The Israelites had journeyed from Rephidim, entered the wilderness of Sinai, and camped in the wilderness; Israel camped there in front of the mountain.

<sup>3</sup>Then Moses went up to God; the Lord called to him from the mountain, saying, 'Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the Israelites: <sup>4</sup>You have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. <sup>5</sup>Now therefore, if you obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples. Indeed, the whole earth is mine, <sup>6</sup>but you shall be for me a priestly kingdom and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the Israelites.'

<sup>7</sup>So Moses came, summoned the elders of the people, and set before them all these words that the Lord had commanded him. <sup>8</sup>The people all answered as one: 'Everything that the Lord has spoken we will do.'

## **Gospel Reading: Matthew 9.35-10.8**

Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. <sup>36</sup>When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. <sup>37</sup>Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; <sup>38</sup>therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.'

<sup>Chap.10</sup> Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness.

<sup>2</sup>These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; <sup>3</sup>Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax-collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; <sup>4</sup>Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him. <sup>5</sup> These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: 'Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, <sup>6</sup>but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. <sup>7</sup>As you go, proclaim the good

news, “The kingdom of heaven has come near.”<sup>8</sup> Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment.

**Gospel Extension (not used in the service): Matthew 10.9-23**

<sup>9</sup>Take no gold, or silver, or copper in your belts, <sup>10</sup>no bag for your journey, or two tunics, or sandals, or a staff; for labourers deserve their food. <sup>11</sup>Whatever town or village you enter, find out who in it is worthy, and stay there until you leave. <sup>12</sup>As you enter the house, greet it. <sup>13</sup>If the house is worthy, let your peace come upon it; but if it is not worthy, let your peace return to you. <sup>14</sup>If anyone will not welcome you or listen to your words, shake off the dust from your feet as you leave that house or town. <sup>15</sup>Truly I tell you, it will be more tolerable for the land of Sodom and Gomorrah on the day of judgement than for that town.

<sup>16</sup>‘See, I am sending you out like sheep into the midst of wolves; so be wise as serpents and innocent as doves. <sup>17</sup>Beware of them, for they will hand you over to councils and flog you in their synagogues; <sup>18</sup>and you will be dragged before governors and kings because of me, as a testimony to them and the Gentiles. <sup>19</sup>When they hand you over, do not worry about how you are to speak or what you are to say; for what you are to say will be given to you at that time; <sup>20</sup>for it is not you who speak, but the Spirit of your Father speaking through you. <sup>21</sup>Brother will betray brother to death, and a father his child, and children will rise against parents and have them put to death; <sup>22</sup>and you will be hated by all because of my name. But the one who endures to the end will be saved. <sup>23</sup>When they persecute you in one town, flee to the next; for truly I tell you, you will not have gone through all the towns of Israel before the Son of Man comes.’

**New Testament Reading (not used): Romans 5.1-8**

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>2</sup>through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. <sup>3</sup>And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, <sup>4</sup>and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, <sup>5</sup>and hope does not disappoint us, because God’s love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

<sup>6</sup>For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly.

<sup>7</sup>Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. <sup>8</sup>But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

**Post-Communion Prayer**

Loving Father, we thank you for feeding us at the supper of your Son:  
sustain us with your Spirit,

that we may serve you here on earth until our joy is complete in heaven,  
and we share in the eternal banquet with Jesus Christ our Lord.

## **Further Ahead** Some events to September:

- Sun 28<sup>th</sup> June: Choral Evensong for the Eve of St Peter at SNPC, 5pm  
*Also – a concert of a RCM student trio (piano, viola, clarinet) raising funds for Eaton Socon Church & Cancer Research at St Mary's Eaton Socon at 7pm, donations on the door. The Choral Society/Sinfonia concert is there the previous evening*
- Sun 5<sup>th</sup> July: St Neots Concert Band at SNPC, 3pm
- Sat 11<sup>th</sup> July: Concert by Horologe Madrigal Singers at Eynesbury
- Sun 12<sup>th</sup> July: 'All Aboard' at SNPC, 3.30pm
- Wed 15<sup>th</sup> July: MU Garden Party (venue to be confirmed), 2.30pm  
Summer Lunchtime Organ Concerts at SNPC begin, 12.15pm (continue weekly to August 26<sup>th</sup>)  
Friends of SNPC AGM (all are welcome)  
3pm Refreshments 3.30pm AGM
- Sat 18<sup>th</sup> July: Eynesbury Strawberry Tea, 2-4.30pm  
St Neots Singers Concert at SNPC, 7.30pm
- Sun 26<sup>th</sup> July: Choral Evensong, SNPC 5pm  
*This morning is also Revd Hilary Young's final service at Gamlingay*
- Sun 2<sup>nd</sup> Aug: St Neot's Day (transf); Bethan Rodden preaching at 9.30am  
*We have been asked to promote a workshop by a Cambs County Council project:*
- Wed 5<sup>th</sup> Aug: "Purple Surfers" digital skills accessibility workshop  
10am - 1pm at St Neots Library  
*Includes introduction to emails tools, video call features and digital accessibility features e.g. sounds and visual aids. The workshop is FREE and will take place as a small, relaxed group. It is "completely beginner friendly" and is aimed at anyone who would like to learn new skills for their own use or to support others. Call 01234 392 339 to register: see poster in church for details.*
- Sun 9<sup>th</sup> Aug: SNPC service to celebrate Mary Sumner (MU founder), 9.30am
- Tue 11<sup>th</sup> Aug: Choir sings Evensong at Bury St Edmunds, 5.30pm
- Thurs 10<sup>th</sup> Sept: MU Pudding Evening in SN Church Room, 7 pm
- Sat 12<sup>th</sup> Sept: 'Ride and Stride' Day across churches in Cambridgeshire  
*A peal is also being rung by a visiting band at SNPC*
- Sat 26<sup>th</sup> Sept: Friends of SNPC Concert (Fairhaven Singers), SNPC 7pm.  
*One or two dates for Tower Open Days have not yet been set.*