

Welcome to  
**St Margaret's**  
**Lowestoft**



Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September

**8am Holy Communion**

**10am Sung Eucharist**

Hymns 187 673 528 275 33

Join us for tea and coffee in church after the service, the  
Traidcraft stall will be there too.

**6pm Choral Evensong**

Hymns 440 102 118  
Psalm 1

**Today's readings**

Deuteronomy 30 verses 15 - end

Philemon 1 - 21

Luke 14 verses 25 - 33

# *This week*

## **Each day this week:**

Morning Prayer 8.30am and Evening Prayer at 4pm

### **Monday**

9am Churchyard Maintenance  
10am Bible Study group meet in the church centre lounge  
7.45pm Bell ringing Practice

### **Wednesday**

9.30am Church Mice meet in the church centre  
11.15am Open the book meeting in the church centre  
6.30pm Office hour to arrange banns and weddings

### **Thursday**

9am Churchyard Maintenance  
10.30am Holy Communion

### **Friday**

12noon Holy Communion  
12.30pm Church open until 4pm  
1.15pm Coffee Concert in church featuring  
Jo Westaway and Karen Smith, soprano and piano  
6pm Choir Practice

### **Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September**

RIDE AND STRIDE

HERITAGE WEEKEND

### **Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September**

8am Holy Communion  
10am Sung Eucharist  
6pm Sung Evensong

## **The Spire for September**

Is available to take with you today, please don't forget the money into the wall safe.

## **'Watching the world pass by'**

David Hancock has compiled a book with many of his poems in it. If you would like a copy, please speak with David today.

## **Sponsored Ride and Stride - 14<sup>th</sup> September**

With 1 week to go churches in 31 counties will be preparing to raise funds for this event. Here in Suffolk the day will be promoted on TV, radio and local press and we all hope the weather will be kind to us.

Here, in St. Margaret's church, we must provide a warm welcome for those taking part. To achieve this we need volunteers to book in participants between 9am and 5pm, there is a form on the notice board at the back of church and it would be wonderful if we can have at least two members covering each of the 2-hour slots.

Please help if you can.



Please consider having a sponsor form and even just a walk into town and visiting two churches could perhaps raise £10 - and every little helps. For further information please contact Ray Bedwell on 01502 567166 or [ray.bedwell@waitrose.com](mailto:ray.bedwell@waitrose.com)

## **Car Boot sale**

We have a stall at a car boot sale on 17<sup>th</sup> September from 7am to 12 noon in Corton Long Lane. If you have anything we can sell in aid of our church please speak with Sarah, Bill or Jan Pollard

**Heritage open days** - church welcomers needed for 21<sup>st</sup>

September please. Including Coffee concerts on

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> September featuring Jo Westaway, soprano and  
Karen Smith, piano

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> September featuring Linda Purdy, horn and  
Brian Orland, organ/piano

**Lowestoft Foodbank** Please leave donations for distribution by the  
foodbank in the box at the back of church. Details are also here  
and in the church centre of what is most urgently needed, and  
there are a lot of items that are low in stock.

The pewsheet is sponsored

**To Mark the  
First Day at  
Northfield St  
Nicholas School for**

**Zach  
Barnard**



***Clergy Contacts***

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