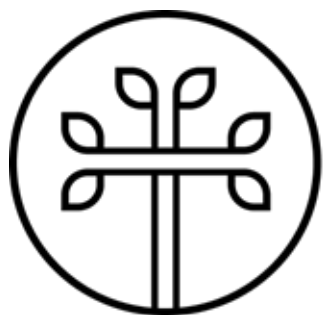




Wareham's Church of England Family

Luke the Evangelist

18th October
2026

Almighty God,
you called Luke the physician,
whose praise is in the gospel,
to be an evangelist and physician of the soul:
by the grace of the Spirit and through the
wholesome medicine of the gospel,
give your Church the same love and power to
heal; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of
the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

This Sunday's Services 18th October 2026

Bible Readings: Isaiah 35. 3-6 · Luke 10. 1-9

Time	Service	Location
8am	Holy Communion (<i>BCP</i>)	Lady St Mary's, Wareham
9am	Breakfast @ 9	Sandford St Martin's
10am	Praise Communion	Lady St Mary's, Wareham
10.30am	Holy Communion (<i>BCP</i>)	St Nicholas, Arne
10.30am	Morning Worship	Sandford St Martin's
4pm	Fire Pit	Holme Priory, East Holme

Wednesday

21st October 2026

11am	Holy Communion	St Martin on the Walls
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Mission Prayer

Lord, you offer freedom to all people.

We pray for those in prison.

Break the bonds of fear and isolation that exist.

Support with your love prisoners and their families and friends, prison staff and all who care. Heal those who have been wounded by the actions of others, especially the victims of crime.

Help us to forgive one another, to act justly, love mercy and walk humbly together with Christ in his strength and his Spirit, now and every day.

Amen

We Pray for

Our church family:

Eddie Byrom, John Cleaton, Tom Lane, Mel Bolt

Those who have died:

Frances Walker (*sister of Anne King*)

Gathering for Daily Prayer

Morning Prayer

Monday & Thursday

St Edward's Chapel, Lady St Mary's

8.30 – 9am

All welcome, to gather for bible reading and prayer to begin the day.

Parish Prayer Group

Tuesday 7.30 – 8.30pm

in one of our homes. All welcome

We pray for global and local needs, mission and ministry and individuals. For venue, contact Parish Office Tel: 01929 550905

Prayers for Peace

Friday 5pm

Lady St Mary's Church

All are invited to make time to pause and pray, for peace in our lives, our community and our world.

Prisons Sunday

18th October Prisons Sunday in the Parish of Wareham

Prisons Week raises awareness and encourages prayer for the needs of all those affected by prisons, including prisoners and their families, victims of crime and those working in the criminal justice system.

This Sunday, guest speakers share their experience of working in prisons including Ginny Collings, Prison Chaplain and Jane Fowler, Prison Doctor.

Coming Up

Deanery Synod Meeting

Thursday 22nd October
7.30pm

All Saints Church Hall,
Ullwell Road, Swanage BH19 1LL

Everyone welcome to hear how we can support and benefit from the link with the Church in South Sudan. Speaker Mike Quinlan, on developing our link with St Stephen's School, Terekeka.

Refreshments served from 7pm

From Darkness to Light A Warm Welcome to the Vicarage
31st October 5pm - 7pm 9 Keysworth Drive, Sandford

Warm up by the fire-pit in the Vicarage Garden. Toast your own s'mores, grab a hotdog, some sweets, and make some crafts if you'd like. Stay for five minutes or the full two hours, but everyone welcome to share a little warmth and light with us this autumn!

Remembering Loved Ones who have Died

Sunday 1st November
3pm

Lady St Mary's, Wareham
followed by refreshments in the Parish Hall

All invited to remember, reflect and give thanks for those we mourn.

This service will include an invitation to light candles in memory of loved ones. We will also be remembering by name, those who have died, whose funerals have been taken recently by Parish clergy.

If you would like a name of a loved one, to be added to the list, to be read out, please provide the name on the list in church or contact the Parish office.

Next Sunday25th October 2026**BIBLE SUNDAY****Bible Readings** Nehemiah 8. 1-4a; 8-12 · Matthew 24. 30-35

Time	Service	Location
8am	Holy Communion (<i>BCP</i>)	Lady St Mary's, Wareham
9am	Breakfast @ 9	Sandford St Martin's
10am	Sung Communion	Lady St Mary's, Wareham
10am	Holy Communion (<i>BCP</i>)	St John the Evangelist, East Holme
10.30am	Holy Communion	Sandford St Martin's

Wednesday 28th October 2026 Simon & Jude, Apostles

11am	Holy Communion	St Martin on the Walls
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