



St Mary's Church, Thorpe

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ST MARY'S CHURCH UPDATE NOV 2020 LOCK-DOWN PLAN IN PLACE - COVID-19

Thorpe Church community continues to be **very much alive and active** but **St Mary's Church buildings** and the Vicarage Car Park are **CLOSED** except for **Private Prayer** and **Funeral Services** until **3rd December**.



As well as public worship being suspended, this and all church buildings in the Church of England are presently closed to gatherings. However, our sense of family and community, our worship, and our care for each other continue using on-line, digital, postal and telephone communication.

PRIVATE PRAYER & FOODBANK DONATIONS

St Mary's is open on a **Wednesday** and **Saturday** from **2 - 4pm**.

You can also leave food donations at Church for **Runnymede Foodbank**.

ST MARY'S CHURCHYARD

The Churchyard remains open during the day for recreation and outdoor prayer. Please remember to keep your distance, remain **2 meters apart** from others.

ONLINE WORSHIP FOR ALL

We offer worship daily at 10am on St Mary's Facebook Page:

<https://www.facebook.com/StMarysChurchThorpe/>

Our website contains details of how to join others online for prayer, worship, study, and community life & watch worship from the past week.

Visit: www.stmaryschurchthorpe.co.uk

PASTORAL SUPPORT AND CONTACT SCHEME

We are running a "Buddy Up" telephone contact scheme to help keep everyone (especially the most vulnerable and those without the internet) in touch. To join email the Parish Office at: stmaryschurchthorpe@outlook.com *to opt in!*

Our Vicar Father Damian Miles can be contacted by telephoning: **01932 565986** or email: damomiles@btinternet.com

Above all, **we continue to worship and pray**. We may be dispersed at this time, but we are united in our faith and love for one another.

"Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength. Love your neighbour as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these." (Mark 12:30-31)