Christmas Fayre at the Ascension

On Saturday November 21st 10am to 12 midday.
Come and support the Christmas Fayre
Please help by donating Cakes, Bottles, Toys
Draw Prizes, and Bric a Brac.
Please bring your donations of chocolate for the chocolate tombola to Becky M by Nov 15th

Safeguarding Sunday – Sunday 15th November

This year the theme is Love Protects,
rooted in the well-known passage from
1 Corinthians 13, which reminds us that,
"love always protects".
Safeguarding isn't bureaucracy.
It isn't a distraction from ministry.
- It is ministry – a Christian act of love in action.

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All services, apart from our All Together service. (first Sunday of the month) are live streamed. If you do not wish to be on the live stream please sit in the North Aisle. At times photographs are taken for our Facebook page or church website. To opt out of having your photograph taken, please see a Church Warden, A Sidesperson, or the Parish Safeguarding officer before the service starts – Thank You

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Diary Dates

Monday
7.30pm PCC Meeting via Zoom

Wednesday
10am Eucharist for Armistice Day-The Ascension
10.45 Act of Remembrance at Akenham
9-12 Coffee Shop in Church
11-12.15 Top Up Shop
1.15-3pm Mums and Tots

Thursday
11.30am Funeral in Church of Hazel Girling

Saturday
9am Men's Breakfast Please see Ray
9am Ladies Breakfast Please see Bev

Sunday
9.30am Eucharist for Safeguarding Sunday
3.30pm Celebration of Mary's installation at
- The Cathedral as Honorary Canon

*** Live streamed on**
https://www.youtube.com/
@whittonparishstmaryandstbo8772
And go to the 'Live' tab at the top of the page

Celebrate Mary's Installation on November 15th

Dean Joe and the Cathedral are really looking forward to giving a warm welcome to the whole congregation of Whitton on 15th November at 3.30pm
to celebrate the installation of their incumbent
The Reverend Mary Sokanovic as an
Honorary Canon of St Edmundsbury Cathedral
as she is installed into the seat of
St Ethelbert King and Martyr.
Please come and celebrate with Mary.
List for travel arrangment-back of church.Frankie coordinating

SHOE BOX MESSAGE OF THANKS

After sharing the story of the Good Samaritan, Jesus said "Go and do likewise." That is the mission of Samaritan's Purse—to follow the example of Christ, working with the local church to demonstrate the love of God to people in need around the world.

Thank you to each and every one of you who demonstrated that love by filling a shoebox so that children around the world can receive and feel that love. (we will be told their destination in time).

Thank you for bringing a smile to the face of a child.

The Parish of Whitton with Thurleston & Akenham

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Sunday November 8th 2026
Remembrance Sunday
Third Sunday before Advent



Hymns, Readings and Notices

Processional Hymn

580 Judge Eternal, throned in splendour.

Collect

God our refuge and strength,
Bring near the day when wars shall cease and poverty and pain shall end,
that earth may know the peace of heaven through Jesus Christ our Lord.