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The Parish Church of St Margaret, Streatley  
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## PARISH PROFILE



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The Parish Centre  
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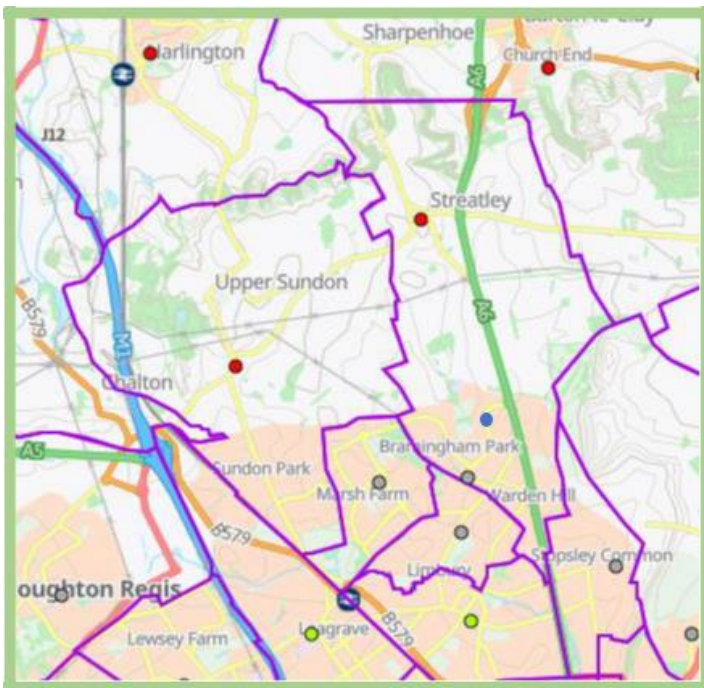
# WELCOME

## Overview of the parish

The parish of Streatley, in the southern part of Bedfordshire, has a population of around 10,000. The Church, a well maintained and much loved, traditional, historic building stands in the village of Streatley, on the Chiltern escarpment in an area of outstanding natural beauty. The village was originally a Bronze Age settlement. There are some beautiful countryside walks within and adjacent to Streatley Parish, (Sharpenhoe Clappers, Sundon Hill Country Park, Warden

Hills and many more). Luton town centre is approximately 5 miles away and London Luton Airport is approximately 7 miles. The parish is within easy reach of 3 mainline train stations (Luton, Leagrave, Harlington). Bus services are regular and the M1 Motorway is approximately 4 miles away. The parish has a variety of schools and shops.

### Parish Map



A view from Sharpenhoe Clappers



Sharpenhoe Clappers

The parish includes the village of Streatley and two distinct parts of north Luton:

- ✚ Warden Hill, which was built in the 1930's
- ✚ Barton Hills / Bramingham, which was built in the 1980's

The geography and demographics mean that the parish embraces both rural and urban communities.

The Vicarage, Parish Centre and Curate's house are located in Bramingham. Services are held at the Church and the Parish Centre. There are two other community centres within the parish: Streatley village hall and Warden Hill community centre.



## The Worshipping Community

The normal Sunday worship programme operates on a monthly basis:

Every Sunday	9.30am Parish Communion (Common Worship) St. Margaret's Church 11.15am Parish Centre Holy Communion (Common Worship) every Sunday apart from the first Sunday of the Month
Second and Fourth Sunday	8.00am Holy Communion (Book of Common Prayer, without hymns) St. Margaret's Church
First Sunday	11.15am Family Service St. Margaret's Church

Additional Worship:

Wednesday	10.15am Parish Centre Communion
Second Thursday	8.00pm Compline St. Margaret's Church



**Christingle Service**

**Remembrance Service at the Village Memorial Stone**



## **Friends of Streatley Parish Church**

Friends of Streatley Parish Church is a registered charity. Its aim and activities are to raise monies for the maintenance and preservation of St. Margaret's Church. The Vicar of Streatley or any person in Holy Orders, Licensed or in charge of the parish, is a member of the Executive Committee.