St Etheldreda's and the Holy Trinity, Reach

Thanks to a generous legacy, Reach Church was completely refurbished in 2022/3 and is now well equipped to serve not only the needs of the church and the villagers of Reach, but also to be used by the wider community.

Set on the attractive Village Green of the small village of Reach, it is an ideal setting for Quiet Days, Away Days and similar meetings.

Reach Lode is nearby, with pleasant walks along the riverside out into the Fens, and also Devil's Dyke, with walks towards Woodditton.



The church is approached via steps or stone ramp, both with handrails. It is a bright, warm environment, equipped with modern lighting and an AV system.

One of the aims is for maximum flexibility, so not only do the chairs stack, but the pews are also on wheels and can be moved to the sides. You can therefore have whatever layout suits your purposes. Full seating capacity is approximately 80, with 40 chairs and 8 pews.

There is a small servery, suitable for making drinks and snacks, and a toilet with disabled access. The village has a pub close by, which serves meals and may be able to provide catering.



This year, work has started to landscape the garden to promote biodiversity, creating a variety of habitats and including wildflower areas to attract pollinators.

It has extensive views of the Fens and the ruined arch of an older chapel and, although a little bare at present, will form an attractive area for contemplation as it matures in the months and years to come.



Rates

- The basic rate for hiring Reach Church is £15 per hour. A heating surcharge may be applied in very cold weather.
- For further information, please contact the Church Administrator administrator@stmarysburwell.org.uk

Further information

- Historical information about the church is available on Reach village website <u>http://www.reach-village.co.uk/church.html</u>
- Postal address: Fair Green, Reach, Cambridge CB25 0JD