

PRESS RELEASE

Festival of Remembrance to bring Long Melford Silver Band and Wattisham Military Wives Choir together in Clare

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

A special evening of music, remembrance and reflection will take place at **St Peter & St Paul's Church in Clare** this November, when **Long Melford Silver Band** joins forces with the **Wattisham Military Wives Choir** for this year's Festival of Remembrance.

The event will take place on **Friday 6 November 2026 at 7.30pm**, bringing together two local musical organisations for an evening dedicated to remembering those who have served, those who continue to serve, and those who have made the ultimate sacrifice.

The Festival of Remembrance will feature performances from both the Long Melford Silver Band and Wattisham Military Wives Choir, alongside moments of reflection and remembrance.

The evening will culminate in a **traditional Drumhead Service**, led by **The Revd Mark Woodrow**, with representatives from the Armed Forces also taking part.

The organisers hope the event will provide an opportunity for the local community to come together in a fitting setting to remember and reflect ahead of Remembrance Sunday.

The previous Festival of Remembrance presented by Long Melford Silver Band attracted **more than 200 people**, and organisers are hoping to build on that support this year.

Tickets are **£10** and are available from:

Harris & Harris Books, Clare
Humphreys Butchers, Clare

Tickets can also be purchased online at:

www.longmelfordsilverband.co.uk

The organisers are encouraging people to book early and help **fill the church for this special evening of Remembrance**.

EVENT INFORMATION

Festival of Remembrance 2026
Friday 6 November 2026
7.30pm
St Peter & St Paul's Church, Clare, Suffolk