

The new IOS Cultural Centre & Museum present **The Greatest Gull – Protecting Scilly's Greater Black-Backed Gulls**. An exhibition & short film in collaboration with the Five Islands Academy & the IOS Wildlife Trust. **Where:** Steamship Co House, Hugh St. **Times:** Open office hours until Autumn 2026.

WALK SCILLY FESTIVAL 10th to 19th April.

An incredible opportunity to explore the natural beauty and rich cultural heritage of the islands. For more information and booking visit www.visitislesofscilly.com/walkscilly or pop into The Tourist Information Centre for a programme.

Saturday 18th April

St. Mary's – Community Café at the Church Hall Charity Shop. **Time:** 10.00am-12.00pm. Hot & cold drinks and biscuits too. Donations welcome.

St. Mary's – Mosaic Making with Turning Tides Studio at Phoenix Craft Studios, Porthmellon. Create your own mosaic to capture the spirit of Scilly. **Time:** 10am – 12.30pm. **To book email:** turningtidescilly@gmail.com or **Tel:** 07876 741 019

St Mary's - Scilly's Maritime Memories: A Guided Walk on St. Mary's. **Where:** Outside Star Castle Hotel. **Time:** 10am. **Price:** £20. For further details visit and to book www.visitislesofscilly.com/walkscilly or pop into The Tourist Information Centre for a programme. **Part of Walk Scilly 2026**

St. Mary's Tides & Textures: A Seaweed Celebration with the IOS New Cultural Centre & Museum. Talks and Artwork. **Where:** The Lantern, Old Town Inn **Time:** 1pm - 5pm. **Price:** FREE donations to the IOS Museum most welcome. For full details visit or pop into The Tourist Information Centre for a programme. **Part of Walk Scilly 2026**

St. Mary's - Walk Scilly Street Food Pop-up. Join us for a laid-back evening of local street food. **Where:** Holgates Green. **Time:** 5pm - 7.30pm. For further details visit www.visitislesofscilly.com/walkscilly or pop into The Tourist Information Centre for a programme.

St. Mary's - Old Town Inn Beer & Cider Festival continues 16th – 20th April – Raise a glass, celebrating the very best of locally crafted and Cornish drinks. For full details visit www.oldtowninn-scilly.co.uk or pop into The Tourist Information Centre for a programme. **Part of Walk Scilly 2026.**

St. Mary's - Live Music with Andy Tymens at Old Town Inn. **Time:** 8pm.

Sunday 19th April

Church Services: Church of England

St. Mary's: 11am Sung Eucharist in the Parish Church with refreshments afterwards.

St. Agnes: 9am Eucharist with Hymns

St. Martin's: 10am – Eucharist with Hymns.

All Saints Bryher: 9am - Eucharist with Hymns.

St. Nicholas Treco: 11am Eucharist with Hymns.

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Methodist Church

St. Mary's Methodist Chapel: 10.30am Sunday Worship.

St. Martin's: For times, please check locally. Sunday Worship in the Methodist Chapel with the Revd Janet Park. Further details about services and the Methodist Church on Scilly from the Minister Revd Carole Holmes, 01720 422 406

Tresco - Beehive Tour and Taster-Meet Island Beekeeper Jilly Halliday you'll explore the lives of the Scilly Bees. For further details visit www.visitislesofscilly.com/walkscilly or pop into The Tourist Information Centre for a program **Part of Walk Scilly 2026** me.

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Monday 20th April

St. Mary's – Arts & Crafts Market – Local crafts handmade on the islands. **Time:** 10am – 4pm. **Where:** St Mary's Methodist Chapel Hall

Wildlife Walk on St. Agnes with resident naturalist Will Wagstaff. Meet by **Island Wildlife Tours** board on St Mary's quay at **9.45**. This can be a half day walk **£10.00**, or a full day walk **£20.00** (plus boat fare).

Monday 20th April continued

St. Mary's - Old Town Inn Beer & Cider Festival last day 16th – 20th April – Raise a glass, celebrating the very best of locally crafted and Cornish drinks. For full details visit www.oldtowninn-scilly.co.uk or pop into The Tourist Information Centre for a programme. **Part of Walk Scilly 2026**

St. Mary's – Old Town Inn Big Monday Football Quiz 8pm.
Booking advised www.oldtowninn-scilly.co.uk/arts

Tuesday 21st April

Wildlife Walk on Tresco with resident naturalist Will Wagstaff. Meet by Island Wildlife Tours board on St Mary's quay at 9.45. This can be a half day walk £10.00, or a full day walk £20.00 (plus boat fare).

St. Mary's – Church Hall Charity Shop & Café. Times: 10am – 12noon & 2pm – 4pm

Bryher – Free Fudge Tasting & Talk. Visit Veronica Farm and learn how fudge has been made for more than 30 years. Plus have a taste of the most popular flavours. A perfect stop for visitors of all ages. **Time:** 2pm **Meet:** By the fudge stall on Church Quay. **FREE**

Tresco – Storm Goretti A Walk Through Recovery.
Time: 2pm. **Meet:** Outside the Abbey Garden entrance. **Free**

St. Mary's – Scilly Folk at the Old Town Inn – Traditional live music in the pub. **Time:** 8pm

St. Mary's – Bishop & Wolf Tuesday Quiz - Time: 8pm. All welcome. Proceeds to St. Mary's Lifeboat. **£2pp**

Wednesday 22nd April

St. Mary's - British Sign Language Workshops at St. Mary's Library. **Time:** 2pm - 3pm. **Free** all welcome.

Bryher – Discover the Rich Heritage of Bryher – Join our free guided talk with church warden Kris Taylor. Uncover the fascinating heritage of this peaceful island church and more. **Meet:** All Saints Church. **Time:** 2pm

Women's Gig Race - Championships Warm Up Race.
Time: 7.30pm. For full details, see the boards in town.

St. Mary's – Bell Ringing Practice. Visiting ringers welcome.
Time: 7.30pm – 8.30pm

Thursday 23rd April

Wildlife Walk on TBC with resident naturalist Will Wagstaff. Meet by Island Wildlife Tours board on St Mary's quay at 9.45. This can be a half day walk £10.00, or a full day walk £20.00 (plus boat fare).

IT Support Session – When: 10am-12pm. **Where:** St. Mary's Library. **Price:** £2.75 for tutoring. Bring any questions about your device & our tutor will do their best to help you.
Booking advised please call St. Mary's Library on 01720 424 499. First booking 10am half hour sessions

Friday 24th April

Wildlife Walk on TBC with resident naturalist Will Wagstaff. Meet by Island Wildlife Tours board on St Mary's quay at 9.45. This can be a half day walk £10.00, or a full day walk £20.00 (plus boat fare).

Men's Gig Racing - Championships Warm Up Race.
Time: 7.30. For full details, see the boards in town.

St. Mary's – Old Town Inn Open Stage Night 8pm – Poets & Singers, Musicians, Storytellers and Magicians all welcome. Open until 1am www.oldtowninn-scilly.co.uk/arts

Coming up

Saturday 25th April - St. Mary's - Creative Church - Lots of activities on the theme of joy, with a story & refreshments. **Time:** 2.30pm - 4.00pm. **Where:** Garden Pavillion, by the Parish Church. All welcome, primary aged children to be accompanied by an adult. **Free.**

Sunday 26th April - Tresco Maker's Market. Join a host of talented islanders for the regular Tresco Makers Markets - a community event supporting makers and showcasing local creative talent (market times vary).
www.tresco.co.uk/enjoying/events/tresco-makers-markets

Sunday 26th April - St. Martin's - Join the Community Archaeology Group to clear the burial chambers on Cruther's Hill, St. Martin's. **Time:** 9.45am - 2.30pm. **Meet** at the Scilly Walks board on St. Mary's Quay at 9.45am or the top of Higher Town Quay, St. Martin's at 10.40am. Please wear appropriate clothing and shoes and bring lunch and a hot drink. Please see posters in the town and at the TIC for further details.