

St Mary's Weekly Bulletin 14th April 2013

A very warm welcome to everyone!

If you are a visitor or newcomer please introduce yourself to the clergy or a member of the congregation. Please join us for refreshments after the service.



An **induction loop system** is provided to assist hearing aid users. Please switch your hearing aid to the 'T' position.

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Norma Howie is the benefice administrator, and enquiries re baptisms and weddings should be made through her. The office is open Monday and Wednesday 8.30am - 4.00pm, Thursday 12 noon - 3.30pm and Friday 12 noon - 3.00pm.

Services Today

8.00am	NO Said Eucharist
10.00am	Sung Eucharist/Baptism
Presiding	The Revd Karen Turner
Preaching	The Revd Karen Turner
Hymns	131, 123, 752, 285, 652
Sides Duty	Colin Rivett
Warden	Harry Graham-Brown
Reader	Daphne Arnott
Intercessions	Chris Bentley
Offertory	Joyce Worboys
Chalice	Peter Bladon
Organist	Roger Windmill
Coffee	Margaret Wootton
11.30am	The Annual Parochial Church Meeting

Please pray for Tony Mayes, Margaret and Keith Raeburn, Paul Boggis, Joy West, Pam and Ivor Stringer, Richard Wyatt, Kathryn Morgan, Sister Margaret ASSP, Molly Witts, Shirley Godson, Angela Bellew, Nancy Abraham, Daphne Wicks, Doreen Crago and Riskala Dekki.

Please remember in your prayers

Rita French who has died. Pray for her and her family in their loss. Also, remember Vincent Mellor, Kathy Lazenbatt's father, who died last Thursday evening. Pray for Kathy and her family in their loss.

Deanery prayers this month are asked for St Barnabas Church, Adeyfield, and their plans for a Holiday Club with Adeyfield Free Church and Holy Trinity.

Please also pray for Alan, Bishop of St Albans; Paul, Bishop of Herford; Richard, Bishop of Bedford; the Diocese of Namibia, South Africa; the parish of Essendon; chalice administrators; Shendish Manor; the APCM being held today; the Foodbank initiative; the schools of the parish reopening after half term holiday; St John's Church, Boxmoor, and Grovehill Church, in vacancy at this time, and those responsible for running the parishes; the situation between North and South Korea; an end to the unrest and violence in Syria.

THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

THIS WEEK

Monday 15th

10.00am Working Party
8.00pm Home Group including prayers for health and healing at 23 Bunkers Lane

Tuesday 16th

10.00am Buzzy Bees meet in Refectory

Wednesday 17th

10.00am Eucharist at Holy Trinity

Thursday 18th

9.30am Eucharist - no study group
12noon Meeting of SOLO lunchers at The Young Pretender

Friday 19th

9.00am Family Worship at Nash Mills School
10.00am Working Party
7.30pm Pampered Chef fundraising event (cooking demonstration) In Refectory

Saturday 20th

10.00am Saturday Cafe

Sunday 21st THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

NO Said Eucharist at 8.00am
10.00am Sung Eucharist/Youth Groups
3.00pm Messy Church

The next meeting of the Team

Council is on Thursday 25th April at 7.30pm at All Saints.

The next Baptism Preparation

Evening is on Monday 13th May at 7.30pm at All Saints.

Christian Aid Week

Christian Aid Week begins on Sunday 12th May, and once again volunteers will be needed to deliver and collect donation envelopes across the parish.

NOTICES

Ascension Day Service

The service on Ascension Day Thursday 9th May will be a benefice wide eucharist at All Saints at 8.00pm.

Dates for your Diary

The concert of cello and recorder music booked for Friday 17th May is cancelled due to the heating problem.

Saturday 6th July 11.00am - 4.00pm 'A Summer Community Fair' with a plant stall - so please grow or pot up some items. More details in due course.

Annual Quiet Day at Douai Abbey

Saturday 13th July
led by Bishop Robin Smith.

There are only 25 places available for the Quiet Day. To book a place please sign the list at the back of church and pay £25.00 to the Team Rector, either in cash or a cheque payable to Revd David Lawson. The booking is not confirmed until payment is received! The cost includes refreshments on arrival and at the end of the day, a two course lunch and a donation to the Abbey. Bishop Robin will give two short addresses, there will be a short act of worship at the beginning of the day and at the end. There will also be plenty of time for quiet and strolling around the Abbey and grounds.

Until the heating system is repaired,

David and Karen will be saying Morning Prayer in their respective homes. The Thursday morning Bible study is suspended, and Evening Prayer on Sundays is also suspended.