

St Mary's Weekly Bulletin 3rd July 2016

THOMAS THE APOSTLE

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.

Anyone wishing to receive Holy Communion at home, a visit or wishing to arrange a funeral please contact **David** directly.

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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 8.00am - 3.30pm, Thursday 12.30pm - 3.00pm and Friday 12 noon - 3.00pm.

Services Today

8.00am	Said Eucharist
10.00am	Sung Eucharist
Presiding	Canon David Lawson
Preaching	Canon David Lawson
Hymns	177, 98, 97, 938, 221
Sides Duty	Veronica Cheshire
Warden	Dan Shirley
Reader	Katharine Harper
Intercessions	Katharine Harper
Offertory	Tony and Rachel Woods
Chalice	Peter Bladon
Organist	Chris Muhley
Coffee	Laura and Harry Graham-Brown
12noon	Baptism of Emma Tearle
6.30pm	Evening Prayer (said)

Please pray for Hugh, Nesta Hancocks, Ada and Kenneth Ferris, Patricia Land, Jessica and James Stygle, Bill Dell, Nancy Abraham, Paul Boggis, Fr Don Butler, Doreen and Hedley Crago, Riskala Dekki, Shirley Godson, Eileen Kemp, Evelyn Greener, Tony and Irene Mayes, Ivor Stringer, Clare Tofield-Wallington.

Also, remember in your prayers, Simon Woodmore from St Benedict's, who will be ordained Deacon this morning in St Albans Cathedral.

Deanery prayers this month are for St John's Church, Boxmoor.

Please also pray for Alan, Bishop of St Albans; Richard, Bishop of Bedford; Michael, Bishop of Hertford; the Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea, and Clyde Igara, the Archbishop of Papua New Guinea and Bishop of Dogura; the parish of Dunstable Whipsnade, and the priest, Nicola Lenthall; Saturday Community Café; the residents of Florence Longman House; those who struggle with their faith; unity in our country with all working for the common good.

THIS WEEK

Monday 4th

No Morning Prayer
10.00am Working Party
8.00pm Bellingring practice

Tuesday 5th

No Morning Prayer
10.00am Buzzy Bees meet in the Refectory

Wednesday 6th

No Morning Prayer
10.00am Eucharist at Holy Trinity

Thursday 7th

9.00am Morning Prayer
9.30am Eucharist/study group
8.00pm Home group meets at 28 Manorville Road

Friday 8th

8.00am Morning Prayer
10.00am Working Party

Saturday 9th

9.00am Morning Prayer
10.00am Saturday Community Café
10.00am St Benedict's Summer Fair until 1.00pm

Sunday 10th THE SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

No 8.00am Said Eucharist
10.00am Sung Eucharist/Youth Groups
12noon Baptism of Masie Wiggins
No Evening Prayer

NOTICES

Water Mill House is running three seminars on '**Understanding Dementia**' this Tuesday 5th July. The times are 10.00am - 11.30am, 2.00pm - 3.30pm and 6.00pm - 7.30pm. To book a place, call 01442 269888.

The next PCC meeting is on Wednesday 13th July at 7.45pm in the Refectory.

There is a **Deanery Quiz** organised for Saturday 23rd July at Nash Mills C of E School. Teams from each of the churches in the deanery will be taking part. Please see Peter Bladon if you are interested in being a member of St Mary's team.

The next SOLO Lunch is on Thursday 28th July. Please sign up if you are intending to come.

Contributions to the next issue of the **Benefice Newsletter** should be emailed to Odette Morley by Sunday 31st July. Odette's email address is ode19uk@yahoo.co.uk Odette has very kindly agreed to compile the benefice newsletter.

A total of £323.41 has been sent to the **Children's Society** from the Box Collection. Hazel Littlejohns thanks everyone who has contributed to this collection.

If you place a cash collection in the offertory plate and are a UK taxpayer, please use the blue envelopes on the pews adding your name, address and postcode. These details are essential in order for the Church to claim Giff Aid on your offering.

St Benedict's Summer Fair is this Saturday 9th July and they are struggling with numbers of helpers. This is an opportunity for other churches in the benefice to support a sister church. Are there 2 people from St Mary's who would be willing to help on the day between 10.00am and 2.00pm? A similar appeal is being made in the other churches in the benefice. If you can help please let David know. So far only one person has offered to help from any of the other churches!