

WELCOME TO ST MARY'S APSLEY END

	Today Sun 8 th April	Next Sun (15 th April)	Diary Next Week (starting 9th Apr) Monday <u>10.00am</u> Working Party <u>8.00pm</u> Bell ringers' practice Tuesday NO Buzzy Bees Wednesday Thursday <u>9.00pm</u> Morning Prayer <u>9.30am</u> Holy Communion No Study Group <u>8.00pm</u> House Group Manorville Road Friday <u>10.00am</u> Working Party Saturday 10.00am Community Café
8.00am	No Service	No Service	
10.00am	Sung Eucharist	Sung Eucharist	
Presiding	Alexander McGregor	Richard Howlett	
Warden	Viv Hagel	Laura Graham-Brown	
Sidesperson	Colin and Susan Rivett	The Boggis Family	
Reading	Delia Aylott	Katherine Harper	
Intercessions	Sue Jakeman	Katharine Howlett	
Offertory	Graham Brown Family	Gill Family	
Chalice	Rosemary Bladon	Katherine Harper	
2 nd Counter	Jim Aylott	Roger Witts	
Coffee	Sylvia Low & Janet Wright	Laura & Harry Graham-Brown	
Organist	TBA	TBA	
Richard is at:	St Benedict's	St Mary's	
3.00pm	-----	Messy Church	
6.30pm	No Service	No Service	

Please pray for Patricia Land, Eileen Kemp, Hedley & Doreen Crago, Brenda Frost, Robert Patmore, Clare Tofield Wallington, Mia Keene and a new PCC secretary.

To include events or people for prayer please e-mail stmarysapsleyend@gmail.com or contact one of the Churchwardens, or the Vicar

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 (Mon & Wed 8:00am to 3:30pm, Thurs 12:30pm to 3:00pm, Fri 11:30am to 2:30pm)



Notices

To include a notice please contact stmarysapsleyend@gmail.com (deadline 12 noon each Tues for the following Sunday please)

Gluten Free Wafers are available. Please ask the Warden or Sidesperson.

Sunday 15th April at 3.00pm Messy Church at St Mary's.

Many thanks to all those people who gave money for the Easter flowers, and to those who used their skills and time to decorate the church, and will continue to care for the flowers over the coming weeks

Well done to the nine people who braved the rain and wind on Easter Monday to walk to St Albans for the Pilgrimage. We all enjoyed the service and meeting so many people from other churches. Congratulations to Veronica and Adwoa for then walking home again!

This year our **Annual Parish Church Meeting** will be taking place on Sunday 22nd April after the 10am service at 11.30am. Please do try to come to it and hear what the various groups have been doing over the last year and also to vote for members to represent you on the PCC over the coming year. Next Sunday there will be reports for you to take away and read before the meeting takes place the following week.

Many thanks to those people who either helped organise or came along to the Lent Lunches this year. Over £156 was raised for the Willow Foundation from these two lunches.

There will be no Buzzy Bees sessions during the Easter Holiday. Back on Tuesday 17th April.

Christian Aid Week – This year takes place from 13th to the 19th May. Rosemary will be organising a special Christian Aid event at the Café on the 12th May, please put this date in your diaries and come along to support it.

We need a new **PCC Secretary**. (Thanks to Laura for holding the fort recently). Please will someone with some basic note-taking/computer skills step forward? Training can be given.

Is anyone interested in being confirmed? Deanery Confirmation is 6th May, but individuals can take a place later in the year at another church's Confirmation service (if required) Please contact Revd. Howlett.

Dates for your diary:

- 15th April 3.00pm Messy Church at St Mary's
- 22nd April APCM (Ann. Parochial Church Meeting) at 11.30am
- 21st Apr Quiz night at St Benedict's.
- 12th May Reaching new people Vision Day
- 12th May Christian Aid Coffee morning between 10.00am and 12.00 noon, St Mary's.
- 19th May 6.30pm service at St Albans Cathedral to celebrate "Thy Kingdom Come", led by the Archbishop of Canterbury.
- 11th July Summer Concert St Benedict's 7.45pm
- 8th Sept Benefice Quiet day at Douai Abbey