

WELCOME TO ST MARY'S APSLEY END

	Today Sun 9 th Sept	Next Sun (16 th Sept)	Diary Next Week (starting 10 th Sept)
8.00am	No Service	No Service	
10.00am	Sung Eucharist	Sung Eucharist	
Presiding	Richard Howlett	Angela Milton	
Warden	Sue Jakeman	Dan Shirley	
Sidesperson	Woods family	Veronica Cheshire	
Reading	Rosemary Bladon	Katharine Harper	
Intercessions	Katharine Harper	Laura GB	
Offertory	Brunhilde Davies & Melanie Henley	Woods family	
Chalice	Katherine Howlett	Katharine Harper	
2 nd Counter	Harry GB	Jim Aylott	
Coffee	Sylvia Low & Janet Wright	Wendy Frampton-Salter & Clare Denny	
Organist	Peter Lipman	Peter Lipman	
Richard is at:	St Mary's	St Benedict's	
5.00pm	Choir practice	3.00 Messy Harvest	
6.00pm	Evening Prayer		

Please pray for Patricia Land, Eileen Kemp, Hedley & Doreen Crago, Brenda Frost, Clare Tofield Wallington and Mia Keene.

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-3.30pm, Thurs 12.30pm-3.00pm, Fri 11.30-2.30pm)



Notices

To include a notice please contact stmarysapsleyend@gmail.com (deadline 12.00 noon each Tuesday for the following Sunday please)

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

Please note PCC will be on a different day and at a different venue- just this once! **Weds 19th September**, at St Benedict's Church, Peascroft Road 7.45 for 8pm. Our thanks to St Benedict's for accommodating us.

The **DENS high needs list for Harvest** is at the back of the church.

Many thanks to those who were in church yesterday to welcome people who took part in the Beds & Herts Sponsored Bike and Hike. There will be a report at the 10am service today on how Rosemary got on and hopefully how much she raised.

This evening there will be a service at 6pm of Evening Prayer. To prepare for this David Heath will be holding a choir practice at 5pm. So if you enjoy singing please join us as we sing some well known hymns.

Next Sunday **16th September 3 pm** – Messy Harvest – all welcome!

If you would like to help with **decorating for our Harvest Festival**. Please add your name to the list at the back of church – at the position you prefer. Or just bring flowers or produce for others to use. We will be doing the decorating on Sat 6th Oct from 10am. Thank you; Rosemary

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land. Rev Lizzie Hood will be taking a group on pilgrimage from 19th to 28th Mar 2019. Brochure is available in church, further copies from Norma or Lizzie. Enquiries/bookings to Lizzie on 01442 264860 or Lizziehood@aol.com

There will be a **Pet Thanksgiving Service** at St Benedict's on Sunday 23rd September at 4pm. Why not bring your pet? Photos of deceased pets also welcome!

Confirmation Group is now meeting Sunday evenings at 7.30pm at St Benedict's church. If you cannot come this time, please speak to Richard to 'go on the waiting list' as we shall be pleased to offer another course in the new year. Please contact Richard for more details.

If anyone would like to join one or more of the Sunday Rotas, please let Janet Wright know by Sunday 9th Sept. janet@apsleyend.co.uk or 01442 252519

The September Benefice newsletter is now available at the back of the church

Practical issue

Decorators will be starting the interior church decorating on Mon 17th Sept for around a month. The church will be in some variable turmoil, but the refectory will not be affected.

Thank you to the **fabric committee** for all their work in planning this

Could you **sponsor our organist and music** at one of our Sunday morning services? Perhaps in memory of a loved one? Please speak to Peter Bladon.

There will be a meeting concerning the Christmas Bazaar on **Sunday 23rd September at 11.30am**. This is your chance to suggest any new ideas that you might have for new stalls that you might be willing to run or just come along to offer your help on the day itself.

Other dates for your diary:

Sun 7th Oct Harvest Festival
 Sat 17th Nov Christmas Bazaar