

WELCOME TO ST MARY'S APSLEY END

	Today Sun 23 rd Dec	Next Sun 30 th Dec	Diary Next Week (from 23 rd Dec)
8.00 am	No Service	No Service	MONDAY 10.00am Working Party 11.00am Service at Water Mill Care home 3.30pm Christingle/crib service 11.15pm Midnight Mass
10.00 am	Sung Eucharist	Sung Eucharist	TUESDAY 10.00am Sung Eucharist for Christmas Day
Presiding	Guy Buckler	Richard Howlett	WEDNESDAY
Warden	Rosemary Bladon	Sylvia Low	THURSDAY
Sidesperson	Graham-Browns	Ann Wiggins	9.00am Morning Prayer
Reading	Susan Rivett	Rosemary Bladon	9.30am Holy Communion
Intercessions	Viv Hagel	Sue Jakeman	FRIDAY
Offertory	Hazel Littlejohns & Brunhilde Davies	Woods family	10.00am Working Party
Chalice	Janet Wright	Katherine Howlett	SATURDAY
2 nd Counter	Roger Witts	Jim Aylott	10.00 Community Café
Coffee	Lucie Kubinova & Tina Howard	Wendy Frampton-Salter & Clare Denny	
Organist	Andrew McCormick	Melanie Plumley	
Richard is at:	St Benedict's	St Mary's	

Please pray for Patricia Land, Eileen Kemp, Hedley & Doreen Crago, Brenda Frost, Clare Tofield-Wallington, Daphne Wicks and Ted Adcock.

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 11.30am-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.

Many thanks to the member of our congregation who has sponsored our organist today as well as our other Christmas services. Talking about sponsorship, in the new year you will be able to sponsor a hymn of your choice. So watch this space!

Today after the 10am service we will be making the Christingles which will be given out on Christmas Eve. All are welcome to come along and support the service that marks the beginning of the Christmas season as Mary and Joseph reach the stable.

Please note our Christmas services at **11.15pm on Christmas Eve**, when the church will be lit with 180 candles or the **10am service on Christmas Day**.

Richard has arranged to take a Eucharist at Water Mill Care Home on **24 December Christmas Eve at 11am**. Everyone is welcome.

We need some more people to contribute to the **welcome boxes for clients at Nascent House**. Also we need Christmas items – crackers, food (no alcohol). If you would like to help by donating goods or money please speak to Viv Hagel or Susan Rivett.

St Mary's Christmas cards are available at the back of church to send to anyone you think might like to be remembered at this time, please update the list that is with the cards.

Thanks to all who came carol singing at Sainsbury's last Friday. Over £133 was collected for DENS on the evening, and we all enjoyed the mulled wine and mince pies after the event! Thanks also to those who came to the Water Mill Care home on Tuesday night on our final carol singing outing of 2018!

The DENS Christmas list is at the back of church, detailing what DENS most need at the moment for their clients.

Many thanks to those who have given **donations for the Christmas Flowers**. If you have not contributed yet there is still time. Please put your donation in the basket at the back of church

On **Saturday 5th January** there will be another of our Epiphany Games afternoon – please try to join us between 2 and 5pm.

The new church diary is now out at the back of church for you to view if you have not got access to the online church calendar.

Other Dates for your diary:

- Mon 24 Dec 3.30pm - Crib/Christingle service
- Mon 24 Dec 11.15pm 'Midnight Mass
- Tues 25 Dec 10am – Christmas Day Eucharist
- Sat 5th Jan 2-5pm Epiphany Games

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