

# WELCOME TO THE WEEKLY BULLETIN FOR ST MARY'S APSLEY END

	Today Sunday 4 Aug	Next Week Sunday 11 Aug	Diary for this week (From 5 Aug)
<b>8.00am</b>	<b>No Service</b>	<b>No Service</b>	<b>MONDAY 5<sup>th</sup></b> 10.00am Working Party 8.00pm Bell ringing practice
<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Sung Eucharist</b>	<b>Sung Eucharist</b>	<b>TUESDAY 6<sup>th</sup></b> No Buzzy Bees until 10 <sup>th</sup> Sept <b>WEDNESDAY 7<sup>th</sup></b> 7.00pm Games group <b>THURSDAY 8<sup>th</sup></b> 9.00am Morning Prayer 9.30am Holy Communion 10.15am No Bible Study Group until 5 <sup>th</sup> Sept 11.00am Funeral of Arthur Fanning 7.00pm AA in Refectory 8.00pm House Group at 28 Manorville Rd <b>FRIDAY 9<sup>th</sup></b> 10.00am Working Party <b>SATURDAY 10<sup>th</sup></b> Deanery outing to Ely 10.00am Saturday Café <b>SUNDAY 11<sup>th</sup></b> Baptism of Aidan O'Neill within 10am service
Presiding	James McDonald	Richard Howlett	
Warden	Rosemary Bladon	Tim Ward	
Sidesperson	Ann Wiggins	Boggis/ Buck family	
Reading	Adwoa Agyeiwaa	Delia Aylott	
Intercessions	Laura G-B	Dan Shirley	
Offertory	Joy West & Ann Hall	Iffy Nkenke & Lilian Hepwood	
Chalice	Peter Bladon	Katherine Howlett	
2 <sup>nd</sup> Counter	Colin Rivett	Jim Aylott	
Coffee	Jan & Trevor Wilson	Graham-Browns	
Sunday School	Special summer groups	Special summer groups	
Organist	Andrew McCormick	Melanie Henley on her flute	
Richard is at:	St Benedict's	St Mary's	
<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>No Service</b>	<b>No Service</b>	

## Please pray for

Eileen Kemp, Hedley and Doreen Crago and Clare Tofield-Wallington.

## St Mary's Collect for Growth

*Dear Lord, please help us grow St Mary's Church. As we grow in love of you, draw new people week by week into this church family. May we show your love to all, within and beyond our walls. In Jesus' name. Amen*

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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, events or people for prayer in this bulletin email [stmarysapsleyend@gmail.com](mailto:stmarysapsleyend@gmail.com) or contact one of the churchwardens or the vicar (deadline 12.00 noon each Tuesday for the following Sunday please).

**Gluten Free wafers are available. Please ask the Warden or a Sidesperson.**

**The summertime board in the refectory** needs photos of people waving from their holidays, days out, or waving other people off. Please either email photos to Laura at [lauragb168@gmail.com](mailto:lauragb168@gmail.com) or lend her a paper copy to scan and return, the more the better!

Pauline **needs fruit suitable for jamming (and jam jars)** for her magnificent stall at the Christmas Bazaar. Please call her on 07814 382 142 to arrange collection.

There is a lovely article about **Peter Ward** on the St Mary's news section of the Benefice website

<http://beneficeoflangelei.org.uk/stmarys>

**The Benefice Quiet Day** will be on 31<sup>st</sup> Aug 10.00-4.00 at St Paul's Church, Chipperfield, led by Mary Salter. The cost will be £10.00 per person, please bring a packed lunch. The sign-up sheet is at the back of church.

We have a **closed (i.e. non-public) Facebook group** to share news, ideas, prayers and friendship at St Mary's, Apsley End. Please do join by speaking to Janet W, Katharine Harper or Dan S for an invitation.

If you would like to have a collection box to support **The Children's Society** please speak with Hazel Littlejohns or Peter Bladon for further information.

Please all feel free to **contribute to this weekly bulletin** and don't assume that someone else will inform the editors. Contact details are at the top of this page.

Would you be able to **sponsor our organist or music at one of our Sunday services?**

Perhaps in memory of a loved one? Please speak to Peter Bladon for information.

**All PCC members MUST** please ensure they have completed the C0 child protection course by 24 Aug and sent the certificate to both Harry and Susan Rivett.

There is a list at the back of church for the **items currently needed by DENS.**

The **next Benefice Newsletter articles** are due before 18 Aug to [mikeandjean23@btinternet.com](mailto:mikeandjean23@btinternet.com) It would be very helpful to have contributions as soon as possible.

Tony Woods is **cycling 100 miles today in the 'Prudential Ride London' race** in aid of Age UK Dacorum. His Just giving page is [www.justgiving.com/fundraising/tony-woods3](http://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/tony-woods3) or there is a form at the back of church.

Go Tony Go! **Buzzy Bees** are on their summer break now until Tues 10<sup>th</sup> Sept, as are the **Thurs am bible study** group until Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> Sept.

Enjoy a **summer ramble** with friends from churches across Hemel on Sat 17 Aug. See poster or our website for details.

**The Bike 'n' Hike** this year takes place on Sat 14<sup>th</sup> Sept from 9am to 5pm. Rosemary is hoping again to take part to raise money for church. If you would be willing to sponsor her there is a form at the back of church to sign, or ask her, she will no doubt have a form about her person! Many Thanks.

**A Benefice Barn Dance** will be held at Nash Mills CofE Primary School Hall on 14<sup>th</sup> Sept. Tickets including food (Fish and Chips) as follows: Adults £12, children £6, Family Ticket (2 Adults, 2 Children under 12) £30, available from Sue Jakeman from 18<sup>th</sup> Aug. Chicken or Veggie options available. Food order to be in by 8<sup>th</sup> Sept. Hope you can come!

The **Deanery Outing to Ely** is fully booked

## Further Dates for your diary:

- 29 Sept Harvest Festival
- 26 Oct 3.00pm Organ recital
- 16 Nov Christmas Bazaar
- 6-8 December Angel Festival

Janet W 1-Aug-19