

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

	Today Sun 12 th Jan	Next week Sun 19 th Jan	Diary for this week (from 13 th Jan)
8.00am	No service	No service	MONDAY 13th 10.00am Working Party 7.30pm Prayers for Health and Healing group meets 27 Chambersbury Lane 8.00pm Bell ringing practice
10.00am	Sung Eucharist	Sung Eucharist	TUESDAY 14th 9.30am Buzzy Bees WEDNESDAY 15th 7.00pm Games Group THURSDAY 16th 09.00am Morning Prayer 09.30am Holy Communion 10.15am Study group 12.15pm for 12.30pm Solo Plus Lunch at The Plough, Leverstock Green 7.00pm AA meet in refectory 8.00pm House group meets at 28 Manorville Road FRIDAY 17th 10.00am Working Party SATURDAY 18th 10.00am Community Café 10.00am Fabric Group meeting in the Refectory
Presiding	Lizzie Hood	Richard Howlett	
Warden	Tim Ward	Tim Ward	
Sidesperson	Adrian Whalley	Katharine Harper	
Welcomer	Janet Wright	Viv Hagel	
Reading	Rosemary Bladon	Joy West	
Intercessions	Katharine Harper	Fiona Shirley	
Offertory	Fiona Ellison & Ann Hall	Sunday School	
Chalice	Susan Rivett	Rosemary Bladon	
2 nd Counter	Jim Aylott	Trevor Wilson	
Coffee	Colin & Susan Rivett	Wendy F-S & Clare Denny	
Sunday School	Lilian and Peter	Peter and Jan	
Organist	Laura Cahillane	Paul Hopper	
3.00pm	-----	Messy Church	
5.00pm	Evening Prayer	No service	
Richard is at:	St Benedict's	St Mary's	

Please pray for
Eileen Kemp,
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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Notices



To include a notice, event or people for prayer in this bulletin email 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 and alcohol-free wine are available - just ask a Warden or Sidesperson.

SYSTEM for COMMUNION: If you need either a gluten-free wafer, alcohol-free wine, a blessing only or are a Child Communicant, **please pick up the relevant coloured card on your way up to the communion rail** and put it on the rail in front of you so it is visible. Please replace the cards after use.

The Prayers for Health and Healing Group will meet tomorrow, Monday 13th January 7.30pm at 27 Chambersbury Lane. If you would like to request any prayers or require further details please speak with Sue Jakeman or Viv Hagel.

The **Solo Plus Lunch** for January will take place at **The Plough, Leverstock Green this Thursday 16th January, 12.15pm for 12.30pm**. Please see the sheet at the back of church and **choices of main and dessert courses need to be with Joy West by today, Sunday 12th January**, thank you.

Messy Church 3.00pm next Sunday 19th January, when we will be celebrating our Messy Church 7th birthday. Join us for fun, crafts and a baked potato tea, everyone welcome!

From now on, all our service books should have welcome Information stuck or printed inside the front cover. This also gives information about the current time in the church's year. If you find a book that does not include this information, please point it out to Janet or a warden as we are sure to have missed some!

Would you be willing to join the cleaning rota for either the brass or the toilets? If so please speak with Peter Bladon as the new rota will shortly be prepared and we are desperate for some new faces!! Please do not leave it to the faithful few!!

Janet is going to be assisting with another **CAP (Christians against Poverty)** money course in January. This is designed to help people budget and better manage their finances. See the poster in the refectory and/or ask Janet for a flier or further information. It is a fun, remarkably straightforward course!

Would you be willing to arrange/supply the Sanctuary flowers for one or two weeks over the coming year? If you are please put your name on the list at the back of church, or speak with Rosemary.

You can now **pay for church events and collections with your credit/debit card or 'phone** using our new "Sumup" machine. If you have any doubts about how to use it please see Peter for assistance.

Further Dates for your diary:

- 13th January 7.30pm Prayers for Health and Healing group meets
- 16th January 12.15pm Solo Plus Lunch
- 19th January 3.00pm Messy Church
- 26th February Ash Wednesday
- 22nd March Mothering Sunday
- 12th April Easter Day