

# WELCOME TO THE WEEKLY BULLETIN

## for St Mary's Apsley End and St Benedict's Bennetts End

	This week Sun 13 Sept	Next week Sun 20 Sept	Diary for this week
<b>10am</b>	<b>Eucharist at St B's &amp; on Zoom. All Saint's joining via Zoom</b>	<b>Eucharist at St M's &amp; on Zoom.</b>	<b>MONDAY 14<sup>th</sup> September</b> <u>10am-12</u> Working Party at St M's
Presiding	Richard Howlett	Richard Howlett	<b>WEDNESDAY</b> <u>9am-4pm</u> St B's open for private prayer
Warden	Enitan Onabamiro	Sylvia Low	<u>5.00pm</u> Wardens/vicar/sec wklly meeting via Zoom
Sidesperson	St B's	Viv Hagel	<b>THURSDAY</b> <u>09.00am</u> Morning Prayer at St M's
Welcomers	St B's	tba	<u>9.30am</u> Communion at St M's
Reading	Shirley family	Rosemary Bladon	<u>10.15am</u> Bible Study at St M's
Intercessions	St B's	Adrian Whalley (via zoom)	<u>8.00pm</u> Study group via Zoom
<b>11.15am</b>	<b>Sunday School via Zoom</b>	<b>Sunday School via Zoom</b>	<b>FRIDAY</b> <u>10am-12</u> Working Party at St M's
<b>3.00pm</b>		<b>Messy Church via Zoom</b>	<b>SATURDAY</b> <u>10.00am</u> Saturday Café via Zoom
<b>Evening services</b>	<b>Evensong via Zoom at 6.30pm</b>	<b>Evening prayer at St B's at 5pm</b>	

<p><b>St B's Collect for Growth</b> Dear God, fill our hearts with your love and the glow of your Holy Spirit. Grow this church family within our community and let your good news spread. <b>Amen.</b></p>	<p><b>St M's Collect for Growth</b> 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. <b>In Jesus' name. Amen</b></p>
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### Notices

While our two churches are worshipping together via Zoom on Sunday mornings, we are using a combined bulletin.  
**Please contribute information, dates, notices etc.**  
The more we're sent, the more useful it will be!  
Please email items to [stmarysapsleyend@gmail.com](mailto:stmarysapsleyend@gmail.com) by 12.00 noon each Wednesday.

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**Evensong today**, 13<sup>th</sup> Sept, will take place on Zoom and **not** in church.

**On the 20<sup>th</sup> Sept the 10am service will be from St M's.** It is **essential** that you book if you wish to attend in person.  
**Please book** either by emailing [stmarysapsleyend@gmail.com](mailto:stmarysapsleyend@gmail.com) or by phoning Dan Shirley on 07946 736267.

**Sunday school is still 11.15am on Zoom.**  
The Zoom link is in the calendar.

**We still have all the usual church expenses to pay.** To make your weekly offering electronically or by cheque, please contact:  
St M's Treasurer, Peter Bladon, on 01442 257108 or [bladon2010@btinternet.com](mailto:bladon2010@btinternet.com)  
St B's Treasurer, Alison Murray on [alisonj.murray@btinternet.com](mailto:alisonj.murray@btinternet.com)  
**Any donations would be very warmly welcomed, however small or large!** You can also donate via buttons on the church website.

Are you on **the churches' email list?**  
Click on the green button on <https://beneficeoflangelei.org.uk/stmarys/> to join. This is a good way of hearing what is going on.

**Thank you to those that supported Susan with her cycle ride.** She cycled 67.1 miles with an average speed of 11.00mph and climbing 3,491 ft (more than the height of Snowdon)! With gift aid, she has now raised £531.25 for RDA which is brilliant.

**Messy Church** will be on **Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> 3pm via zoom.** This time it will be a little different and those who want to join in will have **a pack delivered to them.** If you want to join in and receive the pack **please contact:** Laura G-B on [lauragb168@gmail.com](mailto:lauragb168@gmail.com)

**Electoral Roll.** We will be revising the electoral roll prior to the annual meetings on 11 Oct. If anyone would like to either join or leave the roll please ask Janet Wright for the relevant form on [stmarysapsleyend@gmail.com](mailto:stmarysapsleyend@gmail.com).

**A big thank you** to everyone who has stalwartly continued to supply items or cash donations for **Oxygen Recovery (Nascent House)** since the start of lockdown. Every resident since March received a Welcome Box! There have been a few changes to the scheme but it continues to be very appreciated. If you wish to know more or to join this scheme, please email Susan ([rivetts@aol.com](mailto:rivetts@aol.com)) or Viv ([Vivan.hagel@ntlworld.com](mailto:Vivan.hagel@ntlworld.com)) to find out more.

**The September Benefice Newsletter** is available via the Benefice website. It makes a very good read! Thanks very much to Jean & Mike for their usual good job.

**Further dates for your diary:**

**Sun 27 Sept** Harvest Family Service at St M's & on Zoom

**30 Sept at 7pm** Fabric committee meeting

**Sun 4 Oct** Harvest Eucharist at St B's & on Zoom  
Theme is 'Creating a Buzz in Nepal' for both harvests

**Sun 11 Oct** APCM for St M's

**Sun 18 Oct** APCM for St B's

**Weds 4 Nov** PCC meeting St M's via Zoom

Marina McKenna 11-Sep-20