

## This Week at St Mary's Church Apsley & Nash Mills

Monday	Tuesday	Thursday
<b>10am - 12.00</b> Working Party  <b>8pm - 9.30pm</b> Bellringing practice	<b>9.30am</b> Buzzy Bees	<b>9.00 - 9.30am</b> Morning Prayer  <b>9.30am</b> Mid-week Communion Service  <b>8pm</b> Home Study Group
Friday	Saturday	Next Sunday
<b>10.00 -12.00</b> Working Party  <b>10.00-11.45</b> Coffee & Games (2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> weeks of the month)	<b>10.00 -12.00</b> Community Café	<b>14<sup>th</sup> June</b> <b>9.30am Parish Service</b>  <b>4pm Saint Benedict's Service</b>

Please send any input for next week to Sue in the Benefice office by noon on Wednesday [info@beneficeoflangelei.org.uk](mailto:info@beneficeoflangelei.org.uk) and copy it to [StMarysApsleyEnd@gmail.com](mailto:StMarysApsleyEnd@gmail.com)

	7 <sup>th</sup> June	14 <sup>th</sup> June
	<b>9.30 All Age</b>	<b>9.30 Parish Eucharist</b>
<b>Music</b>	Mark Terry	Ian Hope
<b>Warden</b>	Harry GB	Sue Jakeman
<b>Sides duty</b>	Peter Bladon	Fiona Shirley
<b>Welcomer</b>	Katharine Harper	Pauline Buck
<b>OT &amp; NT Reader</b>	Sue Jakeman	Sylvia Low
<b>Gospel Reader</b>	Fiona Shirley	Sue Jakeman
<b>Prayers/ Intercessions</b>	Viv Hagel	Sue Jakeman
<b>Offertory</b>	Ann Wiggins Ian Dixon	Roger Witts Angela Witts
<b>Chalice/ 1<sup>st</sup> Counter</b>	Peter Bladon	Sue Jakeman
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Counter</b>	Jim Aylott	Harry GB
<b>Refreshments</b>	Viv Hagel Melanie Henley	Ann Wiggins Lilian Hepwood
<b>Sunday School</b>	n/a	Sylvia Low

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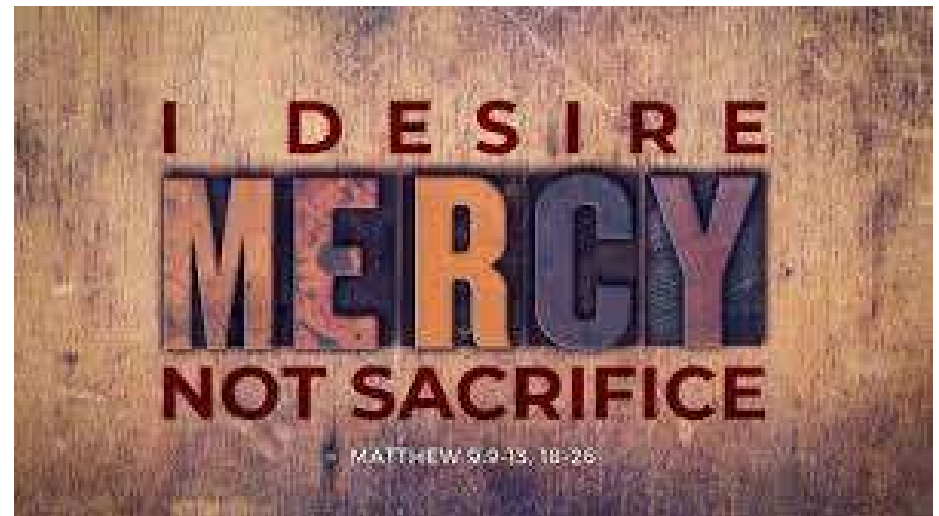
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# St Mary's Church News Sheet

Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> June, 2026

First Sunday after Trinity



St Marys is a church for everyone, young and old, and everyone in between. We are delighted to welcome you today. Whether you are a regular worshipper or joining us for the first time, you are very welcome at our 9.30am All In, All Age Service. As it's an All In service, everyone stays in together today and there are no separate children's groups. Children are a big part of everything we do here, so please don't worry about any wriggles or noise, just relax and let them join in. If you need anything during the service, please feel free to ask someone sitting nearby, who will be very pleased to help. After the service, do stay for refreshments and a chat in the Refectory at the back of the church.

### A reading from John 15:1-8

"I am the true vine, and my father is the gardener. He cuts off every branch in me that bears no fruit, while every branch that does bear fruit, he prunes so that it will be even more fruitful. You are already clean because of the word I have spoken to you. Remain in me, as I also remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me. "I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing. If you do not remain in me, you are like a branch that is thrown away and withers; such branches are picked up, thrown into the fire and burned. If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you. This is to my Father's glory, that you bear much fruit, showing yourselves to be my disciples.

### Galatians 5 v 13,14 & 22 - 26

You, my brothers and sisters, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the flesh; rather, serve one another humbly in love. For the entire law is fulfilled in keeping this one command: "Love your neighbour as yourself." But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law. Those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit. Let us not become conceited, provoking and envying each other.

# NOTICE

### Children's Society Boxes

It's time for all boxes to be emptied again! Please bring to church, my house or let me know if you need it collected. Thank you for continuing to support this charity helping children, young people and their families. My number is on the base of the box.  
Hazel Littlejohns

### Choral Evensong on 7<sup>th</sup> June 4.30

at All Saints, Kings Langley celebrating Music Sunday. Music including Sumsion, Daley and Howells. Come and enjoy a musical afternoon! Service followed by fizz and nibbles.

**Summer Garden Party - Saturday 13 June, 2 - 5pm**, at the home of Becky and Phil Leach: Northend Cottage, Bedmond Rd, Leverstock Green HP3 8LH. Raising money for Holy Trinity Church and Sunnyside Rural Trust. Entrance £5 (children free). Refreshments and plant sale.

### Sponsorship for our organists

Today our organist is Mark Terry who is sponsored by an anonymous doner. If you enjoy having the organ accompany our worship, you can be a sponsor. Mark a Birthday, Anniversary or a notable event or just because. Please contact a churchwarden – Sue Jakeman or Viv Hagel for more information

### Welcome Boxes for Nascent House

Thank you to everyone who has generously donated towards the welcome boxes. We are currently in need of shampoo (no alcohol), disposable razors, flannels, notepads, notebooks and washbags. Please leave in box at back of church or give to Viv or Katharine. Many thanks.

### Donate to St Mary's

Please support St Mary's by using this QR code to donate. Thank you.



### Dates for your diary

Sun 7<sup>th</sup> June 4.30pm  
Choral Evensong at All Saints  
Sat 13<sup>th</sup> June 2pm-5pm  
Summer Garden Party at Becky's  
Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June 11.30am  
Messy Party  
Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July 4.30pm  
Sacred Space at Holy Trinity  
Sat 11<sup>th</sup> July 2pm  
Tea Party Fair



### Come and join us –

**Mondays & Fridays 10am-12noon**  
Working Party in Churchyard and church  
**2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays 10am – 11.45am**  
Coffee and Games in the Refectory.

### Morning services around the team

All are welcome to mid-week Morning Prayer and Holy Communion services

Tuesdays	St Benedict's – 9am Prayer Meeting
Wednesdays	Holy Trinity - 9am MP, 10am HC
Thursdays	St Mary's – 9am MP, 9.30am HC
Fridays	All Saints - 9am MP, 10am HC