

THIS WEEK - DIARY DATES

Morning Prayers: Monday to Thursday 9.15am

Wednesday 18th October – 11am Eucharist

Friday 20th October 1pm – Wedding: Lauren Barker

& Ellis Roberts

Sunday 22nd October 2017

8am Eucharist (said)
10am Eucharist (sung)
Readings: Isaiah 45:1-7; 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10;
Matthew 22:15-22 (RCL Pg 393)

On duty on 22nd October 2017

Creche: Mary M.
Childrens Church: Carol W.
Welcomers: Gillian B, John B.
Sidesmen: Ann S, Ann R.
Readers: Ann R, Ian L.
Servers: Pete W, Séan
Intercessor: Mat W
Lay Administration: Mat W, Michael F, Pete W, Carol T.
Coffee: Dale K.

NOTICES.



Today 4.30pm Concert – reflecting on the 500th anniversary of the Reformation. See Posters.

Harvest Lunch – Thank you to all who made contributions in so many ways to make this event such a success. The magnificent sum of £335 was raised for Montgomery Heights.

Community Lunch Monday 16th October 12.30pm

Please sign list at back of church if you wish to attend.

Monday Evening Study Group 16th October 8pm St. Marys

Hall. What do you know about the Old Testament? Ann will be leading the 2nd of 4 monthly meetings on the Old Testament and its relevance to our personal Christian faith. This session focuses on 'the Torah' All most welcome.

Sunday 5th November Choral Evensong for All Saints 6.30pm

Preacher: Rev. Dr. Justin Lewis-Anthony. Followed by **Sausage Sizzle Supper in St. Mary's Hall.** Please sign list to book your supper, donations on the day – surplus to Montgomery Heights

Saturday 18th November Christmas Fayre 10am – 12.30pm.

A note for your diaries, further details to come.

Christmas is Coming!

Bowls suitable for bulbs would be much appreciated.

To Geoff Voss Please.

Southside House Group.

Mary and Colin are hoping to resume meetings as soon as possible after Christmas.

Appeal for Cake!

Please can you sign sheet at back of church, if you can offer to bake for any of the following:-

The Reformation Concert on Sunday 15th October

Tea after the Autumn Car Outing on Saturday 21st October

All Souls Memorial Tea on Sunday 29th October.

There are more cake dates in November but if we could start with these that would be great – thank you. Ysmena.

Appeal for Peal Ringers.

Are you looking for a new challenge? Come and join the St. Mary's Bell Ringers; ages 8 to 80 would be very welcome!

Due to ill health and team members moving away, we are looking to bring our team back to full strength. We are a very happy and welcoming group. Please contact Mike Franklin 01920 466622 or ringing@stmarysware.co.uk.

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WELCOME

Sunday 15th October – 18th Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to St. Mary's this morning. If you are visiting or here for the first time we hope you feel at home, and please do make yourself known. Please make use of the creche corner if this is helpful. When we come to share communion please join everyone in coming forward to receive the bread and wine if that is what you usually do, or come for a prayer of blessing. Refreshments are served in the hall after the service.

Today's Services.

8am Eucharist (said)
10am Eucharist (sung) & Baptism:
James Terence Anthony Hawken

Readings :

Philippians 4:1-9. (verses 4-9 only at 10am)
Matthew 22:1-14: (RCL Pg 388)

For your prayers.

The World Church: Swaziland: Ellinah Ntfombi Wamukoya

The Diocese: Ravensden (Sharnbrook).

Living God's Love: Going deeper into God: All who visit places of worship during the day.

The Parish: Director of Music and Choir members

The Deanery: St. Andrews, Hertford.

All who live in: Clarks Close and Clifton Way.

Please remember those on our prayer board and for those that mourn, together with the souls of those whose anniversaries fall at this time, including **Winifred Wright and Olive Godfrey**

All are welcome to add a name to the Prayer Board by the Lady Chapel. To add a name to the Remembrance List of those who have died, please contact the Parish Office.

On duty today – 10am

Creche: Kathy P.
Childrens Church: Celia T.
Welcomers: Olive W, Valerie B.
Sidesmen: Jackie T, Ian L, Mary B.
Readers: Derek D.
Servers: Derek D, Mike F, Pete W.
Intercessor: Mike W
Lay Administration: Dale K, Pat C, David H, Mike F.
Coffee: David H, Liz H.

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