

THIS WEEK - DIARY DATES

No morning prayers 21st August to 1st September 2017.

Wednesday 23rd August 2017 – 11am Eucharist

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WELCOME

Sunday 27th August 2017

8am Eucharist (said) Rev. David Dewey
10am Eucharist (sung) Rev. Ann Voss
Readings: Isaiah 51.1-6; Romans 12.1-8;
Matthew 16.13-20: (RCL Pg 339).

On duty on 27th August 2017

Creche: Mary M, Phyllis B.
Childrens Church:
Welcomers: Pat C, Celia T.
Sidesmen: Mary B, Ann S.
Readers: Pete W, Ann R.
Servers: Derek D, Tim C, Mike F.
Intercessor: Bonnie.
Lay Administration: Colin M, Ian L, Derek D, Kathy P.
Coffee: Simon P, Kathy P.

NOTICES.

Montgomery Heights Quiz Evening

The magnificent sum of £588.45 was raised at this event. Thank you to all who helped and attended on the evening to make it such a success.

Rota October to December - Unavailability Dates.

For those that do not receive the email, could you please let Lynn know your unavailability dates for October to December, by the 30th August please.

Monday 21st August 12.30pm Community Lunch

Please sign the list at the back of the church if you would like to attend.

Saturday 26th August Love Ware Live Ware Free Event

At King George Field for all the family, craft, games, face painting, BBQ and more. Can you help on the day or provide a cake for the event. Contact Jackie Turner 01920 460406

Wednesday 30th August 2017 Southside Outing to Elstow & Moggerhanger.

A few places still available contact Mary Millett 01920 465216

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land 23/4/-2/5/2018

Detailed information and booking forms available from Ysmena. We will stay in Jerusalem and Nazareth. The tour operator is the very experienced McCabe Pilgrimages.

North Transept Redecoration – August 2017

We have started re-decorating the North Transept. We apologise for the disruption but it is being done at this time to minimise the problems and we are sure that you will all agree that a new coat of paint is required. – The Church Wardens.

Childrens Society

Many thanks to all house box holders who have contributed a total of £329.73 to the Society this year. Anyone interested in supporting this charity as a house box holder please contact Kath Kirby.

Friday Study Group Dates

The meetings will be held on 29th September, 27th October and 24th November at 2pm in the Choir Vestry. Using the Pilgrim series focused on the Bible. New members very welcome, contact Mark or Kath Kirby 01920 465976.

Saturday 14th October Reflective Day St. Katherine's Foundation, Limehouse. 10am-4pm £40 (bursaries available).

Led by Cannon Mark Oakley on Love took my hand. To book: St. Paul's Cathedral Adult Learning, then Reflective Days.

Sunday 20th August 10th 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) Rev. David Dewey
10am Eucharist (sung) Rev. Ann Voss
Preacher: Rev. David Dewey

Readings :

Isaiah 56. 1,6-8;
Romans 11.1-2a,29-32;
Matthew 15.21-28: (RCL Pg 336)

For your prayers.

The World Church: Rochester (ECUSA): Prince Singh.
The Diocese: St. Ippolyts (Hitchin).
Living God's Love: Making new disciples: Those who choose to have their marriage in Church.
The Parish: School Crossing Patrols.
The Deanery: Little Berkhamstead with Bayford.
All who live in: Bluecoat Yard and Bourne Close.

Please remember those on our prayer board and for those that mourn, especially the family and friends of **Joan Brooks**, together with the souls of those whose anniversaries fall at this time, including **Catherine Ansell**

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: Jackie T.
Childrens Church:
Welcomers: Margaret M, Graham M.
Sidesmen: Michael W, Ian L.
Readers: Derek D, Olive W.
Servers: Tim C, Anne C, Pete W.
Intercessor: Phyllis B.
Lay Administration: Michael W, Dale K, Malcolm F-J, Carol T.
Coffee: Dale K, Séan K.

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