

THIS WEEK - DIARY DATES

Morning Prayer: Monday to Thursday 9.15am.

Monday 9th April 2pm Funeral: June Bass

Thursday 12th April 2pm Funeral: Michael Record.

Saturday 14th April 4.30pm Satchurch

Church of St Mary the Virgin, Ware

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WELCOME

Sunday 8th April 2018 – Easter 2

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: Verity Ballantyne

Readings :

Acts 4:32-35;
John 20:19-end. (RCL Pg 547)

For your prayers.

The World Church: Church of the Province of Indian Ocean:
James Wong Yin
The Diocese: Great Barford (Biggleswade)
Living God's Love: Going deeper into God: All who teach in
Sunday Schools.
The Parish: Peace in our Community/Nation/World.
The Deanery: Hertingfordbury.
All who live in: Rockfield Avenue & Roke Wood Mews.

Please remember those on our prayer board and for those that mourn, especially the family and friends of **June Bass and Michael Record** together with the souls of those whose anniversaries fall at this time especially: **Margaret Beazley, Bob Wright and Marjorie Bishop.**

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: Mary M,
Childrens Church: Jackie T.
Welcomers: Gillian B, John B.
Sidesmen: Ann S, Mary B.
Readers: Kay L.
Servers: Tim C, Pete W, Malcolm F-J.
Intercessor: Ann R.
Lay Administration: David H, Kath K, Colin M, Carol T.
Coffee: Bonnie W, Zara K.

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Sunday 15th April 2018

8am Eucharist (said)
10am Eucharist (sung)
Readings: Zephaniah 3:14-end (RCL PG 1173); Acts 3:12-19;
Luke 24:36b-48: (RCL Pg 551)
3pm Civic Service

On duty on 15th April 2018

Creche: Kathy P.
Childrens Church: Carol W.
Welcomers: Pat C, Olive W.
Sidesmen: Bonnie, Mike W.
Readers: Anne C, Mike W.
Servers: Derek D, Anne C, Mike F.
Intercessor: Roger H.
Lay Administration: Michael W, Malcolm F-J, Dale, Simon P.
Coffee: David H, Liz H.

NOTICES.

Office.

With effect from Wednesday 11th April the office hours will change to 9am to 12 noon (Wednesday and Friday).

Easter Cards – Thank you to Maureen Johnson for raising £170 from the sale of Easter Cards.

Verity Kate Ballantyne's Baptism Today.

Emma, Ian, Graham and Margaret invite you to join them after the service to celebrate Verity's baptism with coffee and cake in the hall.

USPG

A total of £157.20 from the Lent Lunch and Study Group will be sent to the USPG Lent Appeal to help tribal communities in Dalit, North India escape bonded labour and debt slavery.

Monday 16th April 12.30pm Community Lunch.

Please sign list at back of hall if you wish to come.

Thursday 19th April 7.15pm All Saints Church Hertford -

Adrian Plass "Out of his Head" celebrating 30 years of writing and performance. (Lots of memories, laughs, chat). Tickets £8 in advance £10 on the door. Buy from venue or www.searchlighttheatre.org.

Electoral Roll – With the Annual Church Meeting coming up we need to ensure that the Church's electoral roll is up to date. Please check with Mark Kirby if you are new to the church. Today is the last day for names to be added to the Electoral Roll.

Sunday 22nd April 11.30am St.Mary's

Annual General Meeting.

As advertised in the Quarterly.

During this meeting, we will be holding elections for PCC Members, together with the positions of Church Warden and Treasurer. Nomination forms for Church Wardens and four PCC members are on the table in the book corner.