

St Mary's News

Sunday 26 June 2022

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Today

3rd Sunday after Trinity

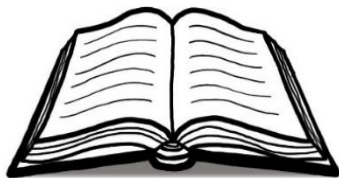
8am Holy Communion (BCP)

10am Parish Eucharist

Readings:

Isaiah 60. 1-9

Matthew 6. 9-15



The Collect for the 3rd Sunday after Trinity

Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts whereby we call you Father: give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that we and all creation may be brought to the glorious liberty of the children of God; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen

Next week

4th Sunday after Trinity

10am Parish Eucharist

Readings:

Colossians 1. 1-14

Luke 10. 25-37

The Collect for St Thomas

Almighty and eternal God, who, for the firmer foundation of our faith, allowed your holy apostle Thomas to doubt the resurrection of your Son till word and sight convinced him: grant to us, who have not seen, that we also may believe and so confess Christ as our Lord and our God; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Prayers for the Week

We pray today for all who live in Appletons and The Forstal.

From our Book of Remembrance

Joan Turner (4th)

Raymond Charles Norbury (4th)

Adam Simons (6th)

Patrick O' Sullivan (8th)

John Swinstead (9th)

Coffee After Church

Visitors are warmly welcomed; please join us for refreshments after today's 10am service.



This Week at a glance

Monday

Tuesday
5.30pm Yoga

Wednesday

9.30am Holy Communion
9.30 Pilates

10.30am Coffee Pots & Tiny Tots
7.30pm Bell ringing practice

Thursday

10am Food Bank
1.15pm Hadlow School year 3 visit
7.30pm Compline

Friday

7.15pm Choir Practice

Saturday

We thank Rev. Christopher Miles for leading our 8am and 10am services today, and we congratulate him on 60 years of licenced ministry.

For Children and Young People

Activity Bags for younger children are in baskets in the children's corner near the side entrance to church. There are also books, crayons etc.



Sunday Club: JAM (Jesus and Me)

Every week in term-time during the 10am service. Suitable for ages up to 11 years.

All visitors' children are very welcome

Church open

Starting this week, the church will be open every day between approximately 10am and 4pm. A big thank you to all the volunteers who offered to open and close the church.

Holiday at Home

Two days of friendship, chat, activities and meals for seniors. Monday 1st and Tuesday 2nd August, 10.30 - 3.30pm. Booking essential. For more information and to book, please contact Jenny: 01732 852386



Date for your Diary Organ Recital

Anthony le Fleming will be giving a short informal organ recital on Saturday 17 September at 6pm followed by refreshments. Also featuring Naomi Butterworth on cello.

Singing Mamas!

The Singing Mamas are back. From 21 July this women's singing group will meet on Thursdays, 10am-11.30am in the upper room at church. For mothers, sisters, grandmothers (and of course babies, toddlers and home-ed children). More details from hello@lauralamn.com

Café Plus

Every 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 1pm in church. An afternoon of crafts – knitting, crochet and sewing – and fun!

Some interesting sewing projects for you to join, or you can bring your knitting along if you prefer. Come along, have a cuppa and a chat while being creative.



SITUATIONS VACANT

Hadlow Newsletter Production

Anne Hughes has organised the folding and delivery of the Hadlow Newsletter for many years. She now wishes to retire so we desperately need a volunteer to take over. The job is not onerous but does need commitment. Please contact Anne for details of the post on 01732 850214 or email hadlow12@mail.com

Intercessors Needed

We have a new rota and a couple more people to lead the intercessions at the 10am service, but a few more would really help spread the load. If you think you might be able to have a go, even occasionally, please let Janice know. Guidance and help will be given.

Hospital Car Service

If you would like transport to a hospital or other medical appointment, please contact Mike Harvey on 01732 851881 or 07464 548448.



The Lord's Prayer

I Cannot Pray the Lord's Prayer

I cannot pray "**Our Father in heaven,**" if all my interests and pursuits are in earthly things.

I cannot pray "**hallowed be thy name,**" if I am not striving for God's help to be holy.

I cannot pray "**Thy kingdom come,**" if I am unwilling to accept God's rule in my life.

I cannot pray "**Thy will be done,**" if I am unwilling or resentful of having it in my life.

I cannot pray "**on earth as it is in heaven,**" unless I am truly ready to give myself to God's service here and now.

I cannot pray "**Give us this day our daily bread,**" without expending honest effort for it or if I would withhold from my neighbour the bread I receive.

I cannot pray "**forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us,**" if I continue to harbour a grudge against anyone.

I cannot pray "**Lead us not into temptation,**" if I choose to remain in a situation where I am likely to be tempted.

I cannot pray "**deliver us from evil,**" if I am not prepared to fight with my life and my prayer.

I cannot pray "**Amen,**" unless I honestly say "Not MY will, but THY will be done, so let it be."

Who's Who at St Mary's?

Vicar

Position vacant

Anna Chaplain

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PCC Members, any of whom can be approached for help or information:

Michael Payne, John Speed (Church Wardens); Martin Massy; Barry Wheeler & Mike Harvey (Deanery Synod reps.); Cathy Brill, Melissa Crawshay-Williams; Kirsty Finch; Jenny Hopkins; Richard Hopkinson; Lee Kirk; Lea Kolozsvári; Janice Massy; Katerina Nixon; Lisa Porritt and Iris Shaw.

PCC Secretary:

Martin Massy

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Minutes of PCC meetings are on the notice board and on St Mary's website.