

St Mary's Newsletter

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Week beginning Sunday 14th June 2015



THE 2nd SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

11.00am Parish
Eucharist &
Sunday Club

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WE WELCOME all who join us for our service today. Please stay on for coffee or squash – the time to meet and greet.

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

....those who suffer in mind, body or spirit: Angie Rigney; Jean Mattock; Mark Williams; Yvonne Milne; Bert Hobby; Ben Pratt; Janet Wilgrass; the Venerable Paul Hughes; John Searle; Joan Cook; Eli Garland; baby Charlie

....those in care homes: Pat Cook; Barbara Sunderland

....R.I.P: All the faithful departed

THIS WEEK AT ST MARY'S

Monday 15th June – 9.00am Morning Prayer

**Tuesday 16th – 6.00pm Jumping Dolphins
NO Choir Practice**

8.00pm Bellingring Practice

Wednesday 17th - 9.00am Morning Prayer

10.00am Holy Communion

Friday 19th – 9.00am Morning Prayer

Saturday 20th – 10am-4pm church open

NEXT SUNDAY 21st June 2015

3rd SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

11.00am Parish Eucharist

followed by the Rufus Lunch

at Northill Village Hall

2pm-4pm Church open for Open
Churches Day

NOTICES

The new **Pilgrim Course** looking at The Eucharist will begin in September. It will run on Monday evenings and one afternoon in the week, most likely Tue or Thu. Please speak to Canon Sue or Alan Painter if you are interested in attending and let them know which afternoon you would prefer.

Thank you to everyone whose hard work helped to make this year's Summer Fayre so successful, with fun & games, competitions, delicious cakes, lots of plants and so much more, all made all the more enjoyable by the bright and sunny weather which allowed us to have so many stalls outside. A special well done to those who managed to hold things down whenever the breeze picked up and congratulations, of course, to all our prize winners. Whether you baked cakes, donated prizes, distributed flyers, sold raffle tickets, took part in the activities, helped set things up, looked after the stalls, served refreshments or cleared up afterwards — whatever it was you did — without you and your support the Fayre wouldn't have been the success it was, bringing in a grand total of more than £1,800 for church funds.

In the summer months the **church is open** on Saturdays from 10 am to 1 pm and then from 1 pm to 4 pm, and cover is urgently needed. Please see if you can help and add your name to the list at the back of the church.

Super Sunday - On Sunday 28th June we are holding a celebration of music in church. This will begin with a picnic on the lawn at 4.00pm, followed by a musical concert given by members of the Jumping Dolphins (audience participation a vital ingredient!), and ending with choral evensong.

We do hope as many of you as possible will join us for some or all of those events, and enjoy a celebration of the many musical aspects to St Mary's Church.

Email addresses - We are trying to create a database of email addresses so that we can keep everyone quickly and easily informed about forthcoming events. We appreciate that not everyone has an email address, or will want to share it, but if you would be prepared to do so, could you please contact Carolyn Taylor and Phil Groom.

INTRODUCTION TO THE MINISTRY OF HEALING:

SATURDAY 19th September, 9.30am – 4.30pm

Venue: Clifton Church Hall

Ever wondered what the ministry of healing is all about, and want to find out more? The Diocesan Group for the Ministry of Healing is running an Introductory Day for our Deanery on Saturday 19th September to encourage, teach, and offer opportunity to experience this ministry – equipping us to think through whether and how we want to take this exciting area of ministry further in our local context. To find out more, and book your place, please contact the Revd Anne Hindle.

(There will be no charge for the day, although donations will be welcome to cover the costs of hiring the church hall. Please bring a packed lunch; light refreshments will be available during breaks) ...so that by the end of the day, attendees will have a good sense of what the next steps would be to take Christ's reconciling ministry of healing further forward in their own church context: including being offered a training resource (Forward in Healing) they can run in their own church.

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