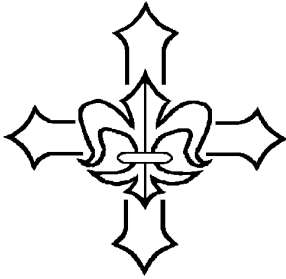


Parish Church of St Mary the Virgin Godmanchester

Weekly Newsletter



Sunday 11th July 2010

Trinity Six

Holy Communion

President & Preacher: Mary Jepp

Sung Eucharist

President: Jerry Craddock *Preacher:* Mary Jepp

Deacon: Mary Jepp

Readers

Susan Bates & Derek Sheen

Readings

Deuteronomy 30: 9-14 & Colossians 1: 1-14

Gospel

Luke 10: 25-37

Intercessions

Dai Morgan

Hymns

351 456 378 When I needed a neighbour

Communion

409 513

Sung Evensong

Minister: Pat Saunders

Readings

Genesis 32: 9-30; Mark 7: 1-23

Hymns

431 367 419

Psalm

77

Hymns: please omit any * verses

Collect

Creator God,
you made us all in your image:
may we discern you in all that we see,
and serve you in all that we do;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Street Prayer Mission: Danes Croft, McCartney House, Woodley Court

Charity of the month: USPG

Holy Communion. All are welcome at the altar rail. If you are a communicant member of your own Church, you are welcome to receive the Sacrament here. Or if you would like to receive a Blessing, please come forward with a hymn book, kneel at the rail and bow your head.

Holy Baptism

This morning we welcome into the family of Christ, Joseph Smith, Ellie Anne O'Flaherty and Megan Clawson. Please pray for Joseph, Ellie and Megan, their families and their friends.

Prayer Circle

The Parish Prayer Circle is up and running! At the moment there are about 30 individuals who have agreed to pray for specific individuals as requested. If you would like to be part of this group who are contacted either by email or phone please contact either Paul Sibley at paul.sibley@ntlworld.com or by phone on 380754 or Mary Jepp at m.jepp@btinternet.com or by phone on 411734. Prayer requests may be made to either Paul or Mary also.

Book of Common Prayer Communion Service

A BCP Communion Service will be held on **25th July at 6.30 pm.**

This service will replace our normal Evensong on this occasion.

Golden Wedding Anniversary

We are looking forward to seeing you in the Church Hall after the 9.45 Eucharist this morning (11th July) for a celebratory drink with cake.

Mary and Andrew Fawcett

Welcome to Sienna Lena Ripley

Today we extend a special welcome to Sienna and her parents Stephen and Annmarie. Sienna lives in Godmanchester but will be Baptised at All Saints church in Huntingdon. We welcome her as a member of this parish, and pray for God's blessing on her and her family.

Are you aged 11-18?

The Youth Group warmly invites those going into year 7 in September (and any others in the above age bracket) to join them for a marshmallow barbecue and games **tonight, from 7.00-8.30pm**, meeting at the Church Hall in Chadley Lane. Hope to see you then!

Charity Coffee Evening

Wives' Group members invite you to their coffee evening in aid of

The Alzheimer's Society.

Date: **Tuesday 13th July**

Time: **7.30pm**

Venue: **49 London Rd**

Entry: **£2** to include refreshments

There will be a Bring & Buy, Cake Stall, Raffle, Quiz and Games.

Everyone very welcome

The Friends of St Mary's in association with Huntingdonshire Music School present

HuMS Big Band with Claire (Hurd!). A concert of Swing, Latin, Jazz and Funk with vocals. **Saturday 17th July 2010** 7.30pm in church. Tickets £7 (£5). Children under 16 free. Tickets on sale at the south porch door and from John Bathurst Hoile (465442) and Peter Irving (382144). The vocals provide more than a little local interest here, so book early! Only 300 seats left.

Time 2 Talk

Just a reminder...Time 2 Talk will take place at Queen Elizabeth School Hall on **Wednesday 21st July** from 2.00pm. This is an informal gathering to share tea, cake and a chat. **EVERYONE WELCOME!**

Ladies Breakfast - Change of Date

The Ladies Churches Together Breakfast will now be held on **Saturday 14th August** rather than 7th as previously advertised. More details to follow.

100 Club

The 100 Club winners for June, the last draw under the current series, were Stella Howard £15 and Pam Ayres £10.

A reminder that now is the time to take your membership for July 2010 to June 2011 at a cost of only £12 (£1 per month). You do NOT necessarily have to be a Member of The Friends to join. Please collect an application form from the table by the South door, or contact John Bathurst Hoile by telephone on 01480 465442. Completed forms and payment should be left in the pigeon hole for B or handed to John or Gillian Bathurst Hoile.

Youth group leaders wanted!

St. Mary's has a small, friendly and lively youth group (11-18 year olds) which meets for a couple of hours on Sunday evenings during term time. We are looking to expand the youth group leaders team and would be pleased to talk to anyone potentially interested in this rewarding role. If you are interested and can spare a Sunday evening once a month or so, please have a word with **David Busk (436400)**, **Jen Weedon (391093)** or **Janie Prince**.

Sidespersons Rota

Please note the July to December 2010 rotas are available from the letter rack at rear of Church.

Peter Hartwell

Parish Office

The parish office will now only be open on Saturday morning from 10.00am to 12.00noon. Do not worry!! If you want photocopying done please inform us and we will complete it for when you want it.

Linda Weedon (413264) and ***Jean Morgan (417502)***

Newsletter Compiler

Pam Ayres is the current compiler.

Please contact Pam on **(436395)** or ***pamtimayres@talktalk.net*** .

Contributions by 8.00pm on Thursday please.

Prayer Corner

"I thank my God every time I remember you. In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy". Philippians 1:3-4.

We know that so many members of our Church are serving in quiet and unseen ways, unacknowledged by the world. Lord, speak to them your words, 'Well done, good and faithful servant'.

Amen.

DIARY

Sunday 11th July - Trinity Six

- 08.00 *Holy Communion*
- 09.45 *Sung Eucharist & Children's Church*
- 11.30 *Holy Baptism – Joseph Smith, Ellie Anne O'Flaherty, Megan Clawson*
- 18.30 *Sung Evensong*
- 19.00 *Youth Group - Marshmallow BBQ & Games (meet Church Hall)*

Monday 12th July

- 13.30 *Stepping Stones (Baptist Church Centre)*

Tuesday 13th July

- 07.30 *Morning Prayer*
- 12.30 *Churches Together Lunch Club (Baptist Church Centre)*
- 19.30 *Wives' Group Charity Coffee Evening (49 London Road)*

Wednesday 14th July

- 10.30 *Holy Communion (Oak Tree Court))*

Thursday 15th July

- 07.30 *Morning Prayer*
- 09:45 *Holy Communion*
- 10.00 *St Mary's 0-5s (Comrades' Club)*
- 19.30 *Deanery Synod Meeting in Church*

Friday 16th July

- 10.00 *Class 3 wedding re-enactment in Church*
- 19.30 *Choir Practice (Church Hall)*

Saturday 17th July

- 19.30 *Hunts Music School Big Band Concert in Church*

Sunday 18th July - Trinity Seven

- 08.00 *Holy Communion*
- 09.45 *Sung Eucharist & Children's Church*
- 12.00 *Picnic in the Garden (Vicarage Garden)*
- 18.30 *Sung Evensong*
- 18.45 *Youth Group - Greenbelt Planning (Church Hall)*

Refreshments are served after the 9.45am Eucharist. Everyone is welcome

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