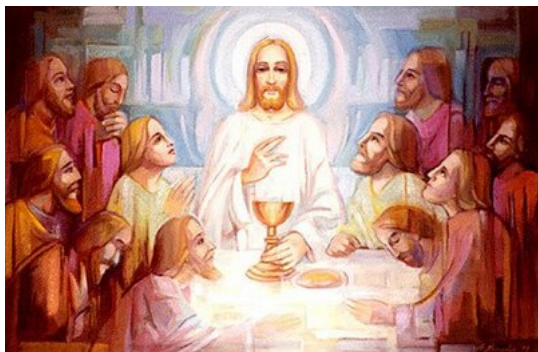


# St Mary's Newsletter

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Week beginning Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2013



## THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

### 11.00am Parish Eucharist

An audio loop is installed for those with hearing aids: please switch to the 'T' position.

**WE WELCOME** all who join us for our service today. Please feel welcome to stay for coffee or squash after the Eucharist - the time to meet and greet.

#### FOR YOUR PRAYERS

....those who suffer in mind, body or spirit: Angie Rigney; Sue Denwood; Jean Mattock; Mark Williams; Yvonne Milne; Bert Hobby; Jean Williams; Doreen Howe; Jim Gregory  
....those in care homes: Florence Emery; Jessie Child; Pat Cook; Clemency Clarke  
....R.I.P: all the faithful departed

#### THIS WEEK AT ST MARY'S

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> – 9.0am Morning Prayer

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> – 7.00pm Choir Practice

8.00pm Bellingring Practice

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> – 9.00am Morning Prayer

10.00am Holy Communion

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> – 9.15am Year 7 Pentecost Service

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> – 9.00am Morning Prayer

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> – 10am-4pm Church open

#### NEXT SUNDAY – 19<sup>th</sup> May 2013

### WHIT SUNDAY - PENTECOST

11.00am Parish Eucharist

## NOTICES

The next **Coffee Morning** in church will be on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June at 11.45am – maybe we will even be able to take our tea/coffee outside by then!

We look forward to the forthcoming **visit by the Henry Samson Kindred** on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May when they will join us for our service in the morning. Afterwards we will be entertaining them to a Finger Buffet style lunch in the Parish Hall. It is expected there will be 42 in their group so please try to arrange to be around to help on that day, both with the lunch and afterwards to show them around the village. Sandwiches will be purchased from the Five Bells and there will be a list at the back of the church for other contributions to the lunch, please.

**Summer Fayre on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June** in and around the church from 2 to 4 pm. We are urgently appealing for contributions for the Tombola, Cakes, Plants and Books stalls. Contributions to the Craft Display would also be welcome - please see Audrey or Lesley. There is now a list at the back of the church of activities and stalls and the names of the organisers and help so far. There is also another list for offers of help with any of the activities/stalls but help to set up and tidy up afterwards would be particularly appreciated. Finally, Grand Draw tickets from Alan Painter.

At the PCC meeting on Wednesday it was agreed to call a meeting of the **Friends of St Mary's**, on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June, in the Church immediately after morning service. The purpose of the meeting is to formally adopt the new members of the committee and to update everyone on the progress of the re-launch.



### The United Benefice of Henlow & Langford Pilgrimage to Peterborough Cathedral Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> July 2013

We would aim to catch the train which leaves Biggleswade at 9.02 (Arlesey 8.57).

10am - Meet in South Transept for coffee/tea & biscuits  
10.15am - Welcome

10.45am Prayer trails inside the Cathedral (and outside, weather permitting)

12 noon - Lunchtime Eucharist in North Transept

1pm - Lunch in Almoner's Hall

2pm - Guided Tour of Cathedral

3.30pm Evensong (The visiting choir will be the Peterborough Chamber Choir)

Lunch Menu: A selection of freshly cut sandwiches, wraps, rolls and baguettes; Crisps; Selection of cakes  
Fresh Orange Juice

Cost of refreshments: £10.50 per person + VAT

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