



THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST. MARY
REDBOURN

The DAY of PENTECOST

20th MAY 2018

WELCOME TO ST MARY'S

A special welcome if you are new to our worship here at St Mary's Church, Redbourn. We would like to get to know you as soon as possible. To help us, please fill in the slip provided in the holders at the end of each pew, and hand it to one of the clergy or sidespeople as you leave today. Thank you.

All who are baptised and confirmed, or full members of other Christian Churches, are welcome to receive Communion here. Those who are not, be they young or old, should please come to the altar rail to receive God's blessing.

If you are a taxpayer, please would you consider putting your collection into a blue envelope and filling in the details required (available from a sidesperson or in the pews). The church can then claim back the tax on your offering to the church at no additional cost to you. Thank you.

Those giving by Standing Order may use a yellow token in the collection plate.

WILL VISITORS PLEASE NOTE that St Mary's Church has an Amplification and Loop System. If necessary, please switch your hearing aid to the "T" switch to make use of this.



IN OUR PRAYERS

The sick and suffering: Joy Alldritt, Mary-Jane Boffey, Eleanor Batchelor, Archie Brennan, Christopher, Carole Cull, Betty Dennis, Alex & Janet Duncombe, Wendy Hancock, Patrick Hastings, Angela Hawaleshka, Grace Hyde, Ian, Louis Kayum, Ken Lacey, Richard Lord, Ray Marsh, Roger Martin, Keith Monkhouse, Ron Murphy, Dorothy Natrass, Melvyn Picton, Iona del Pino, Stephen du Plessis, Heather Reid, Michael Rimmer, Matthew Russell, Rosie and Irene Todd.

The Departed: For the repose of the souls of Francis Daw, Janice Oliver, Godfrey Roberts and Maureen Sibley recently departed. We remember all those whose year's mind falls during this week and pray for God's comfort for all who mourn.

THE FLOWERS ON THE MEMORIAL STAND are given in loving memory of Peggy Smith by Ken.

The Vicar: The Reverend Will Gibbs Tel No. 01582 791669

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You can find a full listing of news on our website: www.stmarysredbourn.org

8.00 am HOLY COMMUNION (Book of Common Prayer)

Collect, Epistle & Gospel for Whitsunday – page 196

President: + Robin Smith

Collect: God, who as at this time didst teach the hearts of thy faithful people, by the sending to them the light of thy Holy Spirit; Grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgement in all things, and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the same Spirit, one God, world without end. **Amen.**

Epistle: Acts 2. 1-11

Gospel: John 14. 15-31

9.30 am PARISH EUCHARIST (Common Worship Order One)

We follow the service booklet. The Collect, Readings and Post Communion Prayer for today can be found in the insert to this Pew Sheet.

President: The Vicar

Introit Hymn: 392

Reader: Ken Smith

Reading: Acts 2. 1-21

Gradual: Psalm 104. 26-36, 37b

Reading: Romans 8. 22-27

Gospel: John 15. 26-27, 16. 4b-15

Sermon: Rachel Snow

Intercessions: led by the Deacon

Offertory Hymn: 362

Communion Hymn: 92

Anthem: If ye love me – Chilcott

Final Hymn: 317

*PLEASE JOIN US for refreshments in the Transept Hall after this Service.
Also our weekly Traidcraft stall will be selling excellent goods and foods.*

11.15 am MORNING PRAISE with HOLY BAPTISM

Officiant: The Vicar

Hymns: 206, 228, 405 and 317

This afternoon at 4 pm

**Pentecost Praise and
Christian Aid Service**

at Redbourn Methodist Church

All are welcome and invited



NOTICES FOR THE COMING WEEK

This morning: Tim is the guest preacher at St Martin's, Shenley this morning.

“Let's Talk about Dementia” in the Transept on Tues 22 May at 8 pm

As part of Dementia Awareness Week and also our year of support for Dementia UK we are delighted to be hosting this special event on Tuesday evening. Three eminent panellists will discuss the causes and effects of dementia in a relaxed 'chat show' format hosted and chaired by Stephen Boffey. The evening starts at 8 pm and should finish at around 9.30 pm. Admission is free and all are welcome. It is a deliberately informal format rather than a lecture or a series of presentations and should really help us to understand more about Dementia and how we can respond well to those who are affected by it. The evening will work even better if we can submit questions in advance so that it is quite interactive: so if there is something you want to know more about (and no question is too basic or obvious) please email your question to Stephen: saboffey@stlworld.com See you on Tuesday...

HOLIDAY CLUB 2018: The forms have now gone out via book bags in school and places are filling up fast. So please return these to Ursula a.s.a.p. as we only have 72 places available and don't want any of our church children to miss out. We could do with a few more adult helpers to assist with holiday club this year. It runs from Mon 23 – Fri 27 July and is a really fun and rewarding week. Even if you can only manage a couple of mornings or afternoon we'd be really pleased to have you. Please speak to Ailsa Hulme or Will if you can help. Thank you.



The Breakfast Team would like to remind you that the next church breakfast is on Sunday 3rd June. Please come and join us as we enjoy a lovely breakfast together. There is a sign-up sheet for this in church. Thank you.

A NEW HYMN BOOK? The PCC have been looking into the possibility of a new hymn book for St Mary's. Our current one has served us well but is now out of print so replacement copies are hard to come by, it is quite dated in terms of the selection of hymns it offers (and we probably only use about half of them) and the musical arrangements are poor. The one we're considering is called 'Ancient and Modern' which has good variety and musical arrangements and comes in words only, melody, full score and large print formats. Copies of these are in church for you to have a look at. If we go ahead, the cost will be covered by very generous donation. Please do let Will know what you think about this possible change.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Every day, Monday to Friday, we offer:

9.30 am Morning Prayer 5.00 pm Evening Prayer

In addition, the following services and events will take place this week:

Tue 22 May

8.00 pm 'Let's Talk about Dementia' (*see notices*) – Admission Free

Wed 23 May

7.30 pm Holy Eucharist

Fri 25 May

10.30 am Teddy Tots – *in the Transept*

Sat 26 May

4.00 pm *The marriage of Shaun Burger and Nicoleta Lungu*

Sun 27 May TRINITY SUNDAY

8.00 am Holy Communion (Book of Common Prayer)

9.30 am Parish Eucharist (Common Worship) with Children's Groups

6.30 pm Evening Service

NEXT WEEK'S DUTY ROTAS

Servers: Weds: Sue May
8.00 am: Lee Sheppard
9.30 am: Roy Woods, Ailsa Hulme and Penny McAdam

Sidespeople: 8.00 am: Edna and Alan Lindfield
9.30 am: Alan and Angie Simkins and Natalie Marsh
6.30 pm: Derek Crouch

Flowers: Linden Andrews, Pat Coe, Barbara Corbett,
Natalie Marsh and Judith Sandell

Cleaning: Sue Taylor, Margaret Tillyer, Judy James and Ailsa Hulme

Churchyard: Rob Jones, Ken Smith and Albert Joly

Lifts 9.30 am: David Mitchell, Jan Nelder, Stephen Gell and Sue Mulcock

Mini Church: Amanda Stansfield and Draha Gell

Junior Church: Kelly O'Brien and Louise Edmiston

PALs: Reona Joly and Penny McAdam

Reader: Brian Gunson

Intercessions: Julie Henman

Coffee: Sue Ashton and Liz Wood

Traidcraft: Jenny and Derek Crouch

ANY NOTICES OR AMENDMENTS FOR THE CHURCH PEW SHEET
should be sent to Will by Wednesday afternoon please: will@stmarysredbourn.org