



ST. MARY'S CHURCH, REDBOURN
The **TRANFIGURATION** of OUR LORD

6th August 2017

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 normally take Communion, in this church or in any other church, are welcome to receive Communion here. Those who do not take Communion, 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 needed, please switch your hearing aid to the T switch to make use of this.



IN OUR PRAYERS

CFC Focus: We pray for Christians in India who are persecuted for their faith

The sick and suffering: Joy Alldritt, Allan Barley, Mary-Jane Boffey, Jackie Bull, Terry Charlston, Doris Cheetham, Christopher, Carole Cull, Sam Cuthbert, Betty Dennis, Alex & Janet Duncombe, Dave Ellis, Peter Fisher, Vic French, Wendy Hancock, Patrick Hastings, Janet Hemmings, Betty Henry, Grace Hyde, Ian, Louis Kayum, Richard Lord, Ray Marsh, Keith Monkhouse, Iona del Pino, Stephen du Plessis, Keith Shawcross, Irene Todd and Julian Watters.

The Departed: We pray for the repose of the souls of Michael Gunn, Keith Swaine and all who have died recently. We remember those whose year's mind falls this week and pray that God will bring comfort and hope to all who mourn.

THE FLOWERS ON THE MEMORIAL STAND were given in loving memory of Josie Heatley from Rita and all the family. **THE FLOWERS AT THE CHANCEL SCREEN** were given in loving memory of Marie Harling by Cyril.

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 The Transfiguration – on sheet

President: Canon Christine Farrington

Collect: Lord of all power and might, who art the author and giver of all good things; Graft in our hearts the love of thy Name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of thy great mercy keep us in the same; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end. **Amen.**

Epistle: 1 John 3. 1-3

Gospel: Mark 9. 2-7

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 Revd Tim Vickers

Introit Hymn: 242

Reader: Sue May

Reading: Daniel 7. 9-10, 13-14

Gradual Hymn: 53

Reading: 2 Peter 1. 16-19

Gospel: Luke 9. 28-36

Sermon: Canon Christine Farrington

Intercessions: Peter Hansford

Offertory Hymn: 305

Communion Hymn: 390

Final Hymn: 82

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

12 noon HOLY COMMUNION (Book of Common Prayer)

Collect, Epistle & Gospel for The Transfiguration – on sheet

President: The Revd Tim Vicars

6.30 pm EVENING PRAYER

Officiant: The Revd Tim Vickers

Psalm 72

First Reading: Exodus 34. 29-end

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians ch. 3

NOTICES FOR INCLUSION IN THE CHURCH NEWS should be passed in written or printed form to The Vicar by Wednesday pm. Please also forward any church diary entries and rota amendments to Will. (will@stmarysredbourn.org)

NOTICES FOR THE COMING WEEK

CHURCH FAMILY BREAKFAST will be served on today at 8.45 am. A continental breakfast of croissants and pastries, cereals and fruit will be served. Do come along and join us!

CHORAL MATINS: Although the choir is generally on holiday in August, it is returning to sing a special service of Choral Matins on Sunday 20 August at 11.15 am. The Book of Common Prayer will be used, so the service will be a good way to celebrate the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation, on which a short address will be given. Enhanced refreshments will be available afterwards. Please do come along for this special occasion.

BOTTLES NEEDED: On 16 September we have the amazing new event 'Classics on the Common', with 200 vintage and rare cars coming to Redbourn Common. As part of this we are running a bottle tombola and need lots of bottles please – wine, beer, soft drinks, fizz etc. Please bring them into church and leave in the special tub in the lower vestry. Thank you.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: We also need lots of help for this event to make sure it runs smoothly with jobs before, during and after, active or stationary, big and small. In other words we need you to help to make sure this raises lots of money for the Friends of St Mary's – i.e. US! Please pick up a form at the South Door, complete it and return it. Thanks very much.

SERVERS: A key part of our worship at St Marys is played by the servers both at the Sunday morning and midweek services. We are currently short of servers and need to recruit some more. Many of our current servers say that it's a rewarding part of their service and worship and it isn't just for those who've been coming to St Mary's for months or years. Full training is given; so please speak to Will or Tim to find out more.



St Mary's Church Patronal Festival

Sunday 10 September at 11 am

Preacher: The Revd Grace Sentamu Baverstock
Vicar of Leagrave

Followed by a barbecue lunch and pay bar
Children's games and music by Redbourn Jazz Band

Do invite friends, neighbours and family

All welcome

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:

Wed 9 Aug Mary Sumner, founder of the Mothers' Union, 1921

7.30 pm Holy Eucharist

Thu 10 Aug Laurence, Deacon at Rome, Martyr, 258

10.30 am Holy Communion – *New Forge Place*

Fri 11 Aug Clare of Assisi, Founder of the Minoreesses, 1253

10.30 am Stay and Play – *in the Transept*

Sun 13 Aug The NINTH SUNDAY after TRINITY

8.00 am Holy Communion (Book of Common Prayer)

9.30 am Parish Eucharist with Holiday Zone

6.30 pm Evening Service

NEXT WEEK'S DUTY ROTAS

Servers: Weds: Sue May
 8.00 am: Penny McAdam
 9.30 am: John Blake, Ailsa Hulme and Helen Neville

Sidespeople: 8.00 am: Isobel and Damian Cranmer
 9.30 am: Sue Taylor, Jill Whitehouse and Sue Ashton
 6.30 pm: David Forbes

Flowers: Bryony Aldred, Shirley Butterworth, Michelle Collins,
 Heather Stanley and Gail Thomas

Cleaning: Heather Stanley, Ruth Hurst, Marion Briggs
 and Margaret Metcalfe

Churchyard: Robert Goold, Michael Darvell, Mike Thain
 and Fabian Mills

Lifts 9.30 am: Clive Williams, Sue Mulcock, Stephen Gell, Ursula Bradley
 and Rosemary Hinde

Young People: Holiday Zone – led by Louise Edmiston and Kelly O'Brien

Reader: Janet Godly

Intercessions: Julie Henman

Coffee: Wendy Morgan and Heather Stanley

Traidcraft: Kari Webb