

St Mary's Church
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Regular Services:

Every Sunday at 10.00am – Family
Communion
(with *Sunday Club* for children)

1st Sunday in the month:
8.30am *Said Communion*
6.30pm *Prayer and Reflection*

4th Sunday in the month:
5.30pm *Evensong*

Every Wednesday at 11.00am:
Said Communion

1st Friday in the month:
7.00pm *Friday Nite Worship*

Church Office Opening Times:

(on first floor of Church Centre)

Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday:
9.30 – 11.30

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Administrator: Denise Thomas

Bible Readings for the Week

Sunday	Acts 7: 55-end (or Gen. 8: 1-19)	John 14: 1-14
Monday	Isa. 22: 15-end (or Acts 1: 15-end)	John 15: 9-17
Tuesday	Acts 14: 19-end	John 14: 27-end
Wednesday	Acts 15: 1-6	John 15: 1-8
Thursday	Acts 15: 7-21	John 15: 9-11
Friday	Acts 15: 22-31	John 15: 12-17
Saturday	Acts 16: 1-10	John 15: 18-21



14th May 2017



Welcome to St Mary's

St Mary's is the Parish Church for most of eastern Peterborough and a member of Churches Together in Central Peterborough.

Our Sunday worship is usually a celebration of Holy Communion, recalling the Last Supper when Jesus shared bread and wine with his friends. We come together to worship God and to learn more about following Him.

Hymn numbers are shown on the boards. We use two hymn books:
Numbers in red are from the cream book
Numbers in black are from the green book.

We do not usually have a collection during the service, but donations for church upkeep and mission can be left in the plate at the back of the church. Thank you.



Please ask if you need any special assistance

Please join us for coffee or tea in the Main Hall after the Sunday service.

 THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND



Please pray for:

- Those collecting for Christian Aid Week and the houses they visit
 - The City Centre Chaplaincy Team
 - All young people taking examinations and tests
 - Those suffering from the effects of strokes
 - Big Issue sellers in Peterborough
 - Integrity in those involved in publishing the news
 - Migrants adrift in dangerous seas
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This week:

Wed 17th May NO Bible Study

Wed 17th May Said Communion 11am Chapel

Thurs 18th May Thursday Prayers 10:30am Chapel

Sat 20th May Men's Breakfast 8:30am

Notices:

CAR PARKING AT CHURCH DURING THE WEEK

Please help us manage our car parking problems. Our own front forecourt isn't big enough for everyone to use, but we are fortunate to have so much public car parking nearby and a map is available. There is only space for six cars in the front – any more potentially causes problems. Please do not park on our neighbour's land (clearly shown on the available maps).

ST MARY'S PRAYER LINK

Our Prayer Link is used for urgent prayer requests. Whilst Sue is away (from 14th to 26th May) if you have an urgent request, please email Sheila at: sheilaann.sutherland@googlemail.com or phone her on 223145. Thank you.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK

Christian Aid Week starts today! The focus this year is on helping refugees (as it was 60 years ago when Christian Aid Week began). Thank you to everyone who has offered to help with our house-to-house collection; please make sure you get your packs of envelopes from Hilary before leaving church. We'll be fundraising in church too – there's a Cake Sale today and a Men's Breakfast on Saturday. Thank you for your support!

ASCENSION DAY

This year Ascension Day is Thursday 25th May. As in previous years, the churches in Peterborough Deanery will be holding a joint Eucharist service in the evening, followed by refreshments. This year it will be hosted by All Saints, Park Road, at 7:30pm and you are very welcome to attend.

BIBLE STUDY

Our Bible Study Group will not be meeting this week to allow members to focus on the Christian Aid Week collecting. We will resume next Wednesday, 24th May at 7:30pm in the Nene Room, and you would be very welcome to join us. We are studying St Matthew's Gospel; more information from David Dawson.

THE BIG BAND THEORY

Our very own Steve Hession's Big Band & Pods will be playing at the Key Theatre on Sunday, 25th June at 7pm. Tickets are £21.00 (no concessions). This is an opportunity for us to support Steve, as well as hearing some first class musicians. The concert is in aid of The Young People's Counselling Service. See you there, Sheila

SAINSBURY'S 'ACTIVE KIDS' VOUCHERS

Are you collecting these vouchers but haven't yet decided what to do with them? Then why not give them to Sheila, Gilly or Marion for them to redeem the vouchers for items for the Mums and Tots group.

LIFT FOR GEORGE - UPDATE

George is still in need of some assistance in getting to church, either one Sunday a month or on an occasional basis. Even if you can just get him to church that would be a great help. Alternatively, if you don't drive but can sit with George during the Eucharist and help him with the Braille hymn books and to go up for communion that too would be appreciated. If you can help, please see either George or Andrew.

YOUR CHURCH

Thank you for gifts of money to help us to carry out God's work and to pay our running costs. If you are a tax payer, please help us by gift aiding what you give. There are pink envelopes for single gift aid donations and Marion Betts has more information about regular gift aid giving.