

**St Mary's Church**  
1 New Road, Peterborough, PE1 1TT



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Registered Charity No. 1180032

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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  
6.00pm Prayer and Reflection

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in the month:  
6.00pm 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:  
10:00am to 12:00 Noon

Telephone: 01733 564899  
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Administrator: Denise Thomas

### Bible Readings for the Week

Sunday	Deut. 26: 1-11	Luke 4: 1-13
Monday	Lev. 19: 1-2, 11-18	Matt. 25: 31- end
Tuesday	Isa. 55: 10-11	Matt. 6: 7-15
Wednesday	Jonah Ch. 3	Luke 11: 29-32
Thursday	Esther 14: 1-5, 12-14 or Isa. 55: 6-9	Matt. 7: 7-12
Friday	Ezek. 18: 21-28	Matt. 5: 20-26
Saturday	Deut. 26: 16- end	Matt. 5: 43-end



**10<sup>th</sup> March 2019**



## 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:**

- The work of Peterborough Cathedral and those who minister there
  - Our politicians in the run-up to Brexit
  - The homeless in Peterborough and those working to support them
  - Those who work on the Eastern Industrial estates
  - Those across the world suffering through hunger
  - Those whose lives have been torn apart by war and terrorism
  - The integrity of our media
  - The work of Extended Hands
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## **This week:**

**Tues 12<sup>th</sup> Mar PCC Meeting 7:30pm Lower Hall**

**Wed 13<sup>th</sup> Mar Said Communion 11am Chapel**

**Wed 13<sup>th</sup> Mar Lent Course 7:30pm Lower Hall**

**Thurs 14<sup>th</sup> Mar Thursday Prayers 10:30am-11:30am Chapel**

**Sat 16<sup>th</sup> Mar Lent Course 12Noon Lower Hall**

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## **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. If you have an urgent request, please phone (tel. 554815) or email me [suziemoore21@gmail.com](mailto:suziemoore21@gmail.com) and I will pass it on to members of our Pastoral and Prayer teams, who will pray for the situation. If you do leave me a message and I don't reply, please phone Sheila (223145) or Marion (560238). Thanks, Sue

### **FOOD BANK**

Thank you for the continued support for food bank. A special 'thank you' to the family who brings carrier bags. There is a need for Pasta Sauce and Fruit Juice. Love, Sheila.

### **CHRISTIAN AID CAMPAIGNS ROADSHOW**

Are you worried about the threat posed by climate change and wondering what you can do? Would you like to know how Christian Aid

uses your money in its quest for a more just and equal world? Fortunately for us the answers are at hand as Christian Aid will be holding a Campaigns Roadshow here at St Mary's on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> March from 2pm to 5pm. To find out more and book your place online, visit: [campaigns-roadshow-peterborough.eventbrite.co.uk](http://campaigns-roadshow-peterborough.eventbrite.co.uk)

### **DURING LENT**

Please pick up a copy of your guide to all the special things happening at St Mary's as we move through Lent and into Holy Week and Easter. You are particularly invited to join our **Lent Course**, which this year will be looking at 'The Mystery of God', and what that might mean to us. We'll be running two groups, either on Wednesday evenings starting at 7:30pm or Saturday lunchtimes starting at 12 Noon. Both will be held in the Lower Hall.

### **PCC MEETING Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March**

Our PCC will be meeting this Tuesday, from 7:30pm to 9pm in the Lower Hall, with Said Communion in the Chapel beforehand. Amongst other matters they will be finalising arrangements for our Annual Meeting on 7<sup>th</sup> April, including agreeing our Annual Report and Accounts for 2018. If there is anything you would like to bring to the attention of PCC, please have a word with Chi or Mary.

### **'NEWS AROUND ST MARY'S'**

The March/April edition of our parish magazine is now available. There is no cover price because it is delivered free to various places within the parish and given free to visitors, but each copy costs about £1.50 to produce. It would help St Mary's finances if church members could pay for their copies, please. Thank you.

### **REFLECTION DAY AT WESTGATE NEW CHURCH – SATURDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 10am to 3:30pm**

Please see leaflet on notice board in hall way for full details of this event, run by Sr Rachel Overton of the Annunciation Trust.

### **YOUR CHURCH**

Thank you for gifts of money to help us 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.