

St Mary's Church
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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

4th 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-12:00 Noon

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Administrator: Denise Thomas

Bible Readings for the Week

Sunday	Num. 11: 4-6, 10-16, 24-29	Mark 9: 38-end
Monday	Job 1: 6-end	Luke 9: 46-50
Tuesday	Job 3: 1-3, 11-17, 20-23	Luke 9: 51-56
Wednesday	Job 9: 1-12, 14-16	Luke 9: 57-end
Thursday	Job 19: 21-27a	Luke 10: 1-12
Friday	Job 38: 1, 12-21; 40: 3-5	Luke 10: 13-16
Saturday	Job 42: 1-3, 6, 12-end	Luke 10: 17-24



30th September 2018



Journeying together with God

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
- Our Government in the run up to Brexit
- Our local schools
- Those suffering from cancer
- Those struggling to make ends meet
- Those affected by recent devastating hurricanes and floods
- The people of Syria and the Yemen

This week:

Wed 3rd Oct Said Communion 11am Chapel

Wed 3rd Oct Bible Study 7:30pm-9pm Chapel

Thurs 4th Oct Thursday Prayers 10:30am

Chapel

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 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

HEATING

Our apologies that the church is currently without any heating. We do not expect to have it back on until Sunday 21st October as the earliest our heating engineers can fit our new boiler is the week beginning 15th October. This is a big job, likely to take all week. In the meantime, thank you for your tolerance, and please dress up warm!

OUR LAY MINISTERS – DATE FOR YOUR DIARIES

On **Sunday 14th October** Bishop Donald will be coming to our 10am Harvest Festival service at St Mary's to install Elizabeth Greenwood as Reader to our parish. Revd. Charlie Nobbs will also be presenting Vicky and Keith Brett with their certificates as locally authorised pioneers. And ... our Summer Fundraising Campaign culminates this day so we look forward to Flora from Extended Hands joining us again. And then it's our Harvest Lunch ... and then, if you still have the energy, come and join us outside in cheering on the runners in the Great Eastern Run. It's a pity there's not much going on at St Mary's!

SUMMER FUNDRAISER 2018

Our 2018 campaign in aid of Extended Hands ends on 14th October. In the remaining time please think now you might raise some money for them. If just 10 people baked a cake and sold it at work or to friends and neighbours for £1 a slice that £100 would support Extended Hands in helping women and girls get back on their feet, to thrive and live their lives with dignity, pride and purpose. It would probably also make your colleagues, friends and neighbours very happy.

FRIDAY NITE WORSHIP

Friday 5th October

You are invited to join us for an hour of worship on Friday 5th October with songs led by our own worship band 'Unseen Spirit'. Refreshments will be served from 6:45pm and during the service, which starts at 7pm. A warm welcome is extended to all age groups to join us. We look forward to seeing you there.

HARVEST FESTIVAL BRING & SHARE LUNCH

Sunday 14th October

Please join us for lunch after the 10am Harvest Festival service. If you are able, please bring along some food to share with your friends. To avoid everyone bringing a pork pie a list of suggested items from crisps to chocolate cake has been pinned to the notice board. Please remember to sign up to ensure we have a good selection of dishes.

MEN'S BREAKFAST – Saturday 20th October

It's been a while, but we hope you'll find the wait worth it. Mama Jayne is back at the helm cooking up a full English and we've enlisted the most anecdotally and awesome of speakers. Breakfast is just £3 and Andrew is selling tickets. N.B. Our speaker isn't charging any expenses but we there will be a retiring collection to help towards the cost of our new boiler and, by then, we'll be cooking on gas mark 5!

'COME AND SEE' Saturday 6th October

10am to 3:30pm at The Cedar Centre, Church Walk, Castor, Peterborough PE5 7AX
Led by Sister Rachel Overton of the Annunciation Trust, the day will give the opportunity to reflect on your own experiences of God, together with some reflections from Sister Rachel, as well as time to be alone and quiet. There is a suggested donation to the Annunciation Trust of between £20-£25. Bring a packed lunch – hot drinks will be provided. Please see leaflet on hallway notice board, or for more information email sister.rco@icloud.com.

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.