



Sunday 26 Sep 2021
16th Sunday after Trinity

THE PARISH OF ST MARY & ST PAUL

New Parish Web Site www.stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk

Services

St Mary's

Sun 19 Sep 8.00am Holy Communion
9.30am Holy Communion
Tue 21 Sep 8.00am Holy Communion
Wed 22 Sep 10.30am Holy Communion
Sun 26 Sep 8.00am Holy Communion
9.30am Service of prayer for Harvest

St Paul's

Sun 19 Sep 9.30am Holy Communion
Sun 26 Sep 9.30am Harvest celebration Eucharist

St Mary's Readers and Intercessor

| | Readers | Intercessor |
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| Today | Ena Hartland Jenny Leslie | Richard Leslie |

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| Next Week 03 Oct Harvest | Rosamund Russell Lynne Sygrave | To be confirmed |
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9.30am Sunday Worship on Zoom

Topic: Sunday 9.30am Zoom Service

Time: This is a recurring meeting for every Sunday at 9.30am

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84623201144?pwd=cEY3dEl3QnpNenpTNGlIUm1HUmhKZz09>

Meeting ID: 846 2320 1144

Passcode: 274263

Next Sunday Harvest celebrations

Due to clergy shortages our Harvest celebrations this year will be different to our usual arrangements .

At Saint Paul's at 9:30am we will have the traditional harvest celebration with Holy Communion.

At St Mary's there is Holy Communion at 8.00am and at 9:30am there will be a short service of morning prayer for harvest .

People are encouraged to bring along non-perishable gifts to any of the services which will go to the food bank.

Following these services there will be a Harvest Lunch at Saint Paul's consisting of a Ploughman's lunch and a dessert, complete with a glass of juice or wine. If you would like to attend the lunch please either let Rosina Gaddes, Sheila Barton or Canon John know. Sign-up lists are available in both churches or respond via WhatsApp or email as soon as possible.

THE BISHOP OF ST ALBANS' HARVEST APPEAL 2021

WATER IS LIFE

Water is life, but in the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC), water is their number one problem.

For many communities, water for drinking, cooking and washing is unsafe and brings with it a devastatingly high risk of cholera.

Your generous support for this year's Bishop of St Albans' Harvest Appeal can bring clean, safe water to many more people in the DRC, giving them life and hope, and transforming their communities.



'FOR I WAS HUNGRY AND YOU GAVE ME SOMETHING TO EAT, I WAS THIRSTY AND YOU GAVE ME SOMETHING TO DRINK.'

(MATTHEW 25:35)

www.harvestappeal.org



- ❑ Above right: A drilling rig in the DRC that brings safe, clean water to people and communities
Photo: Terkild Jensen
- ❑ Above left: Children washing their hands at a water point
Photo: Filip Brouwer
- ❑ Right: Children playing in fresh, clean water
Photo: Chris Heston/tearfund



Partnering with



We will be celebrating Harvest Festival on Sunday October 3 and we will be again supporting the Bishop of St Albans appeal - this year, ['The Water of Life'](#) - click here on the email/web site edition of the bulletin for more details.

Celtic Wisdom for a Post-Covid Church

On Wednesday October 20th at 7.45pm, the Revd Simon Reed will be giving the Berkhamsted Deanery Lecture at St Mary's Northchurch. Simon is an Anglican minister with two churches in Ealing, West London. He is also one of the three Guardians of the Community of Aidan and Hilda, an international and cross-denominational network of Christians who draw inspiration from Celtic spirituality for the renewal of today's church. He has been a seminar speaker at New Wine and Spring Harvest and also involved in leading their reflective worship stream. He is the author of "Creating Community: ancient ways for modern churches," and "Followers of the Way: ancient discipleship for modern Christians."

Open Church

As a point of interest the w/e of 25th September will mark a full year of being open to visitors every day

Come dine with us

In the context of the idea to raise £1,000 or more in the next few weeks to support the PCC budget we were reminded of an initiative some years ago to raise money by offering afternoon teas or dinners in our homes with a suggested monetary donation.

We therefore offer to hold one or two dinner parties at 91 Highfield Lane, depending on demand. Our dates will be on Wednesday evenings with the first being 13 October. The evening would go this way:

Aperitifs 6.30pm onwards

Three course meal with wine around 7.15/30pm

Melon and Parma Ham; Chicken Provençal; Fruit Salad and/or Cheeseboard.

Coffees as required.

We anticipate six at the table plus ourselves. Our suggested donation, all to PCC funds, is £25 per person which could be gift aided.

We hope you like this idea and would love you to join us. If so please give us a call or send a message. Our contact details are at the foot of this bulletin.

Rosina & Gordon Gaddes

Retirement

The Revd Richard Howlett, Team Vicar in the Langelei team, is retiring at the end of the month. His farewell service is a Songs of Praise on Wednesday 29th September at 7.30pm at St Benedict's, Bennetts End. All are welcome to come along.

Historic Churches Bike 'n' Hike

Emmeline wishes to thank those who sponsored her trip round the churches for Historic Churches Trust. There is still time for more donations to be received from anyone who may have missed it!

100 Club

The winning ticket in the 100 Club draw last week was no.55, Lesley Jackman of St Paul's.



Craft Club on Zoom

Saturday 01 October from 10.30 to 12 noon:

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89698699946?pwd=NmRZLytMUElCU0NNMUFYYXk4Z3dYUT09>

Meeting ID: 896 9869 9946

Passcode: 093601

Services and Events Week Commencing 26 September 2021

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| Sun 26 Sep | 8.00am 9.30am 9.30am | Holy Communion Holy Communion Holy Communion <i>One 9.30am service will be on Zoom</i> | StM StM StP |
| | 1.00pm 2.00pm | Holy Baptism: Daisey Alderson Holy Baptism: Oliver Cleary | StM StM |
| 17th Sunday after Trinity | | | |
| Mon 27 Sep <i>Vincent de Paul, Founder of the Congregation of the Mission (Lazarists), 1660</i> | | | |
| Tue 28 Sep | 8.00am | Communion Service | StM |
| Wed 29 Sep | 10.30am 5.00pm | Communion Service Wedding rehearsal | StM StM |
| <i>Michael and All Angels</i> | | | |
| Thur 30 Sep | | | |
| Fri 01 Oct | 12 noon | Wedding: Aexandru Siclovan & Dora Socol | StM |
| Sat 02 Oct | 10.30am - 12 | Craft Club | On Zoom |
| Sun 03 Oct | 8.00am 9.30am 9.30am 1.00pm | Holy Communion Service of prayer for Harvest Harvest celebration Eucharist <i>This service will be on Zoom</i> followed by Harvest Lunch | StM StM StP StP |
| Harvest Festival | | | |

St Mary's Church is open for visitors every day from 10am - 5pm

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Bulletin deadline:

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