

REGULAR DATES AT ST MARY'S



Don't forget **Parish Prayers** on the second Friday of each month. Next date is **Friday 8th December 2017** at 10.30am in the Norbury

Chapel.



Please join us **each Thursday** at 9am for **Morning Prayers** in the Norbury Chapel.



The next **discussion group** meeting will take place on Monday 4th December at

10.30am at the home of Vivienne Wilkins. All welcome



FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP @ ST MARY'S

Please join us each month on the third Thursday for our regular Parish lunch at 12.30pm. **The next date is Thursday 14th December**



The next **WASPS lunch** will take place on 12th December at the Running Mare. More details from Vivien Wilkins (01932

589835).



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St Marys Church Stoke D'Abernon

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New to St Mary's?

We like to be able to contact new members and visitors, so please let us have your contact details. Please send us your name, address, telephone and email address to our parish administrator on 01932 866005 or

admin@stmarysstokedabernon.org.uk



Please join us after the 10am Service for coffee



Coffee Rota

The new rota for Jan to March next year is being prepared. If you can offer to make coffee

after one of our 10am services please let Polly or Helen Hilliard know as soon as possible. We also need someone to take over the running of the rota.

St Mary's Church, Stoke D'Abernon

The Second Sunday before Advent

Sunday 19 November 2017

Please take this sheet away for reference



November/December Services at St Mary's

Sun 26 Nov	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Parish Eucharist
	6pm	Advent Carol Service <i>Darkness to Light.</i>
Thurs 30 Nov	10.30am	Holy Communion
Sat 2 Dec	7am-7pm	Vigil of Prayer
Sun 3 Dec	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Choral Eucharist
	6pm	Evensong
Sun 10 Dec	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Parish Eucharist
	6pm	Evensong
Sun 17 Dec	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Parish Eucharist & Baptism
	11.30am	Mattins
	6pm	Festival of 9 Lessons and Carols
Sun 24 Dec	10am	Holy Communion
	5pm	Crib Service
	11pm	Midnight Mass
Mon 25 Dec	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Parish Eucharist NO EVENSONG
Sun 31 Dec	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Parish Eucharist
	6pm	Evensong

Priest:

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(Day off on Friday)

Parish Administrator :

Polly Zabari

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(9.00-1.00 Mon, Wed, Fri)

(9.00-10.30am Tues and Thurs)

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Collect for the day

Heavenly Father, whose blessed Son was revealed to destroy the works of the devil and to make us the children of God and heirs of eternal life; grant that we, having this hope, may purify ourselves even as he is pure; that when he shall appear in power and great glory we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

8.00am Holy Communion
Preacher Andrew Stribley

Epistle : 1 Thess 5 : 1-11
Gospel : Matt 25 : 14-30

10.00am Parish Eucharist
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Epistle : 1 Thess 5 : 1-11
Gospel : Matt 25 : 14-30
Hymns : 409, 2, 571, 29 om v4

11.30am Mattins
Preacher Hugh Bryant

First Reading : Dan 10 : 19-end
Second Reading : Rev 4
Psalm : 98 Chant 109
Hymns : 148 om v4; 38 om v3; 423; 212 om vv 4-5

6pm Evensong
Preacher Hugh Bryant

O God, our refuge and strength, who are the author of all godliness: Be ready, we beseech thee, to hear the devout prayers of thy Church; and grant that those things which we ask faithfully we may obtain effectually; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

First reading : 1 Kings 1 : 15-40
Second Reading : Rev 1 : 4-18
Psalm : 89 vv 20-29 Chant 154
Hymns : 547, 385, 435 om v3

FORTHCOMING CHORAL SERVICES

Sunday 26 November 6pm

Advent Carol Service - Darkness to Light

The annual atmospheric candlelit service of Advent carols and readings, including music by Palestrina, Gibbons, Bach, Brahms, Hadley and Joubert.




Sunday 3 December 10am

Choral Eucharist

Missa Super "Dixit Maria" – Hans Leo Hassler
Motet : Rejoice in the Lord always – anon, C16

CHORAL EUCHARIST IS SUNG ON THE 1ST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH, EXCEPT DURING AUGUST

 Please join us to share the joy of Christmas and to sing some carols at the Cobham Extravaganza on **Friday 24th November between 6 and 7pm** outside the furniture shop.



We are planning a Church Cleaning Party before the Festive Celebrations begin on **Saturday November 25th 9.30 - 12.30**. Please can you spare a moment to come and help make the Church sparkle? Any offers or help to Polly or Emma Tomalin please. Coffee and biscuits will be provided.



The sign up sheet for the **Advent Eve Vigil of prayer (Sat 2 December)** is in the Baptistry. Please sign up for a 30 min slot. Ideas and prayers will be provided. Any questions please ask Christina Elliott on 01932 862431 or email at acrece@eclipse.co.uk

CHORISTER SUCCESSES



Two St Mary's Choristers, Ella and William, have both been awarded wonderful Distinction results in their recent ABRSM singing examinations. To achieve a Distinction result, a candidate must give a performance that is assured, fully committed, and with vivid communication of character and style, with expressive, idiomatic musical shaping and detail.

Cameron has completed the RSCM *Voice for Life* White Level award, and will be presented with his certificate Parish Eucharist.

Congratulations to Cameron, Ella and William on their fantastic achievements!