

13th April 2014

#### Services:

Today (Palm Sunday)

> 8am BCP Communion

9.30am Communion

11am All Age Worship in the YOUTH HUT

## Next Wednesday Communion:

11am 7<sup>th</sup> May

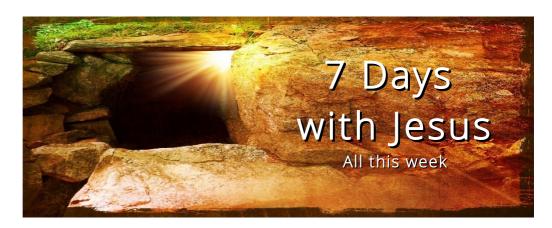
# St Mary's News

"One Church Worshipping in Different Ways"

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Welcome to the St Mary's Church family Welcome to St Mary's Church. We are a diverse Church community meeting for our village.

### Palm Sunday



Monday -Thursday: 7am Holy Week Communion
 Tuesday: 10am -12pm Messy Easter

Wednesday: Deeper. Worship & Teaching

Thursday: 5:45pm Last Supper Bring and Share

Passover Meal

Friday: 10am All Age Worship

3pm Hour at the Cross Reflection

• Sunday: 8am BCP Easter Communion

10am All Age Easter Celebration

Join us as we journey through the Easter story together



#### Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> April

We are hosting an Messy Easter special 10-12 at the church.

Do come along and invite friends.

If you are able to help facilitate this event please speak to Kat Mepham.

If anyone would like to donate some funds to cover our Easter egg hunt prize – do let Kat know.

#### **Prayer Focus**

For members of our Church Community and those known to us:

- Jeanette Gillard
- Felicity Scrimegeour
- Jane Dennes
- Tracy & Linc & family
- Pam Allan
- Janet Greenfield
- Our mission partners:

The Wisdom Family working in Burundi -

(see sheet at the back for more info)

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The work of Compassion UK:Child sponsorship programmes that provide education and discipleships for children growing up in the hardest parts of the world



### Our Churches Together family:

For the continued building of relationships with Churches in the area as we build for mission together through Churches Together



#### Sidespeople

Please take a letter from the back of Church – one for each of our 9:30 service sidespeople. Thank you.

#### **Festival Of Brides**

July 11th – 13th, St Mary's Church

This is a date for your diary but also a plea for anyone who has a wedding dress with history! (or one linked to the village) to be used for our display. As important will be something to display them on such as dressmaking dummies or mannequins so they don't end up as a puddle on the floor. Do you have any bodies in your attic you would be willing to lend us? Please contact Debbie on 01202 632858

#### **Books Needed!**

We are planning a book sale at the Village fayre - May 17<sup>th</sup>. Please talk to Francis if you have some that you could donate.

#### Help needed

Could you help organise the rotas for the 9.30 service? If so talk to Ali.

#### Confirmation 2014

Confirmation marks the point in the Christian journey at which you affirm for yourself the faith into which you have been baptised and your intention to live a life of committed discipleship.

Are you interested in or thinking about being confirmed? We will be running a preconfirmation course after Easter in preparation for a service in June.

Please speak to Ali if interested.

#### Wisdom Family Update

Sheets at the back introducing the Wisdom family, their mission and prayer requests.

#### Community Wednesday

Programme till July at the back – this week:

**Deeper:** Part of our Experience Easter series. As we explore what happened Palm Sunday to Good Friday

#### Churches Together Lunch

Churches together lunches, held at the Methodist Church always on the last Wednesday of the month. The next one is on April 30<sup>th</sup>.

#### Church Prayer meeting

Every Wednesday 9.30 at 11 Old Pound Close. All Welcome – do join us.

#### Get Connected

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