



St Mary's News

"One Church Worshipping in Different ways"

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

5th June 2016

Regular services will be at
St Mary's

Worship Today

8am BCP Holy Communion
Stewart Timbrell

9:30am Holy Communion
Rob Richards

11am St Mary's @11
communion
Rob Richards

In the coming weeks

Sunday 12th June

8am BCP Holy Communion
Paul Renyard

9:30am Holy Communion
Stewart Timbrell

11am St Mary's @11

Sunday 19th June

8am BCP Holy Communion
Stewart Timbrell

10:00am Morning Worship
Joint service with the
Methodist at

St Mary's church

Rob Richards

Martin Holst (Preach)

11am St Mary's @11

6pm Evensong

Sunday 26th June

8am BCP Holy Communion
Martin Fredriksen

9:30am Holy Communion
Stewart Timbrell

11am St Mary's @11

Sunday 3rd July

8am BCP Holy Communion

9:30am Holy Communion

11am St Mary's @11

Church Heating Update

The DAC have agreed in principle to the temporary installation of a number of Black Radiant Heaters. During a meeting with Electric Heating Solutions (who would supply and install these) on Tuesday, a possible permanent alternative solution was mentioned. The alternative heaters are wall mounted at ground level, would blend in well and would be far less disruptive to the fabric of the building. They are slightly more expensive but at the PCC meeting it was decided to explore these further. Please pray that we would know the right questions to ask and be guided to the best solution for the Church.

Rectory Decoration

Thank you for all the offers of help at the Rectory. It is really coming along and Barrie, Mike and Bill have done an excellent job with some extra helpers. We are now constrained a bit and working round the fact that the Diocese needs to do some work we won't need extra helpers for a while. Thinking ahead we will need to do a cleaning up job prior to carpets being laid so anyone willing to wield a cloth over some windows or clean a bathroom please could they let us know. This will be done Wednesday 29th June starting at 9am. Contact Elizabeth on 01202 625296.

Bell Ringing Success

Debbie attended the East Dorset Guild striking competition last weekend and rang with Morden who won the prize for best novice so she will show you her certificate once she gets it! Debbie has been working hard ringing at other towers as well as St Mary's and has a number of experienced ringers coming to help the band at St Mary's who are all improving. If you fancy a go see the advert in last week's News Sheet.

Cream Teas and Plant Sale

Sunday 5th June 2:30 – 5pm. Come and pick up some home grown plants at great prices then enjoy a **home-made** cream tea with fresh scones or cake. All served by our friendly waitresses. What better way to while away a Sunday afternoon?

News Sheet

If you would like to get the News sheet by email please contact Debbie (See below)

Or visit

www.smlm.co.uk

Click on **News**

Then click on **Recent News**

Printed copies will still be available in church or please contact Debbie.

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Prayer Focus

- Frances has a camp planning day this weekend
- Hazel Goodman's family on Monday at the funeral
- Difficult decisions about the heating, another option has been put to us
- Graham and Pam Stansfield

Special Item of Praise

All of Kat Riddell's tests came back negative.

Prayer Meeting

Parish Prayer meeting is held each Wednesday at 9.30 am at 11 Old Pound Close. We meet to pray for the Parish and also for any personal concerns you may have. Please join us if you would like.

What are we doing this week or in the future?

The Church calendar is now being kept up-to-date. Please let one of the contacts know if you would like to include an event.

Fundraising Dates For Your Diary

June 24th History of churches and choral event

July 3rd Cream Teas and Churchyard Tours

August 7th Cream Teas and Musical Interlude

The Wessex Festival 2016

A feast of beautiful music is on offer for singers and audiences alike in **The Wessex Festival 2016**. This annual music festival takes place from 11-14 August and comprises concerts, recitals, workshops and church services.

Wimborne Minster will be the venue for the two choral concerts with **Sacred Paris** on the opening evening when Faure's Requiem will be the main item performed by the three Festival singing ensembles. They will be performing again on the Festival Saturday in a programme that includes Mozart's Coronation Mass. The singers will be joined by Wessex Chamber Orchestra, which will also play Mozart's Horn Concerto No. 4.

Merley House, a Georgian mansion outside Wimborne, is the ideal setting for **A Night at the Opera**, when soloists from the London opera houses will sing a selection of opera favourites.

For more information about the Festival, either as a singer with the Festival singing ensembles or to come to the Festival as a member of the audience, visit the Festival website – www.thewessexfestival.co.uk - or contact the Festival Administrator, Bob Reeve at reeve64@btinternet.com