



St Mary's News

"One Church Worshipping in Different ways"

Sunday 13th October

8am BCP Holy Communion
9:30am Holy Communion
with Prayer Ministry available
11am St Mary's @11

Wednesday 16th October

7.45am Morning Prayer

Sunday 20th October

8am BCP Holy Communion
Stewart Timbrell
10am Joint with Methodists at
St Mary's
6pm Evensong

Wednesday 23rd October

7.45am Morning Prayer

Sunday 27th October

8am BCP Holy Communion
9:30am Holy Communion
11am St Mary's @11

Sunday 3rd November

8am BCP Holy Communion
9:30am Holy Communion
11am St Mary's @11
3pm All Souls service
6pm Praise and Prayer
Benefice Service

Wednesday 6th November

7.45am Morning Prayer

Sunday 10th November

8am BCP Holy Communion
10am Remembrance service
in Village Hall
10.45am Act of Remembrance
at War Memorial

Wednesday 13th November

7.45am Morning Prayer

Sunday 17th November

8am BCP Holy Communion
Stewart Timbrell
9:30am Holy Communion
11am St Mary's @11

Welcome to the St Mary's Church family

We are a diverse Church community meeting in and for our village

Raffle Prizes

We are going to be needing some raffle prizes for some of our Fundraising events before Christmas so if you have anything lurking in cupboards please donate to any of the Fundraising Team or leave inside the Bell Tower for Debbie to collect on Sunday. Many thanks. **Fundraising Team**

Clapper Chaos Handbell Concert

We had a wonderful evening with 30 in the audience and raising just over **£170 for the Bell Fund**. The performance was even better than last year and if you missed it you can get a glimpse on our Facebook page or website. Thank you to all those who gave up their time to help and to all our supporters as well.

Debbie

Harvest Weekend

Thank you to everyone who supported and made the Harvest Supper and Harvest Festival Service a great success. The wonderful fresh produce, including two home-made Dorset Apple cakes, raised **£40 for Christian Aid's Harvest Appeal**. **Stephen**

Ride and Stride

Thanks to everyone who took part in the Ride and Stride and all those who generously sponsored us. We raised a total of **£281 for the Dorset Historic Churches Trust** – half of which will come back to us at St Mary's. We have been raising money for the trust for many years and they have supported us generously in recent years too. **Stephen**

Cheeky Monkeys

The toddler group that we support continues to be popular with all who attend each Monday morning during term time. Do mention it to any families with pre-schoolers, especially those new to the village. We are always looking to grow our support team, so do speak to Stephen or a current helper if you are able to volunteer to help set up, pack away, chat to those who come or help with washing up. Thank You. **Stephen**

News Sheet

If you would like to get the News sheet by email please contact Debbie (See below)
Or visit
<http://www.smlm.co.uk/blog/>

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Prayer Focus

Give thanks for

- Those attending the Harvest supper and the Harvest communion and the contributions they made to the food bank
- We also thank the food bank volunteers for the selfless support they give

Prayers for

- Those in the community who are struggling to make ends meet
- The Eco event at St. Mary's
- The mars sessions in local schools in the coming weeks
- PCC on Tuesday 15th

The Churches Together Lunch

Next lunch is 30th October

These lunches are held on the last Wednesday of every month. Lunch will be served between 12 and 1-30, in the Methodist Church. Anyone is welcome young or old, whether or not you are Church members. Proceeds to charity.

Sheila

Diary Dates [St Mary's Calendar](#)

October		
15	PCC meeting	7.30pm at St Mary's
19	Eco awareness event	11-2pm at St Mary's
22	Medieval Church History Talk Cindy Wood	7.00pm at St Mary's
27	Messy Church - Lights	4-6pm at St Mary's
30	Churches Together Lunch	12-1:30 at The Methodist Church

November		
Nov 3	All Souls Service	3pm at St Mary's
Nov 3	Praise and Prayer Benefice Service	6pm at St Mary's
Nov 9	Alpha Holy Spirit morning	9.30am-1pm at St Mary's
Nov 10	Remembrance Sunday	10am Village Hall
Nov 10	Wedding Prep 1	2-5pm at St Marys
Nov 12	PCC	7.30pm at St Mary's
Nov 17	Wedding Prep 2	3-5pm The Rectory

January		
26th	Service of Dedication	4pm at St Mary's