

St. Mary's Church Kempsey

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CONTACTS DURING PETER'S SABBATICAL

29th. March – 3rd. July

David Hassell (828096) has overall responsibility for the parishes during Peter's Sabbatical as well as specific responsibility for Weddings and Funerals: For Baptisms: Libby James 353935

For Pastoral Matters please contact David or one of the Readers

Sheila Cook 831829

Peter Fitzjohn 820320

Libby James 353935

For all other enquiries please contact Church Wardens

St. Mary's: Alan Plowman 769214

Libby James 353935

St. Denys' Bryan Hadley 371383

John Henderson 371218

For bookings of St. Mary's House please phone

Julia Grant 820138

Please contact us if we can help us in any way

18th. APRIL 2010

EASTER 3

Welcome to our Church,
especially if you are a visitor or a newcomer.

Please take this sheet home with you as a reminder or to pass on

Heavenly Father, we thank you for the beauty of Spring and the warmth of the sunshine as it encourages the trees and the flowers to burst into bloom and the shoots to seek the light. May we continue to grow towards Your glorious light and may the Love in our hearts grow and blossom with the wonderful warmth of Your love given to each one of us at Easter and always.

AMEN

We hope you find the Weekly News Sheet helpful. Please let us know what you think or if you have any ideas or suggestions or if it would be helpful to have the Weekly News Sheet available in large print.

It is also available on our website –

www.stmaryskempsey.org.uk

click on Newsletters.

We look forward to hearing from you.

As the News Sheet will be available on our web site each week, it would be very much appreciated if you could check that people are willing for their contact details to be on the web site before forwarding any notices with phone numbers or email addresses. Thank you very much.

Libby, Alan & Edna

SERVICES TODAY

8.00 Morning Prayer BCP
10.30 Family Service with
Children's Church
6.00 Holy Communion BCP

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

8.00 Holy Communion BCP
10.30 Family Communion CW
and Children's Church
6.00 Youth Service led by
Vision 33

If you have items for the Weekly News Sheet please email Edna Cope: emcope@talktalk.net
put a paper copy in the BLUE tray in the vestry or
Phone Libby on 353935

By WEDNESDAY LUNCH TIME

SERVICES THIS COMING WEEK

Thursday 10.30 Holy Communion in the Lady Chapel
*Followed by Age Concern Coffee Morning
at St, Mary's House*
Friday 11.00 "Little Angels" Pram and Toddler Group.
Please come – we should love to see you.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

A Children's Church will take place at every 10.30 Service

All children are very welcome – please come.

We should love to see you.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

1. Sunday 23rd May **PENTECOST**

To celebrate the Church's Birthday on this Special Day, there will be a Bring and Share Picnic Lunch following the 10.30 Service.

Please come if you can.

The Social committee

2. Saturday, 3rd July at 2.00pm **ST MARY'S SUMMER FETE.**

We look forward to seeing you.

The Fete Committee

ALSO THIS COMING WEEK

Mon 8.00pm United benefice Prayer Meeting in the home of

Gilly Warfield.

Everyone Welcome

A THOUGHT for CONTEMPLATION

this week

“The Lord is my Shepherd; there is nothing I lack. He lets me lie down in green pastures; He leads me beside quiet waters.”

(Psalm 23: 1-2).

HEALING PRAYER

If you have a concern for yourself or for someone else and would like regular prayers for God's healing and wholeness please contact:- Gill Warfield 820074

or Sheila Cook 831829

St Marks Church Bath Road Plant Sale

Saturday 24th April

1.00 pm - 4.00pm

at

308 Bath Road
Worcester WR5 3ET

For more information

Phone 351392

PRAYER MINISTRY

If anyone would like prayers or a listening ear after a morning service for sickness, loss, personal problems or for any reason, there will always be someone available to talk or pray with you in confidence and in a quiet place.

Please ask Gilly Warfield or one of the Readers, Sheila, Peter or Libby,

IN SORROW

We commend Margaret Dean to God's loving keeping and we pray for Sue, Richard, Barbara and all her loved ones at this time.

Margaret's Funeral is on Monday 19th April 2.00 pm at St Mary's Church

followed by a short service of committal at Worcester Crematorium.

The Family warmly invite everyone to the service and join them afterwards for light refreshments at The Seabourne Inn

YOUTH SERVICE

Vision 33, St Mary's Youth Band will be leading a Special Service at 6.00pm on Sunday 25th April.

They are a talented and very committed band who now lead or participate in Youth Services in the Deanery and beyond.

Please come and Join them if you can for an inspiring and enthusiastic Service of Worship and Praise

FAIR TRADE

Fair Trade Goods are still available for anyone to buy at the back of Church. Please look on the table by the green Mission Board.

Join me for a Scrumptious **CAKE BREAK**

I am holding a Cake Break and **Invite you**

for a slice of cake and a cuppa to help raise funds to support people with **Multiple Sclerosis**

St. Mary's House

1st. May

10.30-12.30

Looking forward to seeing you

Bev Smith 350138

Donations of cakes appreciated

TEXTILE RECYCLING

Can you help us to fill the bin?

A textile bin is available in the car park of **The Talbot Inn** to recycle textiles, clothes, curtains, sheets, blankets & shoes. for

Melvyn's Trust

the charitable arm of. European Textile Recycling, a wonderful fund raising activity for the Church as well as providing for those in need in Africa and Europe.

Please help us to fill the bin. and tell your friends and neighbours.

GREEN TIPS

TIP 27 Purchase fair trade certified items - you'll be buying a more environmentally friendly product and one that hasn't been created through sweatshop labour.