

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

Arthur Kelly 820824

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 in any way

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

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.

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

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

St. Mary's Church Kempsey

www.stmaryskempsey.org.uk

6th. June 2010

First after Trinity

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 to someone who was unable to be in Church today.

Heavenly Father, help us to learn to give our worries and burdens to you and to know that you will give us rest. Help us to come unto you that we may be comforted and uplifted by your strength and vitality so that we might have real life. Be with us all this day and bless us with your peace. We ask this in your name. AMEN

SERVICES TODAY

- 8.00 Morning Prayer BCP
- 9.00 Holy Communion BCP
at Kerswell Green
- 10.30 Family Service and
Children's Church
- 3.00 Holy Baptism
- 6.00 Holy Communion BCP

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY

- 8.00 Holy Communion BCP
- 10.30 Informal Communion
with Children's Church.
- 6.00 Evensong BCP

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.

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,

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.

ALSO THIS COMING WEEK

Tues. 7.30 Social Committee
in St. Mary's House

Wed. 2.30 Cornflower Club
in the Parish Hall.

Wed. 7.30 Fete Committee Meeting
in Church

BAPTISM

We thank God for the Baptism of Liam Ashley Mark Davis. We pray for God's Blessing on him and his family in the years that lie ahead.

WEDDING

We pray for God's blessing on Stephen Plenderleith and Jodie Conway who will be married in St. Mary's at 12.00 on Tuesday, 8th. June

We wish them every happiness in their future life together.

SAVE the CHILDREN

We are holding a BUFFET BREAKFAST at the beginning of the World Cup. If you would like to join us at **ST. MARY'S HOUSE**

SATURDAY 12th. JUNE;
9.00 – 11.30 am

you would be most welcome. It will be £3.50 per person and the money raised will go to projects in Africa. For more information see Julia.

OPEN CHURCH

St. Denys' Church is now open every Sunday from the Morning Service to 6.00pm. It gives us all the opportunity to look around this beautiful Church or spend time in solitude, reflection or quiet prayer.

CHURCH BRASS

Our very warmest thanks and appreciation to Wendy Carter who has cleaned all the brass in the Church for many years. It always shines so brightly and enhances the beauty of our lovely Church.

Wendy would like now to pass on this job to someone else. For her it has been a labour of love and she hopes that it would be the same for whoever is willing to take on this important and much valued work.

Please could you let Alan or Arthur know if you feel that this is something you could do, either on your own, or with a friend.

Special thanks again to Wendy.

PROBLEMS?

Look out for God's words of comfort. There is useful, free literature (to be found on the literature rack, on the blue table at the back of Church) for those experiencing difficulties, sickness, bereavement etc and wanting to know what God has to say and what the Christian Faith is all about. God Bless you as you hear from him.

A THOUGHT for CONTEMPLATION

this week

No man can do properly what he is called to do in this life unless he can learn to forget his ego and act as an instrument of God. (W.H. Auden)

ST. MARY'S FETE

Saturday 3rd. July

Yes it's Summer fete time again.

Can YOU help?

We need:

BOTTLES for Peter's Bottle Stall.

NEARLY NEW (we cannot sell electrical items).

TOYS, PLANTS

JAMS & PRESERVES

If you are able to help please could you put items at the back of Church or see a member of the Fete Committee (Libby, Alan, Julia, David W, David L, Henry, Arthur) if you would like items to be collected.

CAKES FOR THE FETE

Cakes are needed for the Cake Stall to be run by the Women's Fellowship and for Teas.

Please could you sign a list at the back of Church if you are willing to make a cake or two.

Thank you all very much from The Fete Committee.

GREEN TIPS

TIP 32 Instead of countless plastic biro's, invest in a refillable fountain pen and a bottle of ink (not cartridges). Result - less plastic, nicer writing and people tend not to walk away with your pen.

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Coach Trip

The Women's Fellowship is arranging a half day coach trip on **Wednesday 14th. July** to visit the gardens of **Orleton House**, Stanford Bridge, nr. Tenbury Wells.

We would like to invite anyone – male or female to join us. There are lovely, large, richly planted, colourful herbaceous borders covering several acres (you don't have to walk round the whole lot!) surrounding a 19th. century grade 2 listed building, in the beautiful Teme Valley.

The coach will leave Kempsey at 1.00 picking up at the Community Centre, the Parish Hall and Byfields. We should be back in Kempsey around 5.30.

Cost for the afternoon is £14 which includes coach, entrance fee and tea or coffee and biscuits.

Anyone interested please telephone Carole Shaw-Ling on 01905 821467 as soon as possible.

THE THIRD TUESDAY GROUP

A new "small group" has been formed to meet once a month. The intention is that we should consider together practical issues involved in working out our faith, both as individuals and as part of the church community, as well as to support one another in our faith journeys.

If you would like to know more please have a word with Paul or Avril Kemp, Lucy Guilding, Carol Shaw-Ling or Sue Price.