

St Mary's Church Arnold

Welcome to St Mary's. Please join us for coffee after 9.15am in the Family Centre or 11am at the back of church. If you are new, please make yourself known to one of the service leaders or wardens. A collection is taken during the services.



Sunday May 13th Easter 7 Thy Kingdom Come

Readings for the day : Acts 1:15-17, 21-26 p1092, 1John 5:9-13 p1228, John 15:9-17 p1083.

Christian Aid Services

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| 8.00am | BCP Morning Prayer | Preacher: Frances Newsham |
| 9.15am | Morning Service Hymns:242, 652, 141, 680. | Preacher: Liz Cordle Christian Aid Speaker |
| 11.00am | All Age Gathering | Preacher: Liz Cordle Christian Aid Speaker |
| 6.00pm | Evening Communion | Preacher: Rev Margaret Caunt |

Next Sunday May 20th Pentecost

Morning Readings: Ezekiel 37:1-14,p868, Romans 8:22-27 p1135, John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15 p1084.

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| 9.15am | Morning Communion with Baptism of Mille Smith and Thanksgiving of Alexander Barke | Preacher: Rev Margaret Caunt |
| 11.00am | Morning Gathering | Preacher: Annie Hill |
| 6.00pm | Sacred Space | Led by Rev Margaret Caunt |

Please send items for the pew sheet to Lucille Porter by Tuesday evening.
07833 781770 or lucilleporter@yahoo.co.uk or email:
admin@stmarysarnold.org.uk

Thy Kingdom Come 10 days Of Prayer starts on Ascension Day

Below are some prayer events

St. Mary's Church will be open for 24 Hours of prayer from 12 Noon on Wednesday 16th to 8.00 pm on Thursday 17th May. There will be special acts of worship at 7.45 pm on the Wednesday and 7.00pm on the Thursday. The Church will need to be staffed throughout and if you would like to dedicate some specific times to support this, please put your name down on the Sign Up Sheet. More information will be given out nearer the time. Thanks

Trent Vineyard Thy Kingdom Come Prayer for our City Fri 18th May 7.30pm

Trent Vineyard Church Easter Park, Lenton Lane, NG7 2PX, is holding another inter denominational praise and prayer event for the City of Nottingham. It was very good last year. It is tickets only but tickets are free. You need to book through Eventbrite on the web or let Margaret know if you wish to go but can't manage the web!

Christian Aid Week - help needed please. 13th-19th May

Could you do coffee and cake or afternoon tea at home and invite friends along and ask them to make a donation to Christian Aid? If you need a poster or resources just ask Andrea Sands. Could you consider collecting on a street near you or take a few extra envelopes for family and friends? Please pray for this week. Daily Devotionals aids for this are at the back of church so do take one. Thank you to all of you who supported The Big Brekkie we raised £631.00 which was amazing.

School of Discipleship: *Real LIFE*

In September 2018 the diocese will be starting a discipleship course called *Real LIFE*. If you might be interested, there are Taster evenings: 7.30 - 9.30pm
St Peter's Ravenshead NG15 9FD Monday 21 May, St Nic's Nottingham NG1 6AE
Wednesday 23 May, Christ Church, Worksop S81 0XS Tuesday 5 June 2018,
St Leonards, Newark NG24 2DP Thursday 14 June 2018. Please send an email to adisciplinedlife@southwell.anglican.org. Chat to Vicar Margaret about it)

Why not join us for midweek communion? These are on 1st Wednesday of each month at 10am.

Faith and Dementia Awareness on 6th June 2018 (9:30-12:30pm) at Jubilee House, Westgate, Southwell, NG25 0JH. This session will look at the causes and effect of dementia and provide some ideas on how best the Church can support sufferers and carers alike both within the church context and within the wider community setting. To book your place contact Catriona Gundlach Tel: 01636 817232 or catriona@southwell.anglican.org



AROUND THE PARISH

In our prayers this week we pray for those who live and work in Litchfield Rise, Lodge Farm Lane, Longhurst Drive, Lynemouth Court, Lynton Gardens and Malin Close.

Long Term Care - Please pray for: May Terry, Ella Wilson, John Shooter, Heather Christian, Susan Bloomfield and Mary Whitehurst.

Recent Illness - Dorothy Saunders, Pat Wheat, Margaret Lockyer, Thecla Latter, Cynthia Gorman, Norman and Margaret Simpson, Eddie Smith, Julie Ellis, Emma Spencer, Christine Smith and Katherine Francis.

The family and friends of those who have recently died: - Pat Pickering, Patricia Reynolds, Doris Gilbert, Iris Stone, George Lewan, Phyliss Stathers and Brian Moulton.

Funerals for:

- Brian Moulton will be on Friday 25th May at 1.30p.m. at Gedling crematorium.
- Mrs Pat Pickering will be on Thursday 31st May at 10am here at St Mary's Church.

Suggested daily Bible Readings for week beg May 14th:

Mon: *Luke 76:36-end*, **Tues:** *Luke 8:1-15*, **Wed:** *Luke 8:16-25*,

Thurs: *Luke 8:26-39*, **Fri:** *Luke 8:40-end*, **Sat:** *Luke 9:1-17*.

Other Prayer Items:

Please continue to pray for HOPE 2018. This is a nationwide initiative to reach out to our community with the Good News of Jesus. Please see the St Mary's website for links to their monthly Prayer Diary for 2018.

Please Pray For Nottingham Street Pastors Our Street Pastors do an amazing job week in and week out coming into contact with lots of people who need prayer. Please pray for the Street Pastors including our own Pete Spencer and their clients (see Pete for more information).

Rev Susan Bloomfield has moved to Pathfinders Specialist and Complex Care Centre. Darwin Drive, New Ollerton, Notts NG22 9GW Please pray that Susan settles in and perhaps send her a card to let her know she is still in our prayers.

Growing Disciples Prayer



Lord, take us from where we are, to where you want us to be; make us not merely guardians of a heritage, but living signs of your coming Kingdom. Fill us with that faith, hope and love which embody the Gospel; and through the power of the Holy Spirit make us one. That the world may believe, that your name may be enthroned in our nation, that your church may more effectively, be your witnesses. We commit ourselves to mission, love and service, in your name and for the sake of your Kingdom. Amen.

The clergy surgery: on 3rd Wednesday of the month 6pm-8pm. Surgery is to book weddings, baptisms and for anyone who needs a word with the vicar. Longer appointments can still be made with the vicar in the usual way.

Job Shop, Volunteering, Training

FOCUS FOR SPRING: WORKING WITH OUR YOUNG PEOPLE ☺

If you can help with our youngsters in any way or help with **Activity Week** this year. Monday July 30th to Friday August 3rd. Then Please Contact **Andrea Sands** email and.ed.sands@gmail.com

What's On week beginning 14th May

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| Monday | 9.00am | <i>Morning Prayer</i> |
| Tuesday | 2.00pm 7.30pm | <i>St Mary's Tots</i> <i>Community Cinema The Greatest Showman</i> |
| Wednesday | 9.00am 12noon 2-4pm 7.45pm | <i>Morning Prayer</i> <i>24hrs Prayer begins</i> <i>Church open</i> <i>Thy Kingdom Come Act of Worship</i> |
| Thursday | 9.00am 7.00pm | <i>Morning Prayer</i> <i>Thy Kingdom Come Act of Worship</i> |
| Friday | 7.30pm | <i>Prayer for our City-Trent Vineyard</i> |
| Saturday | 8.30am | <i>Time for Prayer in Church</i> |
| Sunday | 6.30pm 8.00pm | <i>Rock Solid Youth Club</i> <i>R2 Youth Club</i> |

Get in Touch

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