

# St Mary's Church Arnold



Welcome to St Mary's. Please join us for coffee after the service at the back of church.

If you are new, please make yourself known to one of the service leaders or wardens.

## Sunday October 7th Harvest Festival

10.00am	Harvest Special
6.00pm	Evening Communion Readings: <i>Gen 2:18-24 p4</i> <i>Hebrews 1:1-4, 2:5-12 p1201</i> <i>Mark 10:2-16 p1014</i> Hymns: 167, 705, 121, 465.

## Next Sunday October 14th Trinity 20

Readings: Amos 5:6-7, 10-15 p920, Hebrews 4:12-16 p1203, Mark 10:17-31 p1014.	
8.00am	BCP Morning Prayer
9.15am	Morning Service Hymns: 210, 18, 714, 605.
11.00am	All Age Gathering
6.00pm	Evening Communion Hymns: 740, 307, 368, 428.



*Be part of a live recording for BBC Songs of Praise!*

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> October, 6:30pm - 9:30pm Albert Hall Nottingham**  
see poster for more details

*There are two Leprosy Mission dates for your diaries:*

- **Saturday November 3<sup>rd</sup> 3.00 p.m.** Supporters' meeting, followed by tea, at Sherwood Methodist Church. Please have a word with Alan if you're thinking to go.
- **Saturday March at 2<sup>nd</sup> 10am-12noon.** St Mary's Leprosy Mission Coffee Morning here in church.

ARNOLD CHURCHES TOGETHER: Lots going on .... See poster at the back of church.

### Operation Christmas Child

It is shoebox time again and Michael Jackson has kindly covered some to give us a great start. They will be at the back of church for you to take along with a leaflet. You can also cover your own, preferably use boxes about the size of an A4 sheet of paper. Do remember the donation for postage even if it means putting less items in your box. The box of wool and patterns will also be at the back of church so help yourself. We particularly need gloves or mittens of all sizes. I have some shower curtains that need making into simple drawstring sponge bags if anybody can help. I find that one curtain makes about 24 sponge bags as they do not need to be very big. Thank you Andrea

### God's Trees



A talk on trees, forests and wood found in the Bible including how they were used, abused and so much more - interesting, inspiring and certainly not dry. Speaker: Prof Julian Evans on Thursday Oct 18th 2.30pm followed by afternoon tea in aid of the Tower Fund. Tickets £5 from Ralph Bedrock: [ralph.bedrock@btinternet.com](mailto:ralph.bedrock@btinternet.com) or 07879 572132, Mary and David.

**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 Opportunity

***We are looking to appoint a Sessional worker to help with R2 Youth Group ages 14-18. 3 hours per week. Preparation time per week one hour. Please contact Vicar Margaret for more details.***

### Can you HELP?

Rob Taylor (Diocesan sports ambassador) is looking for help to run a Football Holiday Club for Arnold churches here at St Mary's and adjacent field during half term week (Tues 30<sup>th</sup> Oct - Fri 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov 9am - 2.30pm) No football experience needed (Rob provides the coaches) just a heart for kids work and an ability to chat and lead them through some discussion sessions. The focus is accessible, fun football coaching combined with relevant Gospel teaching. Interested? Contact Rob Taylor 07775 687682 [info@starstrikefootball.co.uk](mailto:info@starstrikefootball.co.uk)



**How about volunteering for Jericho Road? See the poster at the back of church or email [esme@jerichoroad.org.uk](mailto:esme@jerichoroad.org.uk) or call 0115 845 3691 for more info and an application pack.**

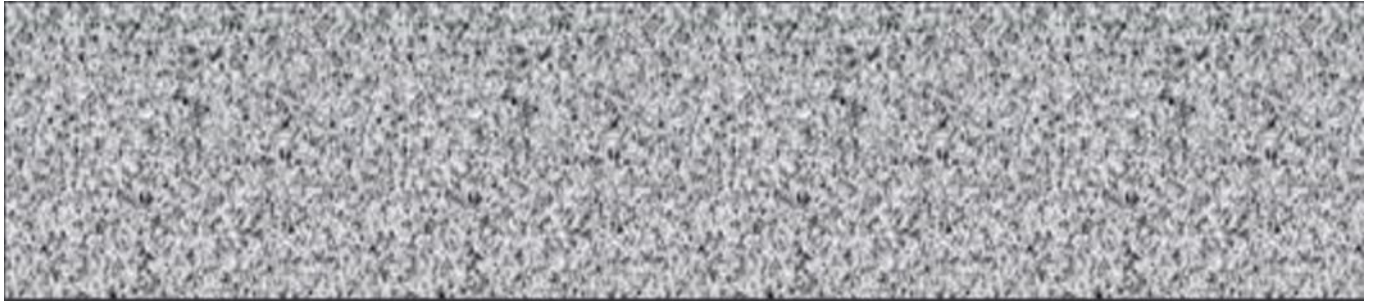
## Remembrance Book

The time has come to add new entries to the Remembrance Book. This will be done before the All Saints and Remembrance Service in early November. If you would like a name added this time, please obtain an Application Form and return to Michael Bolton by Sunday 21st October. Forms are available from the Wardens or on the bookshelves by the church door.

## Prayer Topics

### AROUND THE PARISH

In our prayers this week we pray for those who live and work in Acton Road, Albion Rise, Allens Walk, Angela Close and Angus Close.



### Suggested daily Bible Readings for week beg Oct 8th:

Mon: Phil 1:1-11, Tues: Phil 1:12-end, Wed: Phil 2:1-13,  
Thurs: Phil 2:14-end, Fri: Phil 3:1-4:1, Sat: Phil 4:2-end.

### 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.

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



### **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.*

## What's On week beginning 8th October

<b>Monday</b>	<b>9.00am</b>	<i>Morning Prayer</i>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>2.00pm</b>	<i>St Mary's Tots</i>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>9.00am</b> <b>2-4pm</b>	<i>Morning Prayer</i> <i>Church open</i>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>9.00am</b>	<i>Morning Prayer</i>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>1.30pm</b>	<i>Tea Dance</i>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>8.30am</b> <b>3.45pm</b>	<i>Time for Prayer in Church</i> <i>Messy Church -Noah - A special promise</i>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>6.30pm</b> <b>8.00pm</b>	<i>Rock Solid Youth Group</i> <i>R2 Youth Group</i>

### Get in Touch

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Find out more about us and what's going on at  
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*Please send items for the pew sheet to Lucille Porter by Tuesday evening.  
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