

# St Mary's Church Arnold

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

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



## Sunday September 8th Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

<b>Morning Readings: Deuteronomy 30:15-20 p208, Philemon 1-21 p1200, Luke 14:25-33 p1049</b>	
<b>8.00am</b>	<b>BCP Morning Prayer</b>
<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Morning Service Hymns: 81, 175, 608, 172.</b>
<b>11.00am</b>	<b>Morning Gathering</b>
<b>6.00pm</b>	<b>BCP Evening Communion Readings: 2Cor 3:7-end p1160 Mark 7:31-37 p1011 Hymns: 493, 144, 246, 192.</b>

## Sunday September 15<sup>th</sup> Thirteenth after Trinity

<b>Morning Readings: Exodus 32:7-14 p661, 1Timothy 1:12-17 p1212, Luke 15:1-10 p1047</b>	
<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Holy Communion Hymns: 30, 740, 701, 12, 341, 683.</b>
<b>11.00am</b>	<b>Morning Gathering</b>

**One Life is getting very close!** St Mary's has 10 tickets for the meal at Wood borough Hall on Friday evening Sept 13th. If you have a guest to bring, ask Lucille for tickets. We shall be welcoming two members of the team to Messy Church to meet and share the Good News of Jesus with our local families. On Sunday Sept 15th, we are delighted to welcome Bp Peter Eagles from the Diocese of Sodor and Man as our preacher at both 9.15 and 11am. Bp Peter has been an Army Chaplain amongst other jobs before becoming a Bishop. Who will you invite to church? The weekend will be followed by two courses for those who want to learn more about following Jesus.



*Please Pray for the 'One LIFE' Mission with the Archbishop of York and all the northern Bishops, that's happening 12<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> September across the Diocese.*

*Father God help us to reach out in faith and love and witness to all. By your Spirit help us grow in unity, grow as followers of Jesus Christ, and grow your kingdom in Southwell and Nottingham. Amen.*

**Archbishop's Pilgrimage Prayer** - Father in Heaven mould me into Christlikeness and stir up in me the fire of your love. Lord Jesus Christ Son of the Father renew my friendship in you and help me to serve you with a quiet mind and a burning spirit. Holy Spirit fill me with your power and help me to tell of the love and salvation in Jesus of Nazareth. Father, Son and Holy Spirit please keep me in the joy, simplicity, and compassion of your holy Gospel. Amen.

**Family Centre Floor.** The family centre hall will be closed all day on 8th Sept as well as Saturday and Sunday 21st-22nd September Harvest weekend for floor repairs. Coffee will be served in Church on those Sundays.

**One Life** - almost there! We're all invited to a Prayer and Pudding evening at St Wilfrid's Calverton at 7pm on Thurs Sept 12th to meet the team and pray for the weekend. Members of the team will help us at Messy Church on Sat 14th and on Sunday Bp Peter will preach at 9.15am and another team member will be taking part at 11am. Bring along a friend!

**A Diocesan trip** to KwaZulu Natal, SA is being planned for November 2019. As St Mary's is linked to the parish of Drakensberg, this would be an opportunity for some person or people to visit the congregation of St Michael and All Angels in Himeville, our sister church. If you are interested and would like more details, please contact Maureen Rodgers Tel. 07715291245

**Harvest Festival** - Can you help?? For the Harvest Festival Service on Sunday the 22nd of September we will be decorating the church with Vegetables. If you can please meet us in Church from 8.30am Onwards on Saturday the 21st of September, any and all help will be greatly appreciated!! Also, the flower funds are running quote low, all donations are greatly received.

**September Alpha Course - Help needed!** Can you help? We need help with the organisation behind the course and particularly the preparation and serving of food on the Thursday evenings (September 26th thro' December 12th). The more folk that volunteer the easier it will be for all! Andrea is looking for volunteers for a meal rota and serving the meals. Please see Ed or Andrea as to how you can help. Andrea: [and.ed.sands@gmail.com](mailto:and.ed.sands@gmail.com) and 07814 770946 Ed: [ejrsands@gmail.com](mailto:ejrsands@gmail.com) and 07831 807941

**Wednesday Morning Communion's** - Our monthly Service of Communion that is usually held on one Wednesday per month will unfortunately not be happening at the present moment. Normal services will resume when Vicar Margaret returns.



The Bible Course is a brilliant and accessible way to understand the full Bible story in only 8 sessions.

For more information about the Course, Venue etc. please contact Lucille Porter at: [lucilleporter@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:lucilleporter@yahoo.co.uk)

St.Mary's Church, Arnold  
The course starts:  
Wednesday 25th September.  
Time 2.00 pm



**Can you help?** We need some extra people to help in our children's groups during the 11 o'clock service, particularly in our younger group. You would not need to do any preparation as this would be done by the leader. You would be helping the children in games and crafts and helping to tidy up.

All helpers are on a rota, roughly once per month. If you would like to join our team, please speak to Verity Blakemore or Claire Ball

## We are taking Part in the ASDA Arnold Green Token Scheme -

Running from now until 30<sup>th</sup> of September. Make sure to collect one every time you shop by asking the cashiers, whilst paying for your food. Pop it into our yellow collection chute located by the lifts at the side entrance. Should we collect the most tokens our charity will receive £500, which will be used to purchase emergency food for local people in crisis. Thank you for your continuing support - Alan Langton



## St Mary's Church Concert Season! -

Enjoy a superb choir in our beautiful church. Carlton Male Voice Choir on Saturday October 12th. Proceeds in aid of the Tower Fund. Come along yourself and bring a friend! Tickets will be available from David, Liz and Maureen.

**WEDNESDAY AFTERNOONS** - Do you have a free Wednesday afternoon each month to come and sit in church and welcome any visitors? The church is open from 2 to 4 every Wednesday afternoon, and we could do with a few more people to go on the rota. There needs to be two people on duty so you would never be on your own. If you think you would be interested, please have a word with Mary Norris.

**Monthly Prayer sheet** - is available at the back of church. Please keep on praying! Please contact Chris Baker with requests and outcomes.



St.Mary's Arnold Alpha Course

Thursday, September 26th

at 7.00 pm

**You're invited.**

St.Mary's Coach House

#TryAlpha

This is a great opportunity to explore the Christian Faith and get answers to all those questions you always wanted to ask.

For more information, please have a word with Ed Sands, on 07831-807941 or [ejrsands@gmail.com](mailto:ejrsands@gmail.com).

## Please Continue to Pray our 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.*

## Suggested daily Bible Readings for week beg September 2<sup>nd</sup>

Mon: Mark 6:45-end, Tues: Mark 7:1-13, Wed: Mark 7:14-23, Thurs: Mark 7:24-30, Fri: Mark 7:31-end, Sat: Mark 8:1-10

**PRAYER AROUND THE PARISH OF ARNOLD** For Homes and workplaces in our prayers this week we pray for those who live and work in Tena Close, Thales Drive, Thrapston Avenue, Trueman Gardens, Upminster Drive and Valetta Road.

**Please Pray for Our Local Schools** This week please pray for staff and pupils at Richard Bonington, Pinewood, Killisick, Derry Mount and St Mary's Pre-school

**Please Pray for Our Messy Church and Tuesday Tots** Messy Church meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of every month. St Mary's Tots meets every Tuesday afternoon in term-time. These two groups are a large part of our outreach to young families and children. Please pray for our volunteers and those coming along

**Those in Long Term Care - Please pray for:** Freda Hammond, Ella Wilson, Florence Seagrave and Dorothy Saunders.

**Those Recently Ill** - Rev. Margaret Caunt, Brenda Bowler, Eddie Smith, Norman Simpson, Elizabeth Douglas, Margaret Simpson, Joseph Gorman and Donna Marshall.

**The Family and Friends of those who have recently died and whose funerals have been taken by our ministers** - Elizabeth Oldham, Lionel Redgate.

**The Deaths of Church Members** with permission the names of church members who have recently died will be announced here for information and prayer then after their funerals have taken place, their names will move into the list of funerals conducted by our ministers for three weeks.

**The Clergy Surgery is normally on 3rd Wednesday of the month 6pm-8pm for anybody to book weddings, baptisms and for anyone from the parish who would like a word with the vicar. Unfortunately, there will not be a Surgery in September. However please email the office for more contact details. Church members can make appointments with the vicar any time in the usual way.**

### What's on Week Beginning September 9<sup>th</sup>

<b>Monday</b>	<b>9.00am</b>	<i>Morning Prayer</i>	
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>2.00pm</b>	<i>St Mary's Tots service</i>	
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>9.00am</b>	<i>Morning Prayer</i>	
	<b>2.00pm</b>	<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>3.45pm</b>	<i>Messy Church - David - Shepherd, Singer, Giant Killer</i>	
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	<i>Morning Communion</i>	<i>Bishop of Sodor &amp; Man, Right Revd Peter Eagles will be preaching at both services</i>
	<b>11.00am</b>	<i>Morning Gathering</i>	

### Get in Touch

Parish Administrator: [admin@stmarysarnold.org.uk](mailto:admin@stmarysarnold.org.uk)

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*Please send items for the pew sheet to Jamie Brookshaw by Tuesday evening.*

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