

SERVICES TODAY

9.00AM - BREAKFAST CHURCH (IN THE HALL)

Leader: Sarah Pix Preacher: Emma Taylor
Theme: Why can life be hard?

9.00am - Morning Worship

Leader: Patches Chabala Preacher: Will Pyke
Reading: Ephesians 4:11-16 & 6:10-18
(p. 1,175 & 1,177)
Theme: Equipping the Saints

10.15am - 10.40am

Refreshments served in the Beacon Café

10.45am - Morning Worship

Leader: Sarah Pix Preacher: Will Pyke
Reading & Theme: (as for 9am Church service)

6.30pm - "Hungry" (with Holy Communion) *(in the Hall)*

Leader: Patches Chabala Preacher: Andrew Harmer
Theme: Enlarging our Boundaries
Reading: 1 Chronicles 4:9-10 (p.404)

TODAY'S GROUPS FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE AT OUR 10.45AM SERVICE

Sparklers (self-help crèche - 0-3s)
in the Church Lounge

Platform (children aged 3-8)
Meet together in the Hall

Ignite & Dynamo (children aged 8-14)
In the Beacon Room

7.00pm

Youth Alpha (13-18s) in the Beacon Café

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SERVICES NEXT WEEK ...

THURSDAY 23RD MARCH 2017

10.00am - Holy Communion

Followed by coffee in the Church Lounge

SUNDAY 26TH MARCH 2017

(MOTHERING SUNDAY)

9.00am - Breakfast Church

9.00am - Holy Communion

10.15am - 10.40am

Refreshments served in the Beacon Café

10.45am - Family Service

6.30pm - "Hungry"

WELCOME TO

St Mary's



19TH MARCH 2017

Welcome to St Mary's.
It's great to have you here.

If you are new or visiting us today,
please visit our WELCOME AREA
at the back of the church
or speak to one of our Welcome Team
(who are wearing white badges).

Find us online at
www.stmarys-ferndown.org.uk

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PRAYER FOCUS

Monday: Pray for the PCC meeting this evening. Pray for wisdom and the Holy Spirit's inspiration and ideas. Pray for a sense of working together for the Kingdom and Glory of God.

Tuesday: Lift to the Lord any known to you who have been recently bereaved. Pray for the Lord's comfort. Ask God to bless and help Jenny Thornton and her team as they reach out to those walking through grief.

Wednesday: Pray for those suffering in parts of Africa due to food insecurity and famine. Use resources on the Diocesan website, or Tearfund or the UN.

Thursday: Praise God for the breakthroughs that we have seen recently in increasing opportunities in the community. Ask God for courage and grace in taking them.

Friday: Can you find 15 reasons to thank God today?

Saturday: Pray for the deanery men's event today that it will be a source of encouragement and inspiration to all that attend – that all eyes would be on Jesus.

Sunday: Pray for the women of our church – for single people, for mum's, daughters, grandmas – ask for God's blessing and that they would grow in faith and love.

Beacon Prayer

Every Monday, 12-12.30pm in the Church Lounge.

PRAYER FOCUS:

Every Good and Perfect gift comes from our heavenly Father. Give thanks and find ways to be generous in giving to others

If you have anything you would like prayer for, or would like to receive prayer requests, please email St. Mary's

Prayer Link: stmarysprayer@fastmail.co.uk



Ministry in Wool - Tomorrow, Mon 20th Mar, at 10am in the Beacon Café. All knitters welcome.

Breathing Space - This Tues, 21st Mar, at 2pm in the Church Lounge. A time to simply sit, breath, and be still. Rest in God's love for you and be refreshed. All welcome.

Women's Ministry - If you are interested in thinking through the direction of Women's Ministry at St. Mary's, please come along this Tues, 21st Mar at 7.30pm in the Beacon Room.

Wimborne Deanery Men's Event BE BOLD AND COURAGEOUS

This Sat, 25th Mar, 9am - 3pm at St Mary's Ferndown

An inspiring conference on courageous Christian leadership in the 21st century led by keynote speaker Major General Tim Cross CBE. With additional talks and workshops, refreshments and curry lunch included.

Tickets £10

Available from St Mary's Church Office

Tel. 01202 897087 / events@stmarys-ferndown.org.uk
or via <https://www.wegotickets.com/event/388238>

Children Leaders & Helpers meeting - Mon 27th Mar at 7pm in the Beacon Room. For all people who help with youth and children's groups, or are interested in helping. Please sign up at the back of church if you would like to come, or speak to Emma Taylor for more details.

"World Changers!"

Sat 8th April 9.45am-3.30pm

A day with Olly Goldenberg of 'Children Can' for leaders and prospective leaders in children & youth ministry.

See flyers for more details.

Welcome to Amelie Shore and her family and friends as she is being baptised this morning at St. Mary's.

Clocks go forward next week

Just a reminder to re-set your clocks next Saturday night (25th Mar) forward 1 hour.



Easter cards - There are a selection of Easter cards for sale on the Bookstall at the back of Church.

We have heard the sad news that some members of St. Mary's have died this week:-

Brian Tall died earlier this week. We will let you know details of his funeral as soon as we know them.

Joan Keeler also died earlier this week. Her funeral will be on Mon 27th Mar at 11am at St. Mary's Church.

Stella Bastin, who had been a member of St. Mary's Church for many years, passed away on Fri 10th Mar in Poole Hospital.

I have been overwhelmed by the thoughtfulness and kindness shown to both Richard and myself since my accident - cards, calls, meals, etc. Also the kind enquiries about our son Philip following his awful crash on the M25. He is alive, thank God, and will recover in time. Penny, bless her, has been wonderful. Truly my cup is full and running over. *Naomi Sutton*

South Sudan Appeal

There will be a retiring collection next Sunday (26th Mar) and at our Maundy Thursday service (13th Apr) for the Salisbury Diocese South Sudan appeal via Christian Aid. More details can be found on the Salisbury Diocese website:- www.salisbury.anglican.org/news/appeal-for-south-sudan-crisis