

Prayer Diary

Monday: Pray for the café team today. Thank God that so many people come into our premises and pray that they would experience God's love in action whilst they are here. A number of the café team had to finish before Christmas due to moving house etc., so pray that others will step up to be involved.

Tuesday: Pray for the new Baptism Preparation course starting tonight. Ask God to bless the families that come, and pray for revelation as the team share the Good News of Jesus with them.

Wednesday: Pray for those working in the NHS at a time of great pressure. Pray for wisdom, compassion and efficiency, and for an end to the flu outbreak. Pray for those who staff our local Doctors Surgeries.

Thursday: Pray for G-force and 3:16 running tonight. Pray for fun, safety, a sense of the Lord's presence, good conversations, and that God will grow the team of helpers.

Friday: Pray for our nation. Ask God to show us mercy again, and turn our hearts back to him, that we would see revival in the UK. Pray for a growth of faith and confidence in the Gospel amongst believers.

Saturday: Pray for Simon & Sue Morgan in Uganda - use their news sheet (copies available at the back of church).

Sunday: Pray for our gathering around our heavenly Father today - that in all the services, we will grow together as His family, worship Him fully and that Jesus would be glorified.

PRAYER FOCUS

Many, Lord my God, are the wonders you have done, the things you planned for us.
None can compare with you; were I to speak and tell of your deeds,
they would be too many to declare. *Psalm 40: 5*

*If you have anything you would like prayer for, or would like to receive prayer requests,
please email St. Mary's Prayer Link: prayerlink@stmarys-ferndown.org.uk*

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

Services Next Week ...

Thursday 18th January 2018 10.00am - Holy Communion
Sunday - 21st January 2018 9.00am - Breakfast Church
 9.00am - Morning Worship
 10.45am - Morning Worship
 6.30pm - "Hungry" (with Holy Communion)

Welcome to

St Mary's



14th January 2018

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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St. Mary's Contact Details

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Rev. Sarah Pix - Team Rector	(01202) 890798	Day Off: Wednesday
Rev. Patches Chabala - Team Vicar	(01202) 895099	Day Off: Friday
Mike Orman - Worship Pastor	(01202) 959453	Day Off: Friday
Emma Taylor - Children's Pastor	(01202) 989452	Day Off: Saturday
Lynne Rees - Pastoral Care Co-ordinator	(01202) 871936	Day Off: Saturday

Services Today

9.00am - Breakfast Church
(in the Hall)

Leader: Ann Scouse Preacher: David Scouse
Theme: We are family - our Big Brother
Reading: Hebrews 2: 5-18 (p.1,202)

9.00am - Holy Communion
(in Church)

Leader: Ray Forbes Preacher: Sarah Pix
Theme: We are family - our Big Brother
Reading: Hebrews 2: 5-18 (p.1,202)

10.00am - 10.40am *Refreshments served in the Beacon Café*

10.45am - Morning Worship
(in Church)

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

6.30pm - "Hungry"
(in Church)

Leader & Preacher: Tony Moore
Reading & Theme: (as for 9am Church service)

Today's Groups for Children & Young People

During 10.45am service

Sparklers (self-help crèche - 0-3s) in the Beacon Café *(with live-link from church)*
Platform (children aged 3-14) in the Hall

6.30pm - Youth Alpha (13-18s) in the Beacon Café

Upcoming funerals of St Mary's Church Members

A number of our church family have gone to be with Jesus over the last few weeks. Please do pray for all their family and friends at this sad and difficult time. All friends are warmly invited to these services:

Pat Price-Jones - Friday 19th January, 1.30pm at St. Mary's
Vi Wooldridge - Thursday 25th January, 2pm at Poole Crematorium
Richard Whittington - Wednesday 31st January, 2.30pm at St. Mary's

Are you new to St. Mary's?

Newcomers' Afternoon Tea
Saturday 3rd February at 3pm
in the Beacon Café
(please note the change of date)



For more information, speak to a member of the Welcome Team, or pick up an invite from the Welcome Area at the back of church or the pews.

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Starts tonight

6.30pm - 8.30pm in the Beacon Cafe

Suitable for ages 13-18.

For further info, please speak to
Mike Orman or Emma Taylor.

Frontiers in Science and Society: Christian Perspectives

Sat 3rd Feb, 9.15am-5.15pm

National Oceanography Centre, Southampton

A day of talks and discussion exploring the relationship between science and faith from a Christian perspective. Organised by the Christians in Science and the Faraday Institute, St. Edmund's College, Cambridge. Visit www.frontiers-in-science-and-society.eventbrite.co.uk for tickets (£21.50 each)

Storage for 3 sofas belonging to Simon & Sue Morgan

Simon & Sue need somewhere to store 3 sofas. If you can help, please contact Derek White.

The Christian Business Directory 2018

Copies are available at the back of Church. Please take a copy if you would like one.

Prayer Ministry Teaching Morning - Sat 27th Jan from 9am 'til 12noon in the Hall

This month we are opening up our prayer ministry team gathering to anyone interested in learning more about prayer ministry..... the 'how', 'what' and 'when'. This morning will be of benefit to those who perhaps want to pray for people with varying needs, but don't know what to say. The model of praying that we use in prayer ministry draws people to Father God, as we pray in the name of Jesus, empowered by Holy Spirit.

After a glorious time worshipping Jesus, there will be Biblical teaching, coffee and chat, and then a practical session. Bob Payne, a retired Anglican minister, who is part of The Lantern Church is leading the teaching and practical sessions. It promises to be a great morning and we welcome anyone who is interested, or who is perhaps just curious. Please add your names to the sign-up sheet at the back of church. Coffee/tea will be available from 8.45am and you will be most welcome. *Roger & Abbie Wearn*

"Hungry" held in Church during Youth Alpha

Please note that "Hungry" will be held in Church until and including Sunday 25th March (while Youth Alpha is taking place in the Beacon Café).

Breathing Space - This Tues, 16th Jan at 2pm in the Church Lounge. An opportunity to make time to spend with God in the silence. All welcome.

February Service Rota

If you serve on a Sunday at St. Mary's and haven't received the February rota via email, please collect your copy from the pigeon holes in the Hall Foyer. *Thank you.*

Latest Newsletter from Simon & Sue Morgan

Copies of Simon & Sue's latest newsletter is available at the back of church. Please pick up a copy if you would like one.

Extra help needed at "3:16" (Thursdays, 7.15-8.30pm)

3:16 has now been running for over a year, and we have a regular group of about 35 young people who come each Thursday. Do you have a heart for young people? Do you long to see more young people following Jesus? Talk to Mike Orman about how you might be involved'.