



St Mary the Virgin, Rickmansworth

The Church of England and The Methodist Church in Partnership
Serving the whole community

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

Sunday 27th May 2018: Trinity Sunday



If you are new, feel free to pick up a Welcome Pack. Also, fill in a Welcome Card, handing it to one of the Sidespeople (who gave you a book as you arrived). Please join us for refreshments after the morning Services.

8.00am Said Holy Communion

President and Preacher: Rev'd Scott Talbott

Collect: Trinity Sunday BCP Pg 153

Readings: Isaiah 6:1-8 [OT 645]; Romans 8:12-17 [NT 153];
John 3:1-17 [NT 90]

10.00am Sung Holy Communion

President and Preacher: Rev'd Scott Talbott

Readings: As above

Collect: Almighty and everlasting God, you have given us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity: keep us steadfast in this faith, that we may evermore be defended from all adversities; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

Gospel Acclamation: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, one God, who was, and who is, and who is to come, the Almighty.

Post-Communion Prayer: Almighty and eternal God, you have revealed yourself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and live and reign in the perfect unity of love: hold us firm in this faith, that we may know you in all your ways and evermore rejoice in your eternal glory, who are three Persons yet one God, now and for ever. Amen.

2.00pm Service of Holy Matrimony

Minister: Rev'd Scott Talbott

6.00pm Evening Prayer

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Gluten free
communion
bread
is available.

We welcome children of all ages!



If you have little ones with you please sit near the front of church so that they can see what is going on; if they get wriggly or restless, feel free to use the toys under the Tower. **Children's Church** meets during term-time in the Church Centre: *Sunbeams*: 3-5 yrs, *Shooting Stars*: 6 - 11 yrs.

For Your Prayers

We pray:	That we may have understanding minds
We pray for the work of:	Send a Cow, a charity we support
Our School, St Mary's:	For a restful half term break
In the Deanery:	All Saints', Croxley Green
In the Circuit:	Abbots Langley Methodist Church
Roads in Rickmansworth:	Talbot Road
At St Mary's:	For our Lunch Club
Amongst those unwell:	Guil Boshoff, Margaret Collins, Margaret Down, Janet Foster, Edith Frow, Trevor Wallace, Mary Wallis, Jaleh Yeaman, Deborah, Emma, Frankie, Heather, Keith, Mary, Tim
Amongst the Departed	Peter Loosley



Intercessions List: We are privileged to be invited to pray as a community for people in all kinds of need. If you would like someone's name to be added, including your own, please speak to Scott or to Karen in the Church Office. Names remain for as long as needed.

This week's diary

Mon 28	Spring Bank Holiday
Tues 29	9.30am Said Holy Communion
	12noon 10-bell ringing practice - <i>all ringers welcome</i>
Wed 30	7.30pm Bellringing Practice - <i>new ringers welcome</i>
Thurs 31	9.30am <i>Little Angels</i> Toddler Group, <i>Cloisters Hall</i>
	7.45pm Choir Practice - <i>New Singers welcome</i>

Readings for Tuesday Holy Communion:

1 Peter 1:10-16; Mark 10:28-31

Readings for next Sunday: The First Sunday after Trinity

Deuteronomy 5:12-15; 2 Corinthians 4:5-12; Mark 2:23-3:6

Next Sunday's Services and Activities: The First Sunday after Trinity

8.00am	Said Holy Communion	6.00pm	Said Evening Prayer
10.00am	Sung Holy Communion		



St Mary's 'Little Angels' Baby and Toddler Group

Our Baby & Toddler Group meets at Cloisters Hall on Thursdays: 9.30-11.30am. Craft, play, and Music Time, £1.50 per 'family group' per session.

Notices

Peter Loosley: It was with great sadness that we learned of Peter's death last week; we offer Pat and her family our thoughts, love and prayers at this time of sadness. Peter's funeral will be on Monday 11th June at The Chiltern Crematorium and will be for family only. There will be a Memorial Service for Peter here at St Mary's in the afternoon to which everyone is invited; details to follow.

Catholic Workers Farm: Open Day on Saturday 2nd June, from 3pm. There will be music, food and a chance to learn more about the work done by this charity to support homeless women and children. More details can be found at: <http://www.thecatholicworkerfarm.org>.

It's time for tea and a chat: We have a new drop-in group taking place on the first Wednesday of each month in church, between 2pm and 3pm, starting on June 6th. Everyone is very welcome to attend. Please feel free to bring friends along with you to enjoy a cup of tea and some excellent company!

Some Enchanted Evening: An evening of musical entertainment has been arranged by Hilary Pearce to take place on Saturday 16th June at 7.30pm. Tickets are £15 each and include a three course supper as well as a full programme of songs from many popular musicals. Please speak to Karen in the Church Office about purchasing tickets. All proceeds to go to St Mary's. Tickets are selling well, so don't leave it too long!

The Alban Pilgrimage: Following the success of last year's jolly to our Mother Church (St Alban's Cathedral) for the Alban Pilgrimage, Deborah is hoping we might be able to fill a minibus this year! We'll leave from the Vicarage at 9.30am in order to arrive for (the obligatory!) coffee, move to the Cathedral to take in the arrival of the Festival Parade and then join in the Festival Eucharist. We'll have lunch in town (or bring a picnic), enjoy the afternoon events, and attend Festival Evensong at which Brother Stuart Burns OSB (Deborah's former Abbot) is the preacher. (If you are lucky, as it is Deborah's 51st Birthday that day, there may even be a glass of fizz when we get back! (around 5pm or so)). Please sign up by Sunday 17th June.

Change of Office Hours: Please note that the days the Church Office will be open have changed to Monday - Thursday. Times as before: 9:15-12:45.

LINK: June LINK is published today. We apologise for writing so much ourselves; it's not good practice but we were short of material. Please help! Copy for the July and August issues is customarily in short supply. What could you provide? It would be interesting to hear of your job (without trade secrets), the charities you work for, or somewhere you have visited recently. Material for the July issue is due by Thursday 7th June.

Christian Aid plants: There are a few plants left over from the plant sales; if you are interested in purchasing any of those listed, please contact Eleri Davies on 01923 236965. Tumbelina; Fushia upright - Both £9.00 a box, £4.50 half a box; Petunia Red Vein; Nicotiana Red; Begonia Bronze Leaf Mix; Petunia Blue Vein - All £7.00 a box, £3.50 half a box

Rota aide-memoire

	This Week	Next Week
8 am Readers	<i>Vicky Rodden, Hilary Stevenson</i>	<i>Geoff Hall, Michael Illing</i>
10am Readers	<i>Riju Joy, Rhea Joy</i>	<i>Jean Dodds, John Shaw</i>
Intercessor	<i>Annette Leveridge</i>	<i>David Carruthers</i>

Diary dates

Sat 23rd June	9.30am	Pilgrimage to St Albans
Sat 23rd June	2.00pm	St Mary's School Summer Festival



A few people have asked for some space to make sermon notes - so here it is...

I'd like to be involved...

Many people contribute to life at St Mary's in order to ensure things 'happen'. Here are roles to which we are interested in gathering new people to assist. Contact details can be found in LINK and on the Church website.

Welcomer (10am): <i>David Carruthers</i>	Sidesperson (all Services): <i>David Hibbert</i>
Intercessor: <i>Scott</i>	Server: <i>Sue and Chris Hillier</i>
Flower Arranger: <i>Hilary Pearce</i>	Church Cleaner: <i>June Poppleton</i>
Coffee Team (10am): <i>Anne Kay</i>	Children's Church Asst: <i>Rachel Turvey</i>
X Team Leader: <i>David Carruthers</i>	J Club Leaders: <i>Dorothy Champion</i>
Tower Bell Ringers: <i>David Hibbert</i>	Hand Bell Ringers: <i>Geoff Hall</i>

Our LINK Team are keen to hear from people who are computer savvy and/or who are interested in editing and proof-reading : please contact our *LINK Editorial Team*.

We also need someone to keep our *facebook* page up-to-date: *please speak to Scott*.

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