

Dates for your Diary:

- Sun, 6 June 11.00am Family Service will be led by our Holiday Club. I t's going to be fab! Don't miss it!
- Sun, 6 June Concert of English Music at St Mary's, Stoke D'Abernon at 4.45pm followed by Evensong. Tickets £7.00 on the door to include refreshments
- Fri, 11 June Footprints meets in the hall at 10.00am
- Sun, 13 June Informal Service at 6.30pm
- Mon, 14 June The six-week "Start!" course starts. Interested in this down-to-earth introduction to the Christian faith? Speak to Julie, 459906.
- Tue, 15 June Women's Group garden meeting at Sally Fulton's, 23 Greenway at 8.00pm
- Thu, 17 June Thursday Coffee at 10.30am in the hall
- Thu, 17 June Diocesan Study Day, 10am - 3pm. on Revelation at St John's Woking led by Michael Wilcox, tel 01483 726039 for more details.
- Fri, 18 June Horizon meets in the hall at 10.00am
- Sat, 19 June The Big Breakfast, in aid of the Leprosy Mission
- Fri, 25 June Footprints meets in the hall at 10.00am
- Sat, 26 June Cream Tea organised by the Women's Group, in aid of the church and mission work in Kibera
- Sun, 27 June Roger McKinlay will be preaching on Dawkins issues, "How can an intelligent person be a Christian today?". 9.30 Service of the Word, ie no Holy Communion
- Sun, 27 June Deanery Confirmation Service at 6.00pm at St George's, Ashted. No evening service at St Mary's.
- Wed, 30 June Y Wednesday meets at 6.30pm in the hall
- Sat, 11 Sept Surrey Churches Bike Ride. Please put the date in your diary now.

Details of events at Guildford Cathedral are on the notice board in the hall.

Families Team

You've probably heard that we have a new Families Team who will take responsibility for the development of ministry and outreach to young families. We are delighted to announce that David Wren and Andy Delugar join us to be the 'male influence and voice' on the team! We are all part of God's family and we know how wonderful it can be to belong to the church family at St Mary's. We want to help with providing a warm welcome and to create opportunities for all families to develop their relationship with God. The Families Team has seven volunteers who can create and develop ideas but we will need everyone's help to see the vision grow. The team would love to hear from you if you have ideas or if you feel you could offer help in any way. You can now contact us on our very own e-mail address, familiesteam@stmarysfetcham.org.uk

Families Team Night - Friday 9th July

Do join us at our first Team Night from 8pm onwards in the hall. Drinks, nibbles and a chance to socialise as well as the opportunity to find out more about our vision and how you can be part of it! If you would like to come along, email us at familiesteam@stmarysfetcham.org.uk or just turn up on the night. We look forward to seeing you there!

The Horizon crèche needs you! We need one more volunteer to help in the crèche on Friday, 18th June, 10am - 11.15am. Please contact Julie on 459906 if you can help.

A RING has been found in the hall kitchen. If you think it's yours, please speak to Corinne, tel 800885

Prayers: Don't forget the church is open Monday – Saturday from 9.00 – 9.30am for anybody who would like to come and pray.

Mum's the Word - Tuesday 15th June: An uplifting evening with Katharine Hill and Cathy Madavan, two mums and inspiring speakers. With stories, interviews and practical tips, the evening will cover issues for mums at all stages of family life, including, "Does 'Supermum' really exist?" 7.30pm - 10.00pm Millmead Centre, Guildford. Tickets £6 each or four for £20. Contact www.careforthefamily.org.uk/mums or phone 029 20810800 and quote 'Brochure'.

Please pray for:

- Those who are sick, including Annie Adair, Ruth Smith (Snr) and Rob Irving (who's recovering from surgery)
- Jean Hourston as she settles into Downsvale Nursing Home in Pixham Lane, Dorking. Do call in to see her.
- Annie Delugar who will be baptised at St Mary's later this month, her parents and godparents
- Those preparing for Confirmation, including Sophie Boughton, David Channell, Fiona Coles, Julie David, Charlotte Glynn and Kelly Shanks who are amongst the candidates being confirmed at St George's on the 27th June.
- Those preparing to be married, including Peter Simon and Alexia Papazoglou Blakesley at St Mary's later this month
- Youngsters currently taking exams. Do pick up a laminated prayer card from the hall lobby.
- Those planning and preparing to lead the Youth Alpha course which will be starting at the Howard of Effingham in September and the youngsters who will be participating

Sunday Readings: (Year C)

6th June, 1st after Trinity (Proper 5)

13th June, 2nd after Trinity (Proper 6)

20th June, 3rd after Trinity (Proper 7)

First Reading

Gal 1: 11 – end

Gal 2: 15 – end

Gal 3: 23 – end

Gospel

Luke 7: 11-17

Luke 13: 1-9

Luke 8: 26-39

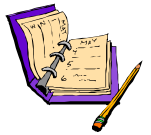
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1st after Trinity

2nd after Trinity

3rd after Trinity

St Mary's, Fetcham Parish Church: Rector: the Reverend Paul Boughton, 10a The Ridgeway, tel 01372 375000. Please submit copy for inclusion in the Newsletter by the Wednesday preceding publication to Corinne by e-mail (newsletter@stmarysfetcham.org.uk or corinne.braid@ntlworld.com), post (12 Long Copse Close, Gt Bookham, KT23 3PX) or via the tray in the vestry.



NEWSLETTER

St Mary's
Fetcham Parish Church
www.stmarysfetcham.org.uk

6th June 2010
info@stmarysfetcham.org.uk

We aim to be a growing community of Christian people who desire to be:
mature disciples : committed church family members : effective witnesses : caring neighbours

IT'S ALL HAPPENING TODAY!!

Peter's pastor / godfather will be at the 9.30 service and preaching in Hungarian while Peter translates into English! Wow! Then, at 12.30, the Church Family Barbecue starts somewhere on church environs, rain or shine! Bring something to sit on but don't worry about food because that's provided, courtesy of our resident chefs! You'll have the opportunity to give a donation with any surplus, having covered food costs, going to The Royal Marsden Hospital in memory of Alistair Burnett. If you haven't signed up please don't worry and do come – there'll be plenty of food!



Spring Harvest - "equipping the church for action"

You may expect to go to Butlins for all the fun of the fair and Redcoats but not for a spiritual springclean and renewal! Spring Harvest does what it says on the tin - it equips the church for action and that means you - and it's great fun too. This is the last call for SH 2011. The lines open this coming Wednesday, 9th June at 8.00am and Corinne will be there with fingers poised over the redial button on three phones, hopefully to book for Minehead, Week 1, 9th - 14th April 2010. If you're interested please speak to Corinne TODAY, tel 800885.



Be a Superhero

Once again the hall was full of children having a fun time on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings as Holiday Club swung into action. More than 30 children came to hear stories of spies, armies, walls falling down and a man who ate honey and locusts – yummy!! So what do the children really think about it? We asked Lily, Jack and Ollie:

"There's always something for everyone - arts and crafts, singing, learning about a bible story, playing with lego and meeting up with friends. We particularly liked the honey biscuits we made and being able to sing the song we'd learnt to Grandma when she came to pick us up."



Thank you to all the helpers who came and gave up their time and to the congregation for all the "supplies" - we couldn't manage without them.

Kibera

Sarah and Will Mackay hope to raise lots of money to take with them to Kibera in July to support Colin and Anita Smiths' wonderful work and to help train more young leaders. The Homemade Stall today will focus on plants and, hopefully, homemade jam! Then, on Saturday, 26th June the Women's Group is organising a cream tea at 4.00pm in the hall to help boost the coffers. Do, please, give your generous support and, if you'd like to donate some scones, cakes, homemade jam, etc, for the cream tea, Sarah and Barbara Fairweather will be delighted!



NB: There's a copy of the Smiths' latest e-mail on the hall notice board.

Big Breakfast 10:

Tim, Barry and the team warmly invite you to the Big Breakfast on Saturday, 19th June from 8.30am – 10.30am in the hall, proceeds to The Leprosy Mission. All the cooked food is locally sourced and absolutely delicious.

Please can you help?

Our 10.00am Thursday Communion service is thriving but, sadly, some people are prevented from attending as they cannot physically get there. If you're free on a Thursday morning and could help with occasional or regular transport, please get in touch with Shirley, 372818. Thank you!



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- To Roger McKinlay for his brilliant and helpful sermons on prayer last Sunday. The link to the Church of England website he mentioned is <http://www.cofe.anglican.org/worship/dailyprayer/>
- To everybody who came and helped at the Churchyard Working Party and did a super job and to Gill and Shirley for providing a delicious lunch, and at short notice too.
- To our fantastic Holiday Club team for giving up their time and talents to give the youngsters such a great time
- To Prof John Wyatt for his wonderful, thought-provoking talk at Bookham Baptist Church on the 16th May and to Churches Together for arranging his visit! Donations at the end of the evening for 'Choices Islington', the pregnancy centre led by John Wyatt's wife, Celia, raised a fantastic £395.48
- To Julie David who has volunteered to do the next Newsletter on the 20th June while Corinne's away. Please be kind and let her have your contributions promptly, or she may not "volunteer" again!
- From the Wick family for all the prayers and support they received during Chris's recent illness. Chris is now much better and is making a good recovery.