

# St Mary Riverhead with Dunton Green

4th June 2017 - Pentecost

## Services

### Sunday 4th June - Pentecost

Hymns: See hymn Sheet

Readings: Acts 2:1-21, 1 Cor 12:3b-13, John 20:19-23

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP p236 or p293)

9.30am Family Service

### 4th June - 11th June

Monday 5th June

Tots and Toddlers

Thur 8th June

11.00am Holy Communion at Dunton Green Village Hall

### Sunday 11th June - Trinity Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP p236 or p293)

9.30am Parish Eucharist

Readings Isa 40:12-17, 27-end, 2 Cor 13:11-end, Matt 28:16-20

### EVERYONE IS INVITED TO PARTAKE OF COFFEE AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH AFTER THIS SERVICE

*The altar is the "Lord's table" not ours, so all are welcome to receive the sacrament.*

*However you may wish to receive a Blessing in which case please bring a service booklet with you.*

*Either way all are welcome*

Be bold, be strong

For the Lord your God is with you.

Be bold, be strong,

For the Lord your God is with you.

I am not afraid, (no! no! no!)

I am not dismayed, (not me!)

Because I'm walking in faith and victory,

Come on and walk in faith and victory,

For the Lord your God is with you.

## QUIZ NIGHT

Next Friday 9th June at 7.30 for 8.00pm. We have sold 42 tickets but due to the uncertainty of getting sufficient attendees no tickets have been issued so we would be grateful if everyone coming would please pay on the night. If you wish for wine or beer please bring it with you (glasses provided) there will be orange or apple juice available for non drinkers. If you would like snacks for the tables please also provide those. There will be a Ploughmans Supper and a sweet. Any vegetarians please advise Margaret Nicholas 01732 457324

## YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR

Shirley Noss, Diane Lang, June Cheeseman, Harry Garrett, Linda Mc Keeman, Jago Moss-Mc Keeman, Robin Tonge, Enid Trivass, Martyn Berry, Peter Jenner, Helen Hambly, Sarah Msewing, Colin Butson, Jean Morgan, Angela Chapman, Catherine Lees, Peter Etterley

*If anyone no longer needs a name to be on this list, please let Margaret Nicholas know (457324)*

## IN MEMORIAM

Bill Wigger

Raymond Oakley

## BENCH FREE TO A GOOD HOME

If anyone would like to have the old 6ft bench from the Garden of Remembrance which has now been replaced, it is free for you to take from the centre of the Garden. It requires a little refurbishment but most of the missing slats are available from John Curtis. However it should not be a difficult task.

## CONFIRMATION 2017

Bishop James will be confirming both adults and young people in a special service at St Luke's Sevenoaks, 10.30am September 24th.

If you or your children are considering being confirmed please let me know

Dates for instruction are Sundays

17th & 25th June

10th & 17th September

Young people 4-5pm, Adults 5-6pm.

## BIBLE STUDY

The next meeting tomorrow at 10am for 10.15am. We meet in the Lady Chapel and the current subject is Job. If you are interested please come along. More information from Ronnie 458545 or Daphne 454225

## PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

There is a notice at the back of the church for you to sign up if you would be at all interested in this trip. At this stage showing an interest does not commit you in any way

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### **PRAYER REQUESTS:**

We are a prayer triplet meeting most Monday evenings in the Lady Chapel. We pray for the church, those on the prayer list and for anyone experiencing difficult circumstances. If you feel in need of prayer for yourself or someone you know, do please make a note and pin it to the prayer board in the Lady Chapel.

Alternatively, if you wish to keep it confidential, please speak to Nicola, Daphne or Ronnie. The prayer board will be checked regularly and we will date the prayer requests each week so people know they've been prayed for. The requests will be removed after an appropriate amount of time.

However, if you have an enduring need, please repeat your request if you find it has been removed. We would love to see anyone wishing to join us either as a one off or on a permanent basis. Please speak to one of us to make sure we will be meeting on the date you are thinking of coming. We look forward to receiving your prayer requests and/or seeing you.

### **A STEWARDSHIP PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

My church is composed of people like me - I help make it what it is.

It will be friendly - if I am.

Its pews will be filled - if I help fill them.

It will do great work - if I work.

It will make generous gifts - if I am a generous giver.

It will bring other people into its worship and fellowship - if I invite and bring them in.

It will be a church of love and faith - if I, who make it what it is, am filled with these same things.

Therefore, with the help of God, I will dedicate myself to the task of being all the things I want my church to be.

Amen

### **CHURCH WALK**

We are planning a lovely stroll through the country on the afternoon of Sunday 16th July.

It would be for people of all ages: from buggy brigade, to strollers with sticks and all abilities in between. Family-members and friends all welcome. It will be lead by a fully qualified walk leader who would arrange things so that people could peel off at different points as required. Essentially, it would be from Barden to Leigh. Car parking would be available. People could bring snacks/picnics if they'd like.

We will shortly put a sheet at the back of the church for people to sign up if interested.

### **MIDSUMMER FUN DAY, SATURDAY 17 JUNE, 11-3 pm**

To celebrate the completion of the Tesco Bags of Money project, the North West Kent Countryside Partnership are going to organise and run a Midsummer Fun Day on Sat 17 June at and around St Mary's Church. Events will include Giant Flower Making, a Quiz Trail, a Bug Hunt, Dragonfly Crafts and a Woodwork Stall. Tea and cakes will also be available. Entry is free to everyone. Hope to see you there!

### **YELLOW ENVELOPES**

If you are not a regular giver or a member of the Stewardship Scheme and wish to give please use the yellow envelopes and fill in the Gift Aid form. If you do not wish to fill in the form or are not a taxpayer, please just place your offering straight into the bag

### **PIANO TO GIVE AWAY**

Make Morley of London, Ideal for young beginners  
Height 43 ins Width 55 ins Depth 22 ins  
Phone Sheila 01732 455524

### **BAPTISMS**

Please remember in your prayers the families and friends of Keith Sparrow, Romilly Arnold and William Crawforth who are being baptised today

### **SUMMER BRASS BAND CONCERT**

We are planning to hold a concert by the Head O'The River Band on Saturday 24th June at 6.30pm.

Entry by donation ( suggested £5)

### **OPEN GARDEN FOR NATIONAL GARDEN SCHEME**

at Bishopscourt Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th June, 1.00pm to 5.00pm. Come and support the care charities supported by NGS. Teas, wonderful homemade cakes and a plant sale. Entry £3.00, children free. Dogs welcome on a lead, disabled access to most of the garden. Offers of help/cake or enquiries to [bridget.langstaff@btinternet.com](mailto:bridget.langstaff@btinternet.com) Mobile 07816 828439.