



# St Mary's Link



First Sunday after Trinity

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2022

“ Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you. ”

## Upcoming Diary

TODAY



**8:30am** Rise & Shine – breakfast and short service for children and families

**10:30am** – Holy Communion  
Revd Simon Potter

Monday 20<sup>th</sup>

**10am – 12pm** Coffee Morning

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup>

**10am – 12pm** Coffee Morning



**3.30pm** - Messy Church for young families

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup>

**10am – 12pm** Coffee Morning

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup>

**11am Holy Communion**  
Revd Dr Ian Bailey

Friday 24<sup>th</sup>

**10am – 12pm** Coffee Morning

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup>

**10am – 12pm** Coffee Morning

Sunday 26<sup>th</sup>



**8:30am** Rise & Shine – breakfast and short service for children and families



**10:30am** – Holy Communion and Baptism Service  
Revd Jennifer Hall



*Please note that although this is a Baptism Service, Holy Communion will be included.*

It was announced at last Sunday's services that Revd Alison Sowton will be the new vicar at St Mary's Shirehampton.

Alison is currently Team Vicar in Melksham, hopefully Alison and her husband Derek will join us at St Mary's in September.

Anne Ford & Richard Powell (Church Wardens)

We would like to serve tea and coffee after the 10.30 service each Sunday but we need a few more volunteers. If you are able to help please add your name to the list at the back of the church.

## Dates for your Diary

Monday 4<sup>th</sup>  
July 7.30pm

**West Bristol Concert Band** present their Summer concert, featuring The Fly-By Choir, conducted by David Ogden. Tickets available on the door - £5 adults / £2 concessions. Refreshments available.



Friday 8<sup>th</sup>  
July  
3pm - 6pm

**Neil and Christine Porter's Open Garden**  
Now that summer's here, Neil and I would love you to come along and see what we've been doing in the garden over the past two years! A chance to sit and relax and enjoy tea, cakes and nibbles.



**For your prayers:** Janet S, Norma W, Maureen M, June G, Sheila S, Trisha W, Grace P, Julie M, William H.

**Recently bereaved:** Please pray for the family and friends of Marion Rubin. A Memorial Service will be held at St Mary's on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July at 1pm.

## From our Parish Prayer list for June – Central Area

Priory Road, Walton Road, Church Leaze, Bradley Crescent, Bradley Avenue, Pembroke Avenue, Pembroke Road, Hampton Corner, Waverley Road, Severn Road, The Health Centre.



**In vacancy.**

**Churchwardens:** Mrs Anne Ford – 9821675; Mr Richard Powell – 07929 028777

**Head Verger:** Mrs Jill Eynon – 9824349

**Organist:** Mr Tim Forder 9235895

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**Voluntary**

Vater unser Himmelreich J S Bach

**Hymns**

Amazing grace  
 Make me a channel of your peace  
 Take my life and let it be

**Comm**

Holy Spirit truth divine  
 Thy hand O God has guided

**Voluntary**

Fugue from Sonata no2  
 F Mendelssohn

**Collect**

God of truth,  
 help us to keep your law of love  
 and to walk in ways of wisdom,  
 that we may find true life  
 in Jesus Christ your Son.

**Amen****Post Communion Prayer**

Eternal Father,  
 we thank you for nourishing us  
 with these heavenly gifts:  
 may our communion strengthen us in faith,  
 build us up in hope,  
 and make us grow in love;  
 for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen****Galatians 3.23-end**

<sup>23</sup> Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed. <sup>24</sup>Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith. <sup>25</sup>But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian, <sup>26</sup>for in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith. <sup>27</sup>As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. <sup>28</sup>There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. <sup>29</sup>And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise.

**Luke 8.26-39**

<sup>26</sup> Then they arrived at the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. <sup>27</sup>As he stepped out on land, a man of the city who had demons met him. For a long time he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. <sup>28</sup>When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, 'What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me'— <sup>29</sup>for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.) <sup>30</sup>Jesus then asked him, 'What is your name?' He said, 'Legion'; for many demons had entered him. <sup>31</sup>They begged him not to order them to go back into the abyss.

<sup>32</sup> Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding; and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So he gave them permission. <sup>33</sup>Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned.

<sup>34</sup> When the swineherds saw what had happened, they ran off and told it in the city and in the country. <sup>35</sup>Then people came out to see what had happened, and when they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they were afraid. <sup>36</sup>Those who had seen it told them how the one who had been possessed by demons had been healed. <sup>37</sup>Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them; for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned. <sup>38</sup>The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but Jesus sent him away, saying, <sup>39</sup>'Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you.' So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

**Second Sunday after Trinity – 26<sup>th</sup> June 2022**

Epistle: Galatians 5: 1, 13-18, 22-26

Gospel: Luke 18: 15-17