

8<sup>th</sup> May 2011

Third Sunday Of Easter

St. MARY'S  
Newsletter



**Welcome to St Mary's Bramall Lane this morning.**

Refreshments including tea and coffee will be available at the end of the service.

An induction loop is available for those who are hard of hearing. Please turn your hearing aid to the 'T' setting.

Toilets, including disabled and nappy changing facilities are situated at the west end of the church. Follow signs past reception and the main hall.

**Today's Worship**

**9.30am Holy Communion (BCP) in the Chapel**

<b>10.30am Family Service</b>	Readings	Andy
	Steward	Kate K
	Music Group	Jon, Jess, Jeremy, Veronica, Bryony

**Collect For 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Of Easter**

Almighty Father,  
who in your great mercy gladdened the disciples  
with the sight of the risen Lord:  
give us such knowledge of his presence with us,  
that we may be strengthened and sustained by his  
risen life  
and serve you continually in righteousness and  
truth;  
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.

**This Week At St Marys**

TONIGHT - Youth Fellowship Sunday night 7pm in the Cafe

Monday evening Centre Board meeting, please pray

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for Trustees as they meet.

Wednesday am Toddler Group

Wednesday 8pm Exploring Faith small group  
8pm in the Cafe. See below for details

**Important Reminder: PCC and Centre Trustees Quiet Morning at St. Mary's Saturday 14th May 9.30am - 12.30**

Other activities at St Mary's in the week -  
Tuesday Exercise and activity afternoon 1.30 - 3pm  
fun activities to help keep you fit.  
Monday 1.30 - 3pm Open sewing Class and  
Friday mornings from 10am Computing sessions  
- laptops and tuition provided. All sessions £1  
and open to everyone.

**Picnic Pictures**



From Millhouses Park last Sunday...



More are available via our flickr group (see church website for link) or here: <http://tinyurl.com/6dah9q9>

**A Community Library At St Marys**

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE LAUNCH OF  
**ST MARY'S COMMUNITY (BOOK?) COLLECTION**

ON

**THURSDAY 12TH MAY 2.30PM - 4.30PM**

St Mary's is delighted to be working in

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conjunction with Sheffield City Council and the Library service to provide a welcoming space in Mary's Marvellous Café where you can come and borrow books.

Offering a range of brand new books for all ages to enjoy!

Come and join us – bring friends – and enjoy a sumptuous afternoon tea whilst browsing the books on offer.

We look forward to seeing you there!

St Mary's Church, Bramall Lane, Sheffield, S2 4QZ

## Help Wanted

If anyone might be interested in leading or helping with Sunday School groups or creche, please speak to Jo or Tom Mather.

## St Marys Sharrow Pie Experiment



Have you noticed this on London Road? Do you know what its all about?

Watch this space – more next week.



## Urgent – Can You Help?

**TODAY** - Can you help to deliver Lazy Sunday leaflets to local houses for half an hour after church **today**? See Yo (before service if possible) – she will pair you up – we already have a great team of volunteers THANK YOU – we just need 2 or 3 or 4 more people to ease the burden



## Next Sunday Is Lazy Sunday

Thank you so much to all who have offered to help. Please stay after church next week, invite friends and buy your lunch and tea here at St Marys (all for a good cause). Free film in afternoon.

## May Day Trek Sponsorship

THANK YOU so much for generously sponsoring Reuben (and Steve) on their 10 mile and Nathaniel

(with Maureen and Yo) on their 5 mile May Day Trek. We did it! Please pay remaining monies to Reuben today. We have raised £240 towards our total for Christian Aid this year - BRILLIANT.

## Wednesday Evenings

### Wednesday Evenings at 8.00pm in St Mary's Cafe:

Wed 11 May: Stations of the Resurrection

Wed 18 May: Dr John Sentamu Archbishop of York at Elsecar Heritage Centre.

This promises to be a very informal occasion including a worship band, a TV style interview, a choir from Elsecar C of E School, a humorous, specially made video and the Archbishop himself.

We are arranging transport from St Mary's at 6.30pm. Those who wish to go need to sign up on the list by the door.

Wed 25 May: Stations of the Resurrection

Wed 1 June: Iona Eucharist.

Wed 8 June: Stations of the Resurrection

Wed 15 June: Stations of the Resurrection

Wed 22 June: DVD: "Son of Man" Story of Jesus set in modern day South Africa.

Wed 29 June: Stations of the Resurrection

## Emmaus...and Beyond

Sheffield Cathedral is hosting the first of its new liturgical, reflective and prayerful encounters on **Sunday 15th May at 8.00pm**. They hope that folk from many different churches and Christian communities will join with them for as they seek to encounter God afresh in the Emmaus Road story. Celebrating, praying, reflecting, listening to God and sharing in fellowship together will all feature in this rare opportunity to gather in the nave of the Cathedral without any pews.

Whether you have been to the Cathedral many times before or if this will be your first visit you will be welcome to join them.

## Next Sunday – 15<sup>th</sup> May

10.30am Parish Communion

People with jobs to do: Michael E (readings); Louise C (prayers); Margaret A (steward); Andy & Kate (communion assistants); Steve, Jess, Veronica (music).

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