

**18<sup>th</sup> August 2013**

**Twelfth Sunday After Trinity**

**St. MARY'S  
Newsletter**



### Welcome to St Mary's Bramall Lane

There are supervised activities for children of all ages during the service, please follow us out after opening worship. Parents are welcome either to leave their children or stay with them.

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

<b>10.30am Parish Eucharist</b>	Celebrant	Revd Julian Sullivan & Giles Morrison
	Preacher	Revd Karen Cribb
	Reader	George R
	Prayers	Maureen F
	Communion Assistants	Miriam & Christine
	Stewards	Margaret A & Ramam
	Music	Veronica & Jon

### Collect For 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Trinity

God of constant mercy,  
who sent your Son to save us:  
remind us of your goodness,  
increase your grace within us,  
that our thankfulness may grow,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### This Week At St Marys

#### Monday 19th August (7+ yr olds) 2 - 4pm.

Circus Skills Workshop. Come and join us learning some fun, accessible circus skills from a local circus skills master! A great chance to learn more about the skill of clowning including juggling and spinning plates.

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> August 5pm** – Student Social at the Cinema, see details overleaf.

**Tuesday 11.30 – 2.30pm** - Family activity sessions run by Sure Start with toys, games, crafts, bouncy castle and café.

**Tuesday & Wednesday 11.30 – 2.30pm** Centre community Café open

### Diary Dates

**Friday 30th August 4-6pm** - Messy Church. Messy Church is a church for adults and children to enjoy together. It's primarily for people who don't belong to another form of church already. It is all-age and it's fun. It is a chance for you to learn more about Jesus and also a chance to grow as a family and enter into another great family. The family of Messy Church. At St. Mary's Messy Church happens once a month in the same format: a creative space, worship and then a meal together. ([c.a.wood@sheffield.ac.uk](mailto:c.a.wood@sheffield.ac.uk)). Come and join us to celebrate the end of the Summer Holidays Together.

**Saturday 19th October** – Parish Day

**Monday 14th October** - Open Information and discussion evening with Centre Trustees to learn more about the current work and future plans for the Centre.

This newsletter is available online at <http://www.stmarys-church.co.uk/church/>

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## Student Social Meet-up: Cinema

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**Monday 19th August.** We are going to meet at **5pm** this coming Monday at the Odeon Cinema (in the city centre) and see what we fancy going to see together. Very informal, feel free to bring other friends with you!

## ASSIST Is 10 Years Old

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This year ASSIST has its 10th birthday. That means 10 years of helping asylum seekers who have no place to stay and no other form of support. We thought we would just be here for the short term but there is (sadly) still a need for us to exist. To find out about the work we are doing, visit [www.assistsheffield.org.uk](http://www.assistsheffield.org.uk)

We want to mark our 10th birthday with a big fundraiser and party – the **Big Tea Party**. The idea is to celebrate 10 years of our work in Sheffield, to raise money to start us off next year with more security to face the need ahead, and to tell more people about our work and why it is so crucial.

### Can you help?

The plan is simple and easy to put into action. We are asking all our friends (that's both individuals and community groups and organisations) to have a tea party at any point in the month of October in their home, workplace or a venue of their choice and collect a donation to ASSIST from each guest. This way you would raise some funds for us, spread the word about ASSIST, show off your baking skills, have fun and eat cake!

We will provide you with...

- our **Big Tea Party** pack containing invitations, flyers, information about ASSIST (The pack will be available towards the end of August)
- **ideas** on how to make your Tea Party go with a swing
- **help with publicity** for your Tea Party, should you need it

You can register online now so we know you want to host a Big Tea Party and can send out information to you. Here is the link: <http://www.assistsheffield.org.uk/sign-be-big-tea-party-host>

We hope you will join us. Please do share this email and feel free to get in touch if you have any questions: [bigteaparty@assistsheffield.org.uk](mailto:bigteaparty@assistsheffield.org.uk)

Thank you very much

Cath Baldwin

ASSIST volunteer

## Holiday Club

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... has been a lot of fun! Check out the all the photos on the St Mary's Facebook page:

Group name: St Marys Church Bramall Lane

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/4873715237/>

## This Newsletter July / August

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Over the summer holiday please send items for the newsletter to Clare Rishbeth ([crishbeth@googlemail.com](mailto:crishbeth@googlemail.com)) rather than Steve. Preferably by Wednesday 8pm for following Sunday.

## Next Sunday – 25<sup>th</sup> August

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**10.30pm Parish Eucharist** People with jobs to do: Keith H (read); Della S (pray); Doreen and Joan (steward); George and Sally (communion assist.); Jess and Jon (music).

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