

8th September 2013

Fifteenth Sunday After Trinity

St. MARY'S
Newsletter



Welcome to St Mary's Bramall Lane

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 we especially welcome all who have come to celebrate the baptism of Jessie Grace Kent, her parents Steven and Gemma, and Godparents Susan, Lisa, Sandra and Michael.

Today's Worship

9.30am BCP communion	Celebrant	Revd Julian Sullivan
10.30am Family Service with Baptism	Lead and preach	Revd Julian Sullivan & Claire Wood
	Reader	Light Factory
	Prayers	Light Factory
	Communion Assistants	Veronica and Della
	Stewards	Kate & Odette
	Drinks	Barbara
Music	Yo, Steve, Reuben, Nathaniel, Jess.	

Collect For 15th Sunday After Trinity

Lord God,
defend your Church from all false teaching
and give to your people knowledge of your truth,

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that we may enjoy eternal life
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

This Week At St Marys

Monday 9th September – St Marys Centre Board of Trustees meet, please hold them in your prayers.

Tuesday 10th September 8pm – home group restarts at the home of Sally and John Ross. Please speak to them or Andy Cribb for further details.

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

Wednesday 11th September 8pm – Life and Faith Group meets at St Marys Cafe. For more details see Maureen or Julian.

Thursday 12th September 5.00 – 6.30pm – Student Bible Study. Details overleaf.

Diary Dates

Monday 16th September – PCC meet.

Friday 20th September 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. Contact Claire for more details (c.a.wood@sheffield.ac.uk).

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.

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Student Bible Study

Thursday 12th September 5.00 - 6.30pm in the Showroom Cafe. We shall meet inside the cafe, bring a Bible if you have one!

ASSIST Is 10 Years Old

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. To find out about the work ASSIST are doing, visit www.assistsheffield.org.uk

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

Can you help?

The plan is simple and easy to put into action. ASSIST are asking 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. They hope to raise some funds, spread the word about ASSIST, show off your baking skills, have fun and eat cake!

St Marys are taking part in this, please see Maureen F if you would like to get involved.

Gluten Free Wafers

These are available at Communion for those who require them. Please would regular worshipers let the clergy team know and any visitors are asked to inform the stewards who are on duty at the door.

Highfield Trinity Refurbished

The official celebration for Highfield Trinity Church and Community Rooms refurbishment takes place this Friday with an "Open house" from 4-7pm and speakers at 6.30pm. All are invited.

Whom Shall We Send And Who Will Go For Us?

We have received a warm and open invitation to anyone who would like to attend Martyn Snow's consecration as Bishop of Tewksbury at Westminster Abbey. Martyn has been our archdeacon for the last 5 years.

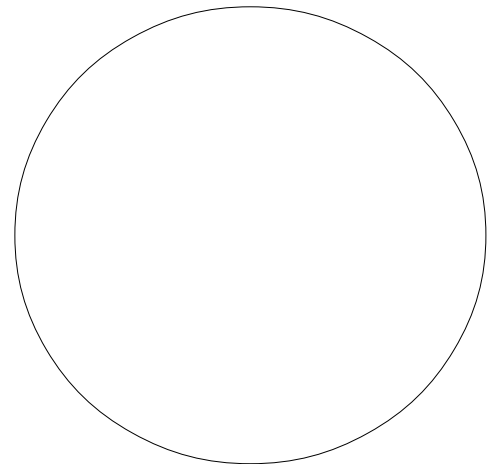
The service will be at 11.00am on Wednesday 25th September, 2013. There is no limit on numbers but it is a ticketed event.

If you would like to attend please see Julian.

A Child Friendly Church

Next Sunday we welcome Jenny Lambourne who is coming to present a Diocesan Child Friendly Church Award to St Marys.

Your design for a Child Friendly Church medal:



Next Sunday – 15th August

10.30pm Parish Eucharist People with jobs to do: Ann B (read); Jem / Louise (pray); Margaret A and Raman (steward); Andy and Elaine C (communion assist.); Veronica (drinks), Jess, Kev, Yo, Steve, Margaret (music).

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