

20<sup>th</sup> October 2013

21<sup>st</sup> 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.

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.

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</b> <b>Holy</b> <b>communion</b>	Celebrant	Revd Julian Sullivan
	Preacher	Revd Julian Sullivan
	Reader	Elaine C.
	Prayers	Steve T-L
	Communion Assistants	Sally and Margaret A
	Stewards	Margaret A and Raman
	Music	Yo, Steve, Margaret, Jon

### Collect For 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday After Trinity

Almighty God,  
in whose service lies perfect freedom:  
teach us to obey you  
with loving hearts and steadfast wills;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### This Afternoon, 4.30pm - FIX

FIX is our group for all those in Yr 5 & 6 and transitioning to yr 7 – active Bible exploration, fun and games, laughter and learning.

### Tonight – Youth Group

Youth group meets this evening in the café **6-7.30pm** for all those in Yr 7 and above. Please see Karen or Claire for more information.

### This Week At St Marys

**Monday evening:** PCC

**Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 11.30 – 2pm**  
Centre community Café open.

**Tuesday evening, 8pm:** Bible Study group at the home of John and Sally Ross, see them for details.

**Wednesday 9.30-11.30am** Toddler Group

**Wednesday 8pm** Life and Faith Group meet in the café. More details from Maureen.

**Thursday 7.00 for 7.30pm** Urban Network Evening (see notice overleaf)

### Timebuilders Events This Week

Chutney making **Monday 11am – 3pm;**

Speak and Grow **Friday 12.30 – 2pm;**

- plus much more, details are on the café window display. Also see the excellent Time builders blog

<http://timebuilders.wordpress.com/>

### Adopt A Student

If you would like to be involved in our church 'Adopt a Student' Scheme please have a chat with Claire. Adopting a Student doesn't involve much but adds much to the community of this church.

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

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Odette and Della having a good time with a group from St Mary's at the Diocesan Development Day.

## Urban Network Evening

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October 7.00-7.30pm at St Marys Church.** We are fortunate to have Dr Elizabeth Henry, National Adviser to the Committee for Minority Ethnic Anglican Concerns visiting Sheffield. CMEAC is directly responsible to the Archbishops' Council. It includes two working groups to address key issues for minority ethnic Anglicans: vocations and youth. The Committee and the Adviser regularly liaise with and support numerous racial justice organizations. This is an open event for anyone interested and it would be exciting to have a good range of views as Dr Henry leads us in our thinking. For more information please see Ann or Julian.

## ASSIST 10<sup>th</sup> Birthday

Odette and Maureen went along to the launch of ASSIST celebration of 10years of offering help and support to destitute asylum seekers who have no money, no accommodation, and no right to work.

Join us here at St Mary's for our fundraising events on the weekend of November 15<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup>.

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November 8pm.** Yo will perform with the Beeline Quartet as they play Jazz standards and more at the White Lion Chesterfield Road. Free door donations to Assist.

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November** ASSIST will send a speaker to our morning service and afterwards 12noon – 1pm we are inviting everyone to come and join us for Tea/Coffee and cake with all monies going to ASSIST.

If you can help by baking a cake or buying a cake or inviting friends to do so please speak to Maureen or Miriam.

## Congratulations

Warm congratulations to Rosie Woodhead: Bachelor of Science with Honours in Psychology Second Class Honours (2nd Division)! [applause]

## Dates For Your Diary

Little Lights. Still meeting in half term, **Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November 10.30am.** All pre-schoolers and their grown-ups very welcome.

Please note that Sundays in November do not follow our usual pattern. (Prizes for remembering what counts for 'usual' at St Marys!). **Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November** will be 9.30am BCP Communion with 10.30am All Age Service. **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> November** 10.30 am Remembrance Sunday with Holy Communion.

Encountering God in Contemporary Art. Led by The Very Reverend Peter Bradley - **Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October** 9.45am-3.45pm. (£21). Whirlow Grange Conference & Spirituality Centre.

<http://www.whirlowgrange.co.uk/encountering-god>

Children and Families Choir will start again on **Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> November** 4-5pm learning traditional carols and Christmas songs.

Fischy music - are coming to Sheffield on **Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November** - a concert in the morning and workshops in the afternoon as well as visiting local schools in the preceding days. For more information please speak to Karen or Jon Ross.

Hungry for God's Liberation: A Prayer Service.

**Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> December, 7.30pm.** Sheffield Cathedral. A Christian service for people in Sheffield, wanting to experience a quiet, candle-lit service, with simple songs (written at the Taize community in France), readings, and prayer including a time of sustained silence. All are welcome. The service will take place in Sheffield Cathedral's Crypt Chapel. Please speak to Jem for more information.

## Next Sunday – 27<sup>th</sup> October, Bible Sunday

### 10.30am Holy Communion

People with jobs to do: Karen (lead and preach); Michael E (reading); Della S (prayers); Doreen and Joan (steward); Caroline and Veronica (communion assist); Jess, Kev and Jon (music)

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