



St Mary's Church Newsletter

12th November 2017

Remembrance Sunday

WELCOME TO ST MARYS

- 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 far end of the church. Follow signs past reception and the main hall.
- There are supervised activities for children of all ages during the service, please follow us out after opening worship. Parents are welcome to leave their children or stay with them.
- Gluten free wafers are available for communion. Please ask a steward or member of the clergy.

We will be joined by representatives from the Sheffield Royal Artillery Association at our

10.30 HOLY COMMUNION

Lead and celebrate..... Revd Karen Cribb
Preach..... Giles Morrison
Organ..... Madge
Readings..... Martin
Drinks..... Margaret, John,
..... Virgillia and Belonda
Stewards..... Margaret & Odette

THIS WEEK AT ST MARYS

Wednesday

3.30 (drinks), 4-5pm singing. St Marys Family Choir at St Marys, free. Also on Thursdays at Meersbrook URC (same times, £3 charge).

WOMEN'S INTERFAITH FORUM

Get to Know your neighbour. **Sunday 19th Nov 1-3pm.** For women of all faiths and none.

Conversations about faith and issues.

Personal stories from Muslim and Christian tradition.

Please come along and invite others. Flyers are available at the back of church.

REFUGEES & ASYLUM SEEKERS.

Monday 4th

December (please note change of date and time). From 7pm – 9.00pm. Organisations working with refugees, stories of a refugee, art exhibition and food. All Welcome. If you would like to help plan the event please speak to Claire.

SHINE LIVE YOUTH EVENT

17th November, 6:30-9pm, St Thomas' Crookes

Please book in and collect a consent form from Amy if you want to go... So she can double check there's enough FREE PIZZA to go around!

ST MARYS YOUTH CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

Sunday 3rd December, 12:30-2pm

A time of good food, fun games and loads of laughter. See Amy for details.

BREATHE DEEP YOUTH EVENT

is coming up on **27th January**. There will be time for worship, games, music, workshops, videos, crafts, chill and loads more. Its £5 each and you'll receive a Subway lunch too! Let

WOMENS INTERFAITH FORUM Presents Get to know your Neighbour



SUNDAY 19TH NOVEMBER
1PM-3PM

ST MARYS COMMUNITY CENTRE
BRAMALL LANE, SHEFFIELD, S2 4QZ

Refreshments will be available!

- Women of all faiths or no faith are welcome.
- Open and group discussions on faith issues & women.
- Personal accounts from Muslim & Christian women of 'what faith means to them'.

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Amy know if you want to come along and to find out more details!

LIVING NATIVITY

This is on **Sunday 19th of November** and will be staged at the top of the Moor in the usual two sessions 1pm to 3 pm and 3pm to 5 pm. Can you let Pete Eggington (email eggington298@btinternet.com) know if you would like to take part and which time slot is best for you. Chat to Elaine, Della or Karen.

ST ANDREW'S MUSIC FESTIVAL

The annual festival at St Andrew's Psalter Lane Church showcases many genres of music and this year includes + Neil McSweeney Folk singer 12th Nov + Dodworth Colliery Band 14th Nov + Sheffield Young Singers 16th Nov + Sheffield Music Academy 17th Nov + Allegri String Quartet 18th Nov + Gylaci Duo 19th Nov. All tickets in advance and on the door. Details from www.samfest.uk

CHRISTMAS MINSTRELS

Do you or anyone you know play acoustic instruments that can be played outside? Or do you have an instrument in the back of the cupboard you could dust off and bring back to life for Christmas?

You may like to join a few musicians at St Mary's Bramall Lane to practise 4 part Christmas Carols...

You are invited to join these rehearsals

Thurs 16th Nov, Tues 21st Nov. All 7.30-9pm at St Mary's Bramall Lane

You may wish to then join in with any or all of the

following Caroling events, or see if any minstrels can support Caroling events at your church? None of us can play at all of these events, but even playing at one makes a joyful, midwinter noise!

Caroling Events

2nd Dec Saturday 12.30-1.30 Fargate for Christian Aid

13th Dec Wednesday 6-7pm St Mary's for Sharrow Street Carols (followed by TARA buffet @ Duchess Road Community Centre)

14th Dec Thursday 6-7pm Meersbrook Hall Park Gate for B-Roads Street Carols

16th Dec Saturday 10.30-12 Landsdowne Chapel to sing around flats

17th Dec Sunday 3.30-5.30pm St Mary's Carol Service



21st Dec Thursday Time? Union Pub Carols? Minstrels could support this?

I am best contacted by text 07925 634 420


Best wishes to you all and please so consider joining in with this little Minstrels group - let me know if you can (text is best).

Yo Tozer-Loft Music Lead, St Mary's Bramall Lane

NEXT SUNDAY 19TH NOV

People with jobs to do: Claire (lead, preach, celebrate); Virgilia (read); Steve (prayers); Maureen & Michelle (stewards); Jem, Steve, Jess, David (music)

St Mary's Family Choir
perform songs from
Les Miserables
the musical



Wednesday Nov 22nd
5-7pm (meal included)
£3 or 2 timecredits (kids £1 or 1 timecredit)

Volunteering with a difference TimeBuilders time-credits

...find out more...talk to someone...send some news...

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