



THE UNITED BENEFICE OF ST MARY'S ASHWELL,
ST NICHOLAS HINXWORTH AND ST VINCENT'S NEWNHAM
Sunday 11th March 2018 - Mothering Sunday



9:15am Parish Eucharist (St Nicholas)
Banns: M. Stutley & L. Tjornhoy-Thomsen (1)
Reading: 2 Corinthians 1.3-7
Gospel: Luke 2.33-35

10:45am Parish Eucharist (St Mary's)
Banns: Sheldrick / Dean (1)
Reading: 2 Corinthians 1.3-7; Hilary MacKenzie
Gospel: Luke 2.33-35
Churchwarden: David
Offertory: Joan & Martin Vickerstaffe
Coffee: Marcia & Peter Taylor
Chalice: Gaye & Andrew
Sound: John Paramour

5:00pm Choral Evensong (St Mary's)
1st Reading: Exodus 6.2-13; Andrew
2nd Reading: Romans 5.1-11; Sam Wallace
Intercessions: Revd. Robert
CW: Gaye
Sidesperson: Chris Scholfield

THIS WEEK'S DIARY:

Monday 12th
8:30am Morning Prayer (St Mary's)
1:00pm-4:30pm Post Office (PCR)

Tuesday 13th
8:30am Morning Prayer (St Mary's)
5:45pm Beavers Visit (St Mary's)
7:30pm Candlelit Compline (St Mary's)

Wednesday 14th
10:00am Midweek Communion (St Mary's)
12:30pm-3:00pm Post Office (PCR)
7:30pm Candlelit Compline (St Mary's)

Thursday 15th
8:30am Morning Prayer (St Mary's)
7:30pm Candlelit Compline (St Mary's)
8:00pm-10:00pm Lent Course (4) (PCR)
8:00pm Bellringing Practice (St Mary's)

Friday 16th
8:30am Morning Prayer (St Mary's)
9:30am-Noon Post Office (PCR)
7:00pm-7:45pm Junior Choir Practice (St Mary's)
8:00pm Senior Choir Practice (St Mary's)

Saturday 17th
5:30pm-7:30pm Asheteria (PCR)

Please take this sheet home with you, and use it in your prayers during the week.

Do join us for
Candlelit Compline
Tuesday's, Wednesday's & Thursday's
during Lent at
7:30pm in St Mary's

Sunday 18th: 5th Sunday of Lent
9:15am Parish Eucharist (St Nicholas)
10:45am Parish Eucharist (St Mary's)
5:00pm Choral Evensong (St Mary's)

For your Prayers this week:

Please pray for those who are sick including:



**Lucinda Feast, Justin Coldstream, Anna,
Lin Jenkins, Sam Bullock, Wendy Stark,
Margaret Connolly, Derek Holtom, Heidi Thuli**

And pray for the family and friends of those who have recently died:

**Dave Burley, Peter Robbins, Raymond Munday,
Peter Bryant, Bill Floyd**

Please contact the office if you would like someone prayed for.

Easter Flowers

Donations towards Easter Flowers would be gratefully received.



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We hope, with your help to start Sunday Afternoon Teas again this year on the 22nd April. Please sign the list at the back of the church if you are able to help again.

If you know of any young people who need a placement for the DofE award scheme, please contact us.

Antje & Denise

Following the thought-provoking TGIS service on Refugees led by Alan and Margaret last Sunday, the PCC Standing Committee has agreed that the collection from last Sunday's TGIS service should be sent to the **Emergency Winter Appeal**, launched recently by *Embrace the Middle East*, for refugees in Lebanon. (Details are on their website).

Lebanon, which has a strong Christian presence, has the highest concentration of refugees per capita in the world playing host to some 2.5m refugees from Syria, Palestine and Iraq. At this time of year it can be very cold there.

If, in the light of this, you would like to make a further donation, please place this in the bowl at the back of the church or give it to Mark Eaton. Thank you.



The 4th Lent Course
'Re-birth - I am the Living Water'
will be this **Thursday (15th March) at 8:00pm**
in the Parish Room. Everyone welcome.

For your diary **Flea Market** Sat. 24th March
Please start looking through your cupboards for items you no longer need.