

St Mary Magdalen Church of England, Knighton

Vicar - Revd Adrian Jones Curate - Revd Neil Bullen

18th June 2017
1st Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to our Sunday Services

A warm welcome to everyone joining us at St Mary Magdalen this week, especially if you are here for the first time or visiting. Our worship follows the printed order of service and the readings and hymns are on an additional sheet. Large print versions are available from the sidespersons (the welcomers at the door). If you are using a hearing aid, please switch it to the T position so as to make best use of the hearing loop system. It is traditional to stand for the hymns and some of the prayers and readings, but if this is difficult for you then please do remain seated and comfortable.

In the entrance area are toilets, and there is a crèche area at the back of the church. During the service there are activities in the entrance area for children of all ages, at Sunday Club.

As part of each service we share Communion together and everyone is invited to come forwards to receive bread and wine as we remember the sacrifice of Jesus Christ. If you would prefer to come for a blessing then simply carry the service booklet with you. At 10.00am, non-alcoholic communion wine is available on request in the Lady Chapel (to the left) and gluten free wafers on request at the main Communion rail.

Please talk to the sidespersons if you have any other questions and do please stay after the service for tea or coffee and introduce yourself to some of us.

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Diary for the Week

Sunday 18th June 1st Sunday after Trinity	8.00am 10.00am 2.00pm	Eucharist Sung Eucharist Coro Nostro rehearsal in Church
Monday 19th June	7.30pm	Bell Ringing
Tuesday 20th June	9.30am	Eucharist
Wednesday 21st June Parish Office Closed	1.00pm 7.30pm	Tiny Tots (Narthex & Church) Choir Practice (St Guthlacs)
Thursday 22nd June	10.00am	Thursday Club (Centre)
Friday 23rd June	9.15am - 3. 11.00am 12.15pm 7.30pm	30pm LHS Pupils visit Eucharist Interment of Ashes Coro Nostro Summer Concert
Saturday 24th June	2.00pm 4.00pm	Bishop's Garden Party Renewal of Wedding Vows
Sunday 25th June 2nd Sunday after Trinity	8.00am 10.00am 2.00pm 6.30pm	Eucharist Sung Eucharist Knighton Wild Churchyard Event & Open Church for refreshments Wistow Evensong

The next Service of Holy Communion with Prayer for Healing will be at 10.45 am on **Friday 21st July**

The Liturgy of the Word, Sunday 18th June 2017

Our Summer sermon series is called 'Following Jesus with Matthew.'

The Bible readings set for today are:

Exodus 19.2-8 'We will do everything the Lord has said.....'

Romans 5.1-8 'God's love, poured out.....'

Matthew 9.35-10.8(9-23) '...before the Son of Man comes......'

The sermon is titled: 'Mission Impossible'

CORO NOSTRO CHAMBER CHOIR CONCERT – Friday 23rd June 7.30 at St Marys. We are holding our summer concert *UBI CARITAS ET AMOR* as a charity concert in memory of Elee Kirk .Please join us for an evening of beautiful music including Durufle, Mendelssohn, Ola Gjeilo and more. Tickets£8 (£6) include wine/soft drinks. Available on the door or in advance: lydia@coronostro.org.uk. All proceeds go to LOROS.

BISHOP'S GARDEN PARTY - we are all invited to join Bishop Martyn at a Charity Garden Party at his home, Bishop's Lodge, on Springfield Road, Clarendon Park, on **Saturday 24th June**, from 2pm-5pm. There will be activities for children, live music, and a quiz, as well as tea and cakes. Admission is £2, in aid of Leicester City of Sanctuary, a charity supporting refugees and asylum seekers.

SMALL PRIVATE OPEN GARDEN Saturday 24th June - 12 noon to 4pm 19 Fairfield Road Oadby LE2 4NF. Plant sales and Refreshments. Entrance £1.00. Raising funds for British Red Cross

WILDLIFE IN THE CHURCHYARD: A guided tour, Sunday June 25th 2pm to 5pm Leicester City Council is now responsible for maintaining St Mary's churchyard. While it will continue to be mowed and managed to enable continued access to the graves, a designated area of the churchyard will be under a different management approach to encourage wildlife. This area will be mown less frequently and the cut grass removed to enable wild flowers to grow and provide habitats for other wildlife to live. A local group – Knighton Wild – is working with the church and the City Council on this area and an introductory event is being held for parishioners to find out more about the work of the group and about the wildlife that is currently in this area of our churchyard. There will be two tours from the narthex at 2.15pm and 3.15pm; the church will be open and tea/coffee and biscuits will be available. We look forward to your support for this initiative.

WISTOW EVENSONG Sung Evensong at St. Wistan's Church, Wistow. **June 25th** A few members of St. Mary's Choir will be singing as part of an Ecumenical Choir at this traditional BCP service at 6.30pm. All are welcome. Conductor: Paul Jenkins, Director of Knighton Chamber Orchestra. Organist: Janet Edwards. This service will be in memory of the late Ian Fraser.

COME AND JOIN THE HUNT FOR TREASURE! If you enjoy an evening walk with others, looking for clues about local history and countryside, then why not join me for the annual Southern Edge Mission Partnership Treasure Hunt? This year the hunt is based around Burton Overy and starts from the Village Hall at 6pm on **Wednesday 28th June**. A fish and chip supper is available at the end of the evening. This is an ideal opportunity to invite friends and family to a 'gentle' church activity. If you'd like to be part of the St Mary's team then please let me know by 18th June at the latest. There is a poster with more details at the back of church. Adrian

MOTHERS' UNION A date for your diary: the annual Wave of Prayer will take place on **Thursday 29th June** and our slot is 1 – 1.30pm. More details later.

CONCERT FOR RAINBOWS The Semper Singers and Wollaton Singers present their Summer Concert. **Saturday 1st July** at 7.30pm in Church. Free admission. Refreshments available during the interval. Retiring collection and proceeds in aid of Rainbows Children's Hospice.

CAN YOU PROVIDE A LIFT? Veronica Brown would appreciate transport to the 8.00am Eucharist on **Sunday 16th July**. If you can help, please give her a call on 0116 288 9284.

RED CROSS REFUGEE & ASYLUM SEEKER COLLECTION BOX During the last few weeks very few items have been contributed. A reminder that more tins, pasta, toiletries are required for the people who really need these items and which are always gratefully received.

Please pray.....

"I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people..." 1 Timothy 2.1



We pray for those who are unwell at the moment:

Revd Richard Bonney

Please pray for those with ongoing illness, and for those whose names are on the prayer board in the Requiem Chapel.

Give thanks for those who have been healed and restored.

We remember those who have died recently and pray for their families and friends:

Gordon Wallington Gerry Cargill Victor Bonfield Jayne Montague Joy Parkes

Please advise Adrian or Neil of anyone who needs to be added to our prayer list.

MEMORY CAFÉ If you or a member of your family have issues with dementia, the Alzheimer's Society run Memory Cafes. They happen at St Thomas More Community Rooms every 4th Wednesday from 1.30pm - 3.30pm and at St Guthlac's Church on every 2nd Friday also from 1.30pm - 3.30pm.

Car Parking On Sunday mornings, please do not park in front of the church or on the church path unless you need to do so for mobility reasons. Also, please do not block the paths.

Giving Scheme Regular giving can be made either by weekly envelope, periodic cheque or bank standing order. Details of the Scheme can be obtained from Lorna Pollard, Giving Scheme Secretary, telephone 0116 2704272 or e-mail: stewardship@knightonparish.co.uk If you are a tax payer and gift aid your giving, our Church can claim an additional 25%.

Cheques for St Mary's Please note that any cheques for St Mary's must be made out to Knighton PCC.

Please send items for inclusion in the diary or notice sheet to James Gutteridge by Thursday 12.00 noon. Contact James on office@knightonparish.co.uk or 0116 2702705. Knighton Parish Office, Church Lane, Knighton, Leicester LE2 3WG