

Rota for this week

Door Welcome & Collection	Mary & Dennis Bambury
Reader	Roger Humphreys
Intercessions	Audrey Hobley
Elements	Clare & Richard Rednall
Coffee	Pat Robson & Mark Albert
Cleaning	Penelope & Martin Kettle

Services next Sunday, 23rd October 2016 Bible Sunday

8:00 a.m.	Holy Communion (BCP)	Bampton
9:15 a.m.	Holy Communion	Lew
9:30 a.m.	Family Service	Aston
10:30 a.m.	Family Eucharist	Bampton
10:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Clanfield

Rota for next week

Door Welcome & Collection	Pat Robson & Mark Albert
Reader	Beate Howitt
Intercessions	Celia Humphreys
Elements	Grace & Richard Wilkins
Coffee	Alexina Fantato & Jean Gray
Cleaning	Marilyn Smith & Tessa Gladders

Please take this leaflet home with you -

It will help keep you up to date with what's happening at St Mary's.
Further information about St Mary's church is on our website:
bamptonchurch.org.uk and in the monthly magazine "Contact."

St Mary the Virgin, Bampton 16th October 2016

The Twenty First Sunday after Trinity (Proper 24)

10.30 a.m. Sung Eucharist

Introit Hymn **453** *Great is thy faithfulness*

The Collect

Grant, we beseech you, merciful Lord,
to your faithful people pardon and peace,
that they may be cleansed from all their sins
and serve you with a quiet mind;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Epistle 2 Timothy 3: 14 – 4:5

Gradual Hymn **515** *Lord, thy word abideth*

The Gospel Luke 18: 1 - 8

Offertory Hymn **308** *Just as I am, without one plea*

Post Communion prayer

Father of light, in whom is no change or shadow of turning,
you give us every good and perfect gift
and have brought us to birth by your word of truth:
may we be a living sign of that kingdom
where your whole creation will be made perfect
in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Final Hymn **416** *Father, hear the prayer we offer*

Notices

Please pray for **Lucas William O'Brien**, who will be baptised here later today.

Holy Communion will be celebrated as usual on Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. in the Lady Chapel.

The funeral of **Paul William Cowan** will be held in St Mary's on Thursday at 2:00 p.m.

St Mary's Prayer Group meets regularly at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday at 16 The Lanes.

More information from Beate Howitt on 01993 851123.

St Mary's Church offers **2 Bible Discussion Groups** – one on a Monday evening and one on a Tuesday evening.

More information from Dennis Piper on 01993 850677.

"Coffee & Co:" will gather tomorrow, as usual, in Bampton Coffee House between 10:30 & 11:30a.m. Everyone is warmly welcome for a friendly chat & fellowship, together with a drink of your choice. A table is reserved for us so we are all in one large group.

Further information from Margaret Battersby, phone 01993 850182.

THE BIBLE TRIPTYCH

13th – 31st October to include Bible Sunday

This Triptych is on loan from the Summertown-Wolvercote Church Partnership. The work of 26 embroiderers, over two years, all 66 Books of the Bible are colourfully illustrated. Whilst this is on loan to us St Mary's will be making a donation to the Summertown URC, of which 20% will go Christian Aid. Much more information will be available but please do show your appreciation by leaving a donation in the wall safe.

Jill Hall.

St Mary's Ladies' Lunch

The October lunch will take place on Friday 28th at 12:30 p.m. in the Sports Pavilion, Buckland Road. The cost for a two course meal followed by tea, coffee and chocolates is £4.50. All ladies are welcome as are pre-school children and babies with their carers.

Further details from Joy Edwards on 01993 852557.

Choir Visit to Guildford Cathedral next Saturday

The choir are singing Choral Evensong at Guildford cathedral next Saturday. The coach will leave from outside St Mary's at 0930, arriving at around 1200 at the cathedral. Choral Evensong will be sung at 1700, with the coach departing for home at 1800 and hopefully arriving in Bampton between 2000 and 2030. A 50 seater coach is being booked, and the spare seats after choir and their families have been catered for are available on a first come first served basis. There will have to be a charge for this (to be announced) to help defray costs. There is a good café in the cathedral; cathedral tours are available. The cathedral sits about 3 miles from the city centre, but there is a local bus route that runs from the bottom of the cathedral hill into the city centre. Can anyone who would like to join us please add their name to the list on the table by the door?

LIVE JAZZ EVENING

The Friends of St Mary's, Bampton invite you to join them, in church, for an evening of jazz with

The Ben Holder Quartet

www.benholdermusic.com

On Thursday 24 November 2016

7:00 p.m. for 7:30 p.m. Tickets £10.

Available from

Bampton Coffee House; 01993 851142

Or Jill Hall after church services

Annual Children's Society Box Collection

It would be a great help if anyone holding a box could bring it to church to be collected.

If you have brought your box today please give it to Rosie Drake.

Thank you. Pauline Hawkins, Tel.: 01993 851066.