

WELCOME

All Christians who would normally do so are invited to receive communion. If you wish not to receive, please come forward for a blessing. **Gluten free Communion Wafers** are available on request in advance. You are warmly invited to coffee afterwards



CHILDREN

Children are very welcome at St Mary's. Junior Church takes place in the Parish Room during the Sung Eucharist. There is also a children's corner in Church for supervised pre-school children.

7th July 2019

Third Sunday After Trinity

Hymns

252, 29, 555, 738, 379, 409

TODAY

Old Basing Scout Hut Appeal - our Retiring Collection for the months of June and July.

Old Basing Schools Summer Fair takes place this afternoon from 12 - 3pm at the Junior School. Do pop along and join in the fun if you can.

BITS & PIECES

Induction service for Revd Heather Thank you very much to all who came to welcome me at my recent Induction Service. Your support through your presence and prayers was wonderful and it was a such a joy filled occasion. *Revd. Heather*

St. Mary's Village Fete

The Village Fete raised £1,927.47 for Church Funds on a very hot day.

We received support from Tesco's, Bartons Mill, the Shop at Sherfield on Loddon and all those who very kindly donated prizes for the raffle and games.

This event could not have succeeded without the support of those who gave up time to steward, run stalls and simply to visit us and spend.

Our thanks to all of you.

Hymns & Pimms

The total raised for the Village Fete included £305 from the very successful Hymns and Pimms evening organised by Penny Potter and Katharine Harding - Old Basing's answer to Ant and Dec. Thank you to them for all their hard work.

JOHN RUTTER "REQUIEM"

Basing Singers and Ooh Mama will be joining forces again for a concert with the Heritage Light Orchestra in All Saints Church, Basingstoke, on Saturday 13 July. As well as Rutter's Requiem, the programme will include Handel's "Zadok The Priest", Karl Jenkins' "Adiemus" and Bob Chilcott's "The Abolition of Slavery". The concert starts at 7.30pm and tickets are £10 on the door or from Mike on 01256 471493. All profits will go to the Ark Cancer Charity. Please come and join us for an evening of beautiful music.

CHURCH SERVICES

MORNING PRAYER

8.30 am on Monday, Thursday & Friday

HOLY COMMUNION

10 am Wednesday

SUNDAY SERVICES

8 am Book of Common Prayer
9.30 am Sung Eucharist
5.30 pm Evening Prayer

All are welcome at any or all of these services

Monday Discussion Group: This year our group will not have a meeting in July or August. Details of the September meeting will be given in a few weeks time. *Ann Price (320388)*

Brass Cleaning - Can you help?

The monthly brass rota has remained unchanged for many years and some of the volunteers have had to withdraw. This means we are looking for new volunteers to clean the brass. This would amount to once a year if sufficient people offered their help.

The job takes about 1 - 1 ½ hours at most. This is based on the brass being cleaned once in any month. It is not an arduous task and in the past has often been shared by friends or couples.

Cleaning materials will be supplied and it can be done at your own convenience notwithstanding services etc. If you think you can help please contact me either in person or by email. Many Thanks *Tricia Renwick Churchwarden*

SAVE THE DATE! - The Friends of St Mary's are planning an afternoon of tea, cake, music and children's games on Sat 7th Sept. Further details to follow.

Basingstoke Foodbank The summer months are a busy time for the Foodbank, particularly with the long school holiday. For a full list of items in short supply please visit the Foodbank website: <https://basingstoke.foodbank.org.uk>. Thank you for your continued support.

Please pray for....

- All those feeling overwhelmed by the chaotic troubles of life.
- Hope for all experiencing poverty, hunger, loneliness, depression, pain and any kind of suffering;
- Members of our parliament, praying for a spirit of tolerance and co-operation;
- Our global partners in Katakala;
- Regions of conflict and disaster;
- Residents of Basingfield Court & Oakfields;
- Our families and friends in this community, especially those who are sick or suffering, among them: Jackie Deadman; Esther Wong; Jean Schluter; and all in sorrow & pain.
- All those who have died recently: and those whose anniversaries fall at this time, and those who grieve for them;

Please note that this news sheet, as well as archived editions, is available on St Mary's website: www.stmarysoldbasing.org.uk

During the service a collection will be taken during the Offertory Hymn. If you miss this collection, gifts can be placed in the wall pillar. Gift Aid envelopes are available in the pews. Deo Gratias. Registered Charity No 1136606

PARISH CONTACTS:

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