



**St Mary the Virgin and All Saints  
Potters Bar**

**18th June 2017**

**The First Sunday after Trinity  
(Corpus Christi)**

*A warm welcome to St Mary's,  
especially if this is your first time here.*

*Refreshments are served after Family Communion.  
We look forward to meeting you and seeing you again.*

**TODAY'S SERVICES**

8.00am **HOLY COMMUNION**

10.00am **FAMILY COMMUNION**

**Hymns:** 95 – God is love: his the care  
323 – There is a Redeemer  
307 – Sweet sacrament divine  
226 – Meekness and majesty  
368 – Will you come and follow me

**Anthem:** Ave verum - Elgar

6.30pm **Evensong at Christ Church, Little Heath**

*Our flowers this week are arranged by Thelma Sillis  
and donated by Hazel Thurgood*

**The Week Ahead**

**Tuesday – Friday** Morning Prayer at 9.00am

**Tuesday – Friday** Evening Prayer at 5.00pm

**Tuesday** 9.30am Holy Communion

**Thursday** **St Alban the Martyr**  
9.30am Holy Communion (BCP)

**Saturday** 3.00pm Midsummer Strawberry Tea  
(see details in next column)

**Next Sunday** we shall celebrate our **DEDICATION  
FESTIVAL**

8.00am Holy Communion

10.00am **FESTIVAL EUCHARIST**

*Guest Preacher: **The Venerable Janet Mackenzie,  
Archdeacon of Hertford***

5.00pm Evensong

The Eucharist readings will be: 1 Kings 8 vv 22-30;  
Hebrews 12 vv 18-24 and Matthew 21 vv 12-16.

**Looking for a venue?** To hire St Mary's Hall,  
please contact Oliver Matley on 07880 860750

**Parish Notices**

The Guides have a stall at the back of the church after Family Communion today, to raise funds for their trip to Switzerland this summer. Please support them.

**NEXT SATURDAY** we will be holding a **Midsummer Strawberry Tea** in church from 3.00pm to 5.00pm. All welcome. Enjoy the company of friends in the ambience of our beautiful building. Please sign the list on the noticeboard if you are able to come. Tickets are £5 (half price for children). If you can you help with any of the following, please speak to Jenny - offers of help in setting up, serving, clearing away; provision of raffle prizes; donations of home-made cakes and scones. Please do invite friends and neighbours to join us for this occasion.

1st July 2017 marks fifty years since the completion of our church building and the consecration of the West End. We will celebrate this important anniversary **NEXT SUNDAY**. At the 10am Festival Eucharist we will be joined by the **Archdeacon of Hertford**, The Venerable Janet Mackenzie, who will preach and offer a prayer of blessing and dedication at the West Door of the church.

The Knit and Natter Group meets on **Tuesday 27th June** at 12 noon.

**Fr David Goodburn** will be celebrating his 40th anniversary of priesting at a Solemn Mass on **Saturday 1st July** at St Peter's Church, Folkestone at 12 noon. Richard has 2 spare seats in his car if anyone would like to attend this special occasion to give thanks for Fr David's ministry.

**Watchers and Welcomers** Please let Heather know of any holiday dates in August and September.

**For your prayers :**

**The sick** John Gamby, Marjorie Zerbahs, Joan Rutter, Nora Wood, Nick Brindley, Jill West, Andrew Butcher, Judy Robertson, Sam, Margaret Matthews, Erlene Williams, Vicky

**We also remember** Marilyn Grosse, Dominic Hilton, Mollie Brown, Janet Dear, Nicola Stiff, Fr Jeff & Barbara Stratton, Christopher Schools, Greta Murphy, Jean & Vic Cotton, Ivy Ponnaiyah, John Elliott, Molly Hines, Robert, David Evans, Pauline Barclay, Christine Barclay, Jan Davis, baby Ava

**The recently departed** Gwen Thornley

**Those whose anniversary of death falls this week**  
Agnes Birrell, Emily Chambers, Audrey Penn, Annie Goodacre, Philip Coates, Michael Clarke, Juliet Ely

**Those preparing for Confirmation** Tom Scanlon

**Our parish** We remember those who live in Winston Way and Wulstan Park

A reminder that the church is open for visitors from  
**10am to 12 noon** every Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

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**Items for next week's sheet to Richard Osborn (Tel: 07803 756088 / e-mail: rmosborn@hotmail.com) by Thursday**  
**Please let Fr Stefan know about illnesses or any other emergencies affecting parishioners.**

**THIS NEWS SHEET IS FOR YOU TO KEEP - PLEASE TAKE IT HOME WITH YOU**