

# Noticeboard

We would like to thank Brian Roberts from Holy Trinity in Guildford for taking services today for us at St Alban's and to thank Pauline Godfrey from Wyke for taking our God's Family at Worship at St Mary's.

The INDUCTION of Rev. Hugh Grear takes place at St Mary's on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> June at **7pm**, and afterwards at Worplesdon Memorial Hall. If you could provide a platter of finger food for this occasion you are asked to drop it off at the Hall beforehand (and to park there too).

THIS IS CHRISTIAN AID WEEK 9-15<sup>th</sup> May. Volunteers are urgently needed to deliver and collect envelopes for Christian Aid – even just to the houses either side of your own. Please contact Sue Darbey at St Alban's (G.577369) or Anthony Hillard at St Mary's (G. 811156)

There will be a Holy Communion service at St Alban's on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> May at 8pm for ASCENSION DAY. All Welcome.

Sarah Peak is taking part in a sponsored walk today towards her trip to India to help in the slums of Madras. You can sponsor her at [www.justgiving.com/Sarah-Peak](http://www.justgiving.com/Sarah-Peak)

JAZZ CONCERT – as part of St Alban's Festival there will be a Jazz Concert on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm. Featuring The Dennis Hickman Jazz Group and vocalist Jo Kimber tickets £10 (£7 concessions) contact Jane Baker on G 821097.

Volunteer sought to wash the server robes at St Mary's – please contact a member of clergy or the church office.

Volunteers are required to help run stalls at the Summer Festival on 26<sup>th</sup> June. Please contact Jackie Pocock on G 826518 or leave your name and contact details at the back of the church. All help is gratefully received.

Sign up lists are now in both churches to deliver CROSSWAY EXTRA to every house in the Parish. please consider delivering to a road, even if you live outside the parish.

The deadline for items for inclusion in the weekly Crossway Supplement is:

**Wednesday 12 noon c/o the Church Office G. 233091 or [churchoffice@worplesdonparish.com](mailto:churchoffice@worplesdonparish.com)**

This weekly notice sheet is also available from the parish website:

[www.worplesdonparish.com](http://www.worplesdonparish.com)



**The Parish of Worplesdon  
Crossway Supplement  
Readings, Prayers & Notices  
Christian Aid Sunday**



**Calendar for Week beginning  
May 9th 2010**

**Sunday 9<sup>th</sup>**

10.45 am God's Family at Worship at St Mary's.

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup>**

2.30pm Funeral of Carol Dorrington-Ward at St Mary's

8.00pm Pastoral Group.

**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup>**

8.00pm Sunday Club Planning 43 Frog Grove Lane

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup>**

11.00am Holy Communion at St Alban's

8.00pm Witness group at 67 Cumberland Ave

**Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> Ascension Day**

9.45am Parent & Toddler at St Alban's

8.00pm Holy Communion at St Alban's

**Friday 14<sup>th</sup>**

7.00pm Choir Practice at St Mary's

8.00pm Bell-ringers at St Mary's.

**Saturday 15<sup>th</sup>**

2.00pm Deaf Church at St Alban's

3.00pm Wedding at St Mary's

**Advanced Notice**

**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup>**

6.00pm Parish Youth Group at St Alban's

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup>**

6.30pm Wedding rehearsal at St Mary's

8.00pm Pain Group at St Mark's Hall, Wyke

8.00pm Growing Ministering Congregations at St Mary's

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup>**

10.00am Funeral of Roy Gardiner at Guildford Crematorium followed by memorial service at St Mary's

8.00pm Wednesday Fellowship at St Mary's

*Weekday Morning prayer is said at St Mary's at 8.30am  
& Evening Prayer at St Alban's at 5.00pm.*

*On Saturdays Morning Prayer is 9.00am at St Mary's.*

## **Welcome to our Worship**

**Hymns:** St Alban's: 567, 420, 170, 726, 340.

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### **Sentence before Collect**

Jesus said, 'I am the vine, you are the branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing.'

John 15.5

### **The Collect** (said by all)

**God our Father,**

**you never cease the work you have begun  
and prosper with your blessing all human labour:  
make us wise and faithful stewards of your gifts  
that we may serve the common good,  
maintain the fabric of our world  
and seek that justice where all may share  
the good things you pour upon us;  
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 First Reading: Psalm 22. v23-26**

**Reader: St Alban's : Dorothy Kinsella**

You who fear the Lord, praise him!  
All you offspring of Jacob, glorify him;  
stand in awe of him, all you offspring of Israel!  
For he did not despise or abhor  
the affliction of the afflicted;  
he did not hide his face from me,  
but heard when I cried to him.  
From you comes my praise in the great congregation;  
my vows I will pay before those who fear him.  
The poor shall eat and be satisfied;  
those who seek him shall praise the Lord.

## **Assisting with our worship today**

**Sidespersons:** St Alban's: 8.00 Don Brealey  
St Alban's: 9.15 Roger Toulson  
Deirdre McGowan  
Gill Cross  
GFW Welcome Family  
St Mary's: 10.45 Roger Toulson  
Elizabeth Toulson  
Anthony Hillard  
Mary Hillard  
John Collier  
Christopher Peacock  
Chris Sturdee  
GFW Sarah Peak

**Lay Assistants:** St Alban's 9.15  
St Mary's: 10.45

**Servers:** St Alban's 9.15  
St Mary's: 10.45

## **Assisting with our worship next week**

**8.00 St Mary's:** Sidesperson Ann Brown  
**Parish Communion**

**St Alban's**  
Acts 16. 16-34  
Helen Parsons  
Rev.22.12-14,16-17,20-end  
Nigel Thornback  
John 17. 20-end  
Kathleen Vallins  
Brian Williams  
Betty Leach

**St Mary's**  
Acts 16. 16-34  
Mary Broughton  
Rev.22.12-14,16-17,20-end  
Margaret Firmston  
John 17. 20-end  
Christopher Peacock  
8.00 Steve Reeds  
Pat Gathercole  
Wally Gathercole  
Ed Gillett  
Isobel Kelly  
Sally Gregory  
Mike Gillett

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading**  
**Reader**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading**  
**Reader**  
**Gospel**  
**Intercessor**  
**Lay Assistants**

**Servers**  
**Sidespersons**  
**Refreshments**

Roger Welch  
Sue Darbey  
Nigel Thornback  
Brian Williams  
Barbara Lennox  
Joy Corner

## **Requests for Prayer**

**Intercessions:** St Alban's : Betty Leach

**The Church in the World:** We pray for the Anglican Church of Korea: Bishop Solomon Yoon Presiding Bishop of the Anglican Church of Korea & Bishop of Busan.

**Our Diocese:** Pray for the Diocesan Board of Finance, Nigel Lewis (Chair), Stephen Marriot (Secretary).

**Our Parish:** Fairwood Helpers: the duty officers, volunteers and management committee. Carers; young and old.  
*Envis Way, Fairlands Avenue & Fairlands Road.*

**To be married:** Adrian Cooper & Michelle Moury.

**Those in Need:** John and Pat Evason, Noreen Hodgson, Catherine Moseley, Eileen Lee, Gill Cross, Dorothy Fordham.

**The Departed:** Carol Dorrington-Ward, Roy Gardiner.

**In Yearly Remembrance:** Ada Ford, Stanley Gower, Sean Penfold, Maidie Kimber, Geoffrey Thompson, Herbert Everett, Catherine Webster, Dorothy Hicks, Margaret Pearce.

We pray for Hugh and Tina Grear and their family  
as they prepare to join our Parish.

The Parish Clergy are available to offer support and guidance. They also appreciate being informed of individuals who may welcome a visit at home or in hospital. Baptisms, Weddings and Funerals are available in either Church by prior arrangement with the Clergy:

Rector:	Hugh Grear	from 1/06/10
Curate:	Mandy Welch	01483 233525
Pastor StAlban's:	Sr Susan Bloomfield	18002 01483 235136
Assistant Priest:	Tom Weil	01483 234535
Licensed Lay Minister:	Betsy Herdman	01483 232900
Church Office:	Michaela Kelly	01483 233091

Full details of church services and organisations and their co-ordinators are printed in the monthly parish magazine, Crossway, or visit [www.worplestonparish.com](http://www.worplestonparish.com).

May your hearts live for ever!  
V. This is the word of the Lord

**R. Thanks be to God**

## **Second Reading: 1. Corinthians 13**

**Reader: StAlban's : Lorna Morton**

If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels, but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give away all my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing.

Love is patient; love is kind; love is not envious or boastful or arrogant or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices in the truth. It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

Love never ends. But as for prophecies, they will come to an end; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will come to an end. For we know only in part, and we prophesy only in part; but when the complete comes, the partial will come to an end. When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child; when I became an adult, I put an end to childish ways. For now we see in a mirror, dimly, but then we will see face to face. Now I know only in part; then I will know fully, even as I have been fully known. And now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; and the greatest of these is love.

V. This is the word of the Lord

**R. Thanks be to God**

### ***The Gospel Reading: John 15. 1-8***

V. Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

#### **R. Glory to you, O Lord**

'I am the true vine, and my Father is the vine-grower.

He removes every branch in me that bears no fruit.

Every branch that bears fruit he prunes to make it bear more fruit. You have already been cleansed by the word that I have spoken to you. Abide in me as I abide in you.

Just as the branch cannot bear fruit by itself unless it abides in the vine, neither can you unless you abide in me.

I am the vine, you are the branches.

Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing.

Whoever does not abide in me is thrown away like a branch and withers; such branches are gathered, thrown into the fire, and burned. If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask for whatever you wish, and it will be done for you.

My Father is glorified by this,

that you bear much fruit and become my disciples.

V. This is the gospel of the Lord

#### **R. Praise to you, O Christ**

#### ***Post Communion Prayer***

God our creator,

you give seed for us to sow and bread for us to eat:

as you have blessed the fruit of our labour in this eucharist,

so we ask you to give all your children their daily bread,

that the world may praise you for your goodness;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**