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Today's **10am Holy Communion** livestreamed service **from outside St Mary's** is here

<https://youtu.be/YDsfmUAmDDo>

And **10 am Morning Worship from St Barnabas** is here:

<https://youtu.be/Yb88fD3o3eA>

Please join us for Zoom Fellowship after the service today, the link is in the weekly email.

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Forthcoming Services:

Sun 11th July 10am Morning Worship at St Barnabas
10am Holy Communion at St Mary's

Sun 18th July 8am BCP Holy Communion at St Mary's
10am Holy Communion at St Barnabas
10am Morning Worship at St Mary's

Sun 25th July 10am Morning Worship at St Barnabas
10am Holy Communion at St Mary's
4pm Messy Church at St Mary's

Sun 1st Aug 8am BCP Holy Communion at St Mary's
10am Morning Worship St Barnabas
10am Morning Worship at St Mary's

Please let both clergy know if you anticipate coming in person.

Funeral of Sylvia Jackson

Wednesday 21st July 10am at St Mary's (Time Change)

Sylvia's funeral will be streamed as well as in person. We are not yet sure if there will be any social distancing guidelines for us to follow for this service. **If you would like to attend, please contact Lerys.** The service will be followed by Refreshments at (TBA).

Memories of Sylvia Jackson

I have been asked by the family to collate some memories and stories of Sylvia and John from the perspective of their friends from St Mary's and the village. I would love to be able to pull together some memories which we can share along with family memories at the funeral. If you could please contact me and let me have any funny stories or favourite memories to share we would be grateful. - Lerys

NEW WINE IN NORTH HAMPSHIRE

Friday 30th July to Sunday 1st August

<https://www.northhampshirebreakout.com/>

New Wine is free and online this year running from **Thursday 29 July – Tuesday 3 August 2021.**

However St Peters Yateley, St Johns HW, St Johns Hook and St B's and St M's are joining together to put on live New Wine events at St Johns Hartley Wintney and St Peters from Friday 30th until Sunday 1st with live Kids work, Youth work, Prayer Ministry and Worship led by our own bands. Check out the website and sign up at the link above. We'd love to see you there!

St. Marys Rotas

With a return to "live" church we need to establish lists of those people willing to carry out the following roles at services.

Welcomer

Before the service stand outside the church to welcome people to the service.

Sidesman

Place and return candles Hand out and collect service sheets hymn books etc, Collect and count offering, organise communicants for Holy communion

Reader

Read the selected bible passage from the lectern/front of church

Intercessions

Lead us in our prayers of intercession

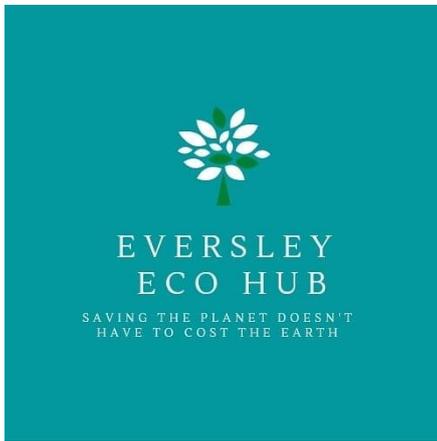
Chalice Assistant

Set up the table for Holy Communion and assist the priest in the giving of holy communion. (You will have to be approved by the bishop.)

I will create a rota of people assigned to each role for each service at the beginning of each school term. The more people who volunteer the easier it will be for all of us. If you are willing to undertake one or more of the roles listed above, please contact me.

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Eversley Eco Hub

The rectory room has now been let and is a shop selling various eco products, its opening times are as follows:-

Monday and Wednesday 9-12 and 2-6:30

Tuesday and Thursday 9-12 and 2-4

Friday and Saturday - Closed

see [Eversley Eco Hub](#) on Facebook

Seeking the Spirit

We'd love to see more of you if you can. We are meeting weekly at **4pm on a Thursday at St Barnabas** to have a time of quiet and space where we seek to allow the Holy Spirit to meet with us and ask him to guide and shape our community. All are welcome to join us.

KEEPING UP WITH THE COBWEBS @ST.MARY'S

In the past we have had a cleaning rota for St. Mary's which had to fall into abeyance during lockdowns. I am hoping to resurrect it from September, all being well. Cleaning would take place once a fortnight on a rota basis hopefully in pairs. The more people from the community willing to do this, the less often each will appear on the rota. I will try and initiate a checklist too, so that folk know what to look at, but it will be largely dusting, pews and floors. There is a hoover and cleaning materials at church. If you are willing and able to help, whether or not you've done this in the past, please can you contact me.

Midweek Communion at St Barnabas

We are thinking of restarting our short, said Midweek communion at St Barnabas beginning again on Tuesday 20th July at 11.30am. If this is something you would like to come to, please could you let me know.

Lerys

Prayer for Myanmar



WORLD WATCH LIST

#18 Myanmar

Hope in the darkness

Christians in Myanmar are fearful yet bravely persevering, in the wake of the military coup that has instigated a trail of brutality and threatens to undo a decade of democratic progress.

The military took control on 1 February, alleging election fraud. Thousands took to the streets in protest. In a ruthless military clampdown, over 700 people have been killed and thousands arrested. As hostilities intensify, fears grow that the country's long-running civil war will escalate.

Between 1962 and 2011, when Myanmar was ruled by the staunchly-Buddhist military, Christians were systematically persecuted. Recent months have reawakened traumatic memories, including those of older pastors who are

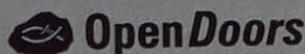
paralysed by fear and unable to lead their churches. "The military coup is going to be like North Korea," says one believer. "I have big concern for our future generations."

Churches have been unable to meet because it's too dangerous. Church buildings have been shot at and ransacked. Pastors have been forced into hiding, having shown opposition to the coup.

But there is hope. Persecution survival training, funded with your support, is guiding believers in their response. In one village, 40 people have become Christians! And believers are drawing strength from praying and reading the Bible. "I have become more prayerful since the coup," shares a believer.

Father, please strengthen and encourage our family in Myanmar in their faith and witness, and provide for their needs. Bring the coup to an end. Amen.

LEFT Christians in Myanmar gather to pray for their country



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St Bee's Pop-up Café



Outside Café

Every Saturday

(Weather dependant)

9.30am to 12noon

Hot and Cold Drinks, Cakes and Biscuits

The Community Café at St Barnabas Church, Brinns Lane, Darby Green will be re-opening outside.

RESTARTS Saturday 20th June
in front of the church.

We will be serving snacks and drinks with
Covid compliant table service and social distancing measures in place.



Give what you can, not what you can't

We recognise that these are challenging financial times for millions in our country. Our churches alongside many other charities are also facing challenging financial circumstances. As we continue to support our communities and facilitate new ways of worshipping safely together, we continue to see a significant reduction in our income.

We are developing simple online forms of giving,

For St. Mary's: to give £5, £10, £20 or £50 please use this link: <https://st-marys-church-everasley.sumup.link>

For St. Barnabas: to give £5, £10, £20 or £50 please use this link: <https://st-barnabas-church.sumup.link/>

You may also consider giving online via BACS (banking details are available from our clergy and treasurers) and particularly via the Parish Giving Scheme, which now has a phone service: 0333 002 1271. For more details:

St. Marys - Sue Brooker via giving@stmaryseversley.org.uk 0118 973 0157

St. Barnabas - Richard Ranson via the church office email: office@stbarnabastheencourager.co.uk

Because St. Mary's is a charity it is able to benefit from you using **Easy Fundraising**, and **Amazon Smile** without it costing you anything when you select the appropriate charity. There is more information via

www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/stmaryseversley/ and <https://smile.amazon.co.uk/ch/1128040-0>

CHANGE of DATE for CAKES! RAF Odiham Families Day to Saturday 14th August 2021

Due to the ongoing restrictions, this event has experienced a date change - sorry to muck you around. **Thank you to those who've already committed to making cakes. If you haven't room to freeze them, please let Rev'd Rachel have them before Wed 21st July.**

The cakes are a love-gift to RAF personnel, people who will have served us and others in all sorts of largely invisible ways. The stall is greatly appreciated by the personnel and their families who now eagerly come and find it. Arrangements are fluctuating, and numbers attending unknown, but Mothers' Union members would appreciate as many cakes as possible.

**Can you please bake biscuits, cakes, buns, tray bakes, cupcakes etc?
BUT PLEASE MAKE SURE THEY ARE WITHOUT NUTS, FRESH CREAM, OR MARZIPAN.**

MU members and other supporters from across the Winchester Diocese bake and help on the day, many from St. Peter's Yateley and across our Odiham Deanery. In the past Graham Hartland has done this and can tell you more about it, though prior commitments prevent him taking part this year.

This year, **we are also looking for financial donations to help with the cost of drinks**, as Waitrose in Yateley and Alton aren't able to provide consumables for free as they have done in the past. Members of the St. Peter's MU Branch can accept donations of cakes now, and freeze them. This includes Rachel and Graham Hartland. They are also very happy to collect donations from you in the days leading up to Sat 10th July. Alternatively, phone Linda or Sue from St. Peter's (below) and they will collect from you.

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Daily Prayer 10am Online and in person

Daily prayer at 10am is on our Facebook pages every day. On Wednesdays, St Mary's is open so you can join in-person. St Mary's then remains open until 12noon. On Saturdays you can now join in-person again at St Barnabas at 10am. Both these services use the Ffald-y-Brenin form of Morning Prayer. The videos remain available for you to access later via our Facebook pages and on our YouTube Channel. For St. Mary's it's:

www.facebook.com/StMarysEversley/

and for St. Barnabas www.facebook.com/StBarnabasChurchFrogmoreandDarbyGreen/

Our dedicated YouTube channel is at <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCwUN6hbEio3LnrOPzVG7lxw>

Prayer for Myanmar 2021

Bishop Stephen has asked us to use this pray and pray for Myanmar.

We pray for Myanmar
We pray for solidarity at a time of hatred.
We pray for peace to prevail.
We pray for the courage of all its peoples.
We pray for unity.
We pray for Myanmar.



Online House Groups

We have two house groups meeting online on a fortnightly basis. One led by Kate Campbell on a Thursday and one led by Jane Hughes on a Tuesday. Please get in touch with them or the clergy if you would like to join.

Together on Tuesdays

We have decided to delay the return of Tots until September term. As the indoor seating will prove quite restrictive should weather be wet or chilly. Also we will not be able to serve our cold table as we would normally do. However, we are hoping to have a coffee and cake get together during August. More details will follow nearer the time.

Pat and Jackie

Prayer Chains

We now have active prayer chains in both churches, shared by email. If you have any prayer requests for them please contact the clergy. If you are happy for these to be mentioned in our daily online reflections, they can be.

Who might need paper-based worship materials?

We now have several volunteers to deliver worship materials to those who aren't able to access our online offerings. We also have list of people who think might appreciate a service leaflet that they can follow through at home. **YOU may know other people who might appreciate these. If so, PLEASE ask them if they would like a weekly copy, and then let the clergy know their name and address.** We will then ask our "printer-deliverers" to drop off copies each week.



Hart foodbank

GENEROUS June

Currently our urgent needs are:
Sponge Puddings, Rice, Custard, Long-life Juice, Washing Detergent (small)

Donations can currently be made via:
Centre Stores Eversley, The Co-op Yateley and Frogmore Community College, and direct to St Barnabas Church, Darby Green (Mondays and Thursdays, 1.30-3pm).

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