

## REGULAR DATES AT ST MARY'S



Don't forget **Parish Prayers** on the second Friday of each month. Next date is **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2017** at 10.30am in the Norbury

Chapel.



Please join us **each Thursday** at 9am for **Morning Prayers** in the Norbury Chapel.



The next **discussion group** meeting will take place on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December at 10.30am at the home of Vivienne Wilkins. All welcome



## FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP @ ST MARY'S

Please join us each month on the third Thursday for our regular Parish lunch at 12.30pm. **The next date is Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December**



The next **WASPS lunch** will take place on 12<sup>th</sup> December at the Running Mare. More details from Vivien Wilkins (01932

589835).



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St Marys Church Stoke D'Abernon

[www.stmarysstokedabernon.org.uk](http://www.stmarysstokedabernon.org.uk)

### New to St Mary's?

We like to be able to contact new members and visitors, so please let us have your contact details. Please send us your name, address, telephone and email address to our parish administrator on 01932 866005 or

[admin@stmarysstokedabernon.org.uk](mailto:admin@stmarysstokedabernon.org.uk)



**Please join us after the 10am Service for coffee**



### Coffee Rota

The new rota for Jan to March next year is being prepared. If you can offer to make coffee

after one of our 10am services please let Polly or Helen Hilliard know as soon as possible. We also need someone to take over the running of the rota.

## St Mary's Church, Stoke D'Abernon

### The First Sunday of Advent

Sunday 3 December 2017

Please take this sheet away for reference



## 1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF Advent

### December Services at St Mary's

Sun 3 Dec	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Choral Eucharist
	6pm	Evensong
Sun 10 Dec	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Parish Eucharist
	6pm	Evensong
Sun 17 Dec	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Parish Eucharist & Baptism
	11.30am	Mattins
	6pm	Festival of 9 Lessons and Carols
Sun 24 Dec	10am	Holy Communion
	5pm	Crib Service
	11pm	Midnight Mass
Mon 25 Dec	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Parish Eucharist NO EVENSONG
Sun 31 Dec	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Parish Eucharist
	6pm	Evensong

### Priest:

The Reverend Godfrey Hilliard 01932 868428

[godfreyhilliard@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:godfreyhilliard@hotmail.co.uk)

(Day off on Friday)

### Parish Administrator :

Polly Zabari

[admin@stmarysstokedabernon.org.uk](mailto:admin@stmarysstokedabernon.org.uk)

(9.00-1.00 Mon, Wed, Fri)

(9.00-10.30am Tues and Thurs)

**01932 866005**



Our **Festival of 9 Lessons and Carols** takes place at 6pm on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> December. Please join us in the Church Hall afterwards for wine and mince pies.

## Collect for the day

Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness and put on the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life, in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility; that on the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

**8.00am Holy Communion**

**Preacher Godfrey Hilliard**

**Epistle :** 1 Cor 1 : 3-9

**Gospel :** Mark 13 : 24 - end

**10.00am Choral Eucharist**

**Preacher Godfrey Hilliard**

**Epistle :** 1 Cor 1 : 3-9

**Gospel :** Mark 13 : 24 - end

**Hymns :** 26 om v4, 24, 28, 29 om v4

Missa Super "Dixit Maria" – Hans Leo Hassler

Rejoice in the Lord alway

Words, Philippians 4:4-7 (Epistle for the 3rd Sunday in Advent) Music, Anon, C16, formerly attributed to William Redford

**6pm Evensong**

**Preacher Hugh Bryant**

**First Reading :** Isa 1 : 1-20

**Second Reading :** Matt 21 : 1 - 13

**Psalm :** 9 vv 1-8, Chant 155

**Hymns :** 1 vv 1-4, dox; 571 om v4; 36 om v4



A reminder to those who have booked to go to the Royal Festival Hall on Thursday 14th December that the coach will leave the Downside Bridge Road car park at 5 .00 pm. Tickets for the concert will be given out on the coach. **If anyone would like to join the group going to the Royal Festival Hall on Thursday 14th December for a concert of Christmas music and carols please let Jenny Vickers know on 862497 or [jenny.vickers@gmail.com](mailto:jenny.vickers@gmail.com).**

## FORTHCOMING CHORAL SERVICES

**Sun 17 December 6pm**

**Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols by Candlelight**

Readings and Carols for Christmas



**Sunday 24 December 11pm**

**Midnight Mass**

Missa Sancti Nicolai – Haydn; Christmas Carols

CHORAL EUCHARIST IS SUNG ON THE 1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH, EXCEPT DURING AUGUST



## LUNCHTIME RECITALS

We are pleased to announce the second of our series of **lunchtime recitals** taking place at St Mary's on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2018 in the Church. An international group of students from the Yehudi Menuhin School will present a programme including a quartet by Franz Joseph Haydn and Hugo Wolf's Italian Serenade. The concert will begin at 1pm and will last just under an hour.

*There is no charge, and there is no need to book however there will be a retiring collection.*



St Andrew's, Cobham are hosting lunch on Christmas Day between 1 – 4.30pm. All welcome RSVP to Parish Office at St Andrew's 01932 867883



The next **Maiestra Concert** will take place on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2017 at 7.30pm @ St Andrew's Church, Cobham.

### The progamme :

Schubert – Quartettsatz : D703

Beethoven – String Quartet in F minor, Op 95

Tchaikovsky - String Quartet No. 1 in D major, Op 11

### The performers :

Arisa Fujita – violin

Will Dutton – violin

Joon Hurh – viola

Sebastian Kolin – cello

Admission to the concert is free of charge, with a retiring collection to support the courses organised by the Aidan Woodcock Charitable Trust which are entirely free to the students. For further information about the venues and the activities of **Maiestra** and the Trust, please visit our website at [www.maiestra.org](http://www.maiestra.org)