

Prayer & Reflection

The Benefice prays for:

- Those who are unemployed and seeking new job opportunities.
- Children and young people returning to school, and those starting school for the first time.
- Rachel Barwell beginning a year in Honduras volunteering with Project Trust.
- For Matt, Michelle & Ellie Thompson as they move into Moseley & for Matt preparing to take up his post as Dean of the Cathedral.
- The completion of three classroom blocks in Malawi.
- For the leaders of the nations, for wisdom, courage and compassion.

Prayers are asked for:

Margaret Brown, Pat Dowell, Sam Wylie, Lucy Charles, Matthew, Hannah and Bethany Davies, Nick Ball, Jocelyn Bennett, Jeanette Riddick, Daniel Herman, Sylvia Gold, Alan Jones, Ruth Greenhalgh, Ian Spence, Harry Rawlings, Fred Burrows, Sue Corlett, Sue & John Williams, John & Sue Withey, Debbie Baker, Roger Howling, Bal and Louise, Paul Jones, Sheila Boylan, Ryan and Kelly, Rachel Clarkson, Betty Clarke, Jade Phipps, Suki Cornfield, Sean Brady, Mark Midgley, Joan Dakin, Sheila Perks.

We celebrate the Birthdays of:

3rd Nick Drew
4th Kate Stocks, Jenny Allen, Terence Sutton
7th Joyce Rimmer, Wilf Burbidge
8th Jacob Smith
9th Olivia Everett, Kobina Hall, Rachel Barwell

Thought for the Week

See: [Matthew 16:21-end](#)

Welcome to St Mary's & St Anne's Moseley Sunday 3 September 2017 12th Sunday of Trinity

Morning Readings: [Jeremiah 15:15-21](#) (p. 728)

[Matthew 16:21-end](#) (p. 17)

Evening Readings: [2 Kings 6:24-25; 7:3-end](#) (p. 348)

[Revelation 21:1-14](#) (p. 257)

Holy Communion at St Mary's	8:00 a.m.
Sung Eucharist at St Mary's	10:00 a.m.
Sung Eucharist at St Anne's	11:00 a.m.
Evensong at St Mary's	6:30 p.m.

Collect

God of constant mercy, who sent your Son to save us: remind us of your goodness, increase your grace within us; that our thankfulness may grow, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Future Services

Sunday 10th Sept – St Mary's Patronal

Holy Communion at St Mary's 8:00 a.m.

Joint Eucharist at St Mary's 10:00 a.m.

No Service at St Anne's today

Preaching the Windows at St Mary's 6:30 p.m.

Sunday 17th Sept – Trinity 14

Holy Communion at St Mary's 8:00 a.m.

Sung Eucharist at St Mary's 10:00 a.m.

Sung Eucharist at St Anne's 11:00 a.m.

Preaching the Windows at St Mary's 6:30 p.m.

Preparation

Before each service you are invited to use the time for prayer and preparation for worship. Children are welcome and we want them to be safe whilst they are with us.

Parents and carers should be aware that our church is open to the public and they should therefore be aware of where their children are in the building at all times when they are not part of organised activities.

Moseley Car Park – changes to charging

The car park in Moseley has now both increased its charges and introduced charges for 24 hours a day. Please do not be caught out.



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Welcome

If you are here for the first time, please do introduce yourself to a sidesperson or priest. There is a loop system for the hard-of-hearing available in the nave at St Mary's and in all parts of the church at St Anne's.

Lighting a Candle

Please feel free to light candles to pray for someone. Candle stands are in the Magnificat Chapel at the end of the North Aisle in St Mary's. Prayer boards are also adjacent.

Your Offering

A collection for the work of the church is usually taken during each service. There will also be a collection from the parents in the children's groups. Please use the Gift Aid envelope. The Churches will reclaim 25p of tax on every £1 that you give. Standing order and Gift Aid forms are available in both churches, please see Jamie Sheehan at St Anne's or Stephen Lewis or Jenny Jupe at St Mary's.

Contact details for our Parish Administrator, Associate Vicar & Wardens (inc. Hall Bookings)

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This week

Monday 4 September

09:00 a.m. Morning prayers at St Mary's

Wednesday 6 September

09:00 a.m. Morning prayers at St Anne's
6:00 p.m. 'Silentspace' in St Mary's Lady Chapel
7:30 p.m. Growing Leaders in St Mary's West Room

Thursday 7 September

10:15am Stay & Play at St Anne's
10:00 a.m. Open Church at St Mary's
12:00 noon Prayers for Palestine/ Israel, St Mary's
12:30 p.m. Holy Communion, St Mary's

Friday 8 September

10:00 a.m. Open Church at St Mary's

Saturday 9 September

10:30 a.m. Coffee and Co. at St Mary's

Notices

St Mary's Patronal Festival Lunch

Sunday 10 September at St Mary's Church.

To celebrate the Patronal Festival, after the morning service, a lunch will be served following refreshments.

As the food will be provided we will be asking for a minimum donation of £5 to cover costs. Any surplus monies raised will be donated to our Benefice charities. Please book your place using the sign-up sheets on the Welcome desks.

Preaching the windows:

A sermon series exploring Anglican identity Sundays at 6:30 p.m. in St Mary's Church. Beginning on 10 September with a sermon on The Venerable Bede.

Minister on placement

Many of you will know Fiona Elvins, who is the Lay Minister at St Columba United Reformed Church in the village. She has been accepted to train for ordination within the URC, and as part of her training is spending six months in the benefice exploring what it means to be Anglican. Please do make Fiona welcome and if she asks any questions she's not being nosy—it's to help with her training.

Silentspace

Commencing on Wednesday 6 September in St Mary's Lady Chapel, Peter Alcock will be hosting a new series of 'Silentspace'. The sessions will take place between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Prayer Circle

Tuesday 12 September, 7:30 p.m., the Vestry at St Anne's church. (The door is on the left side of the church towards the back.)

At the next Prayer Circle will take place we will be making prayer stations for both churches on the subject Fresh Steps. Please bring any materials on this topic which you would like to contribute. Please contact Liz Blzakey, Helen McNicoll or Elisabeth Leicester for more information.

Art exhibition

A selection of artworks by Joyce Rimmer will be on display in the Kings Heath Church Café between Sunday 3 September and Sunday 15 October.

A new START!

Starting on Tuesday 12 September, 7:30 p.m., St Mary's West Room.

God, Jesus and the journey of life in six one hour sessions with DVD clips, discussion, time for reflection—and cake. If you are new to the Christian faith or to church, or if you have questions about life and the Christian faith, this could be for you. Although this will run for six Tuesday evenings, it's fine to come along if you can't make all the sessions. Take a look at the flyer on the Welcome desk to see more. If you want to participate, or have any questions, contact the church office.

Prayer Vigil for Peace

Wednesday 20 September, 7:30 p.m., St Mary's Church
As part of the World Week for Peace in Palestine and Israel there will be a special Prayer Vigil for Peace. It will be followed by refreshments.