

WELCOME TO ST MARY'S TATSFIELD



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We seek to know and share God's love as revealed in Jesus Christ'

Sunday February 2nd 2025 The Presentation of Christ in the Temple

10am Holy Communion with hymns - led by Revd David Butlin.

Would those unable to attend this service in person please note there is no live-stream of 10am service from St Peter's, Limpsfield this Sunday.

Hymns for this Sunday

- 411 Lord Jesus Christ (Living Lord).
- 66 Be still and know.
- 332 I, the Lord of sea and sky.
- 137 Crown him with many crowns,

Readings for this Sunday

Hebrews 2:14-18 and Luke 2:22-40 (Church Bible pages 1202 & 1028).

Collect for this Sunday

Lord Jesus Christ,
light of the nations and glory of Israel:
make your home among us,
and present us pure and holy to your heavenly Father,
your God, and our God. **Amen**

Praying for the Parish of St Mary's Tatsfield

Week commencing 2nd February we pray for those living in Ninehams Road.

Next Sunday 9th February – The Fourth Sunday before Lent

10am Holy Communion Morning with hymns - led by Bishop Chris Goldsmith.

Personal Prayer Requests

If you wish to have prayers said on your behalf, there is a Prayer Request Book near the Baptism Font. Or email your request to stmoffice.lttm@btinternet.com

Holy Communion for the sick and house-bound

Those unwell and/or house-bound who wish to receive Holy Communion at home or place of residence can contact our Churchwardens. Details page 4.

Life Events

We welcome enquires for baptisms, weddings, funerals and interment of ashes. Further information is on our website www.lttm.org.uk/stmarys or email the Parish Office at stmoffice.lttm@btinternet.com

St Mary's Church opening times

St Mary's is open for viewing, prayer or personal reflection from 9am - 3.30pm approx. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays and Sundays.

Mondays 9.30am - 11.30am 'Tots on Top' in the Millennium Hall

If you would like to attend our popular Monday morning parent/carer and baby/toddler group, please contact Hedy Gulley on 07963 121 543.

11am - 12noon Wednesday mornings - Prayer Time

Prayer Time on 5th February will be at Barbara's once again. We are grateful for the welcome Barbara gives, and the relaxed atmosphere in which we can bring our thanks and cares to Our Father in Heaven. Feel free to join our small group. Ellie Goldsmith

7.30 – 8pm Wednesday evenings - Lectio Divina (Bible reflection) via Zoom

An invitation to learn from the Bible together with Chris and Ellie Goldsmith in a simple way and a relaxed environment. All are welcome. The Zoom link is <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/2368511841?pwd=QlJ3U0AqHd0Mhb0hiuYlYlYkVbqQzagK.1>

1pm - 3.30pm Thursdays 13th & 27th Feb - Oxted Bereavement Support Group

Bereaved people are welcome on their own or with a friend to chat, share experiences and discuss ways of coping. Trained volunteers are on hand for emotional and bereavement support. Oxted URC 21 Bluehouse Lane. RH8 0AA.

Would you like to join St Mary's Flower Team?

Our friendly Flower Team welcomes new members to help decorate St Mary's church, especially for key services and festivals. If you are interested or would like to know more about what is involved, please contact Ann Vatcher 577207 or Jan Maynard 577659.

Food Deliveries

We support the local community at Westerham foodbank which has seen an increase in households referred from a variety of agencies. Some require short-term support, some intermittently over a longer time and some for extended periods. We will be delivering on Thursdays 13th Feb, 13th March and 17th April. Items currently needed include: cereal, soup, baked beans, jam, pasta sauces, rice, tinned fish, meat, long-life or powdered milk, custard and rice pudding. Please donate if you can. Non-perishable food donations can be left in the Narthex at St Mary's church, opening times page 2. Monetary donations made will be used to purchase food. Thank you for your continued support.

Hilary Vale 01959 577864

Cash and Contactless Giving

A collection plate for personal cash donations is in the Narthex rather than circulated during services. A Contactless Giving facility is also available. If your card has no contactless function you can donate the usual way by inserting your card in the machine and using your PIN number. Regards, Madie Langford.

Donations for sales table in the Millennium Hall

Donations of small suitable items for the Millennium Hall sales tables would be gratefully received. Thank you. Sheila Cook

Hire of the Millennium Hall

Our well-equipped Millennium Hall is open for bookings. Enquiries from individuals and groups are very welcome. Sheila Cook (01959 577443).

Notices

Unless otherwise notified please send any notices or items of interest or enquiry by noon Wednesday each week to: stmoffice.lttm@btinternet.com

Contacts

St Mary's Office: The Parish Office, High Street, Limpsfield RH8 0DG.

Phone 01883 712512 / email stmoffice.lttm@btinternet.com.

Open Thurs 9.30-13.30 - emails are checked regularly for urgent matters.

Parish Administrator: Steve Tatler available as above.

Team Rector: Revd Helen Cook - 07530 609511

email: hjwcook@yahoo.co.uk (day off Friday)

Curate: Debra Elsdon - 07436 172130

email: curate.lttm@gmail.com (days off Mon & Fri)

Wardens: Marjory Broughton (01959 541059) / Chris Hancock (01959 577622)

Parish Safeguarding Officer (PSO): Jennifer Evans (07967 123356)

St Mary's Website: www.lttm.org.uk/stmarys