

## ✦WARWICK TEAM MINISTRY✦



# Weekly Newsletter June 19<sup>th</sup> 2022

**WELCOME TO OUR WEEKLY NEWSLETTER.** The Westminster government has withdrawn all COVID restrictions but the Church of England recommends wearing facemasks for enclosed spaces and encountering people you don't usually meet. The South side of St Mary's (by the font) remains a zone just for those wearing masks and maintaining social distance. We provide a live-stream of our 10.30am Sunday service on Facebook and YouTube.



Under GDPR, St Mary's must have consent of anyone whose image might be included in our broadcast. Every attempt is made not to show faces but this can happen if people turn around during the service. The congregation is not filmed whilst receiving communion, and side aisles and the back third of the centre of the church are not covered by our cameras. The full policy can be read on the noticeboards or from the "Featured" section of the front page of our website. Please indicate your consent by signing the form at the back of church or using the link to the online form on our website.



We are following the guidance of the Church of England, including when it comes to giving and receiving communion. At present communion at all services is received standing along the communion rail with an option to receive wine at the end of the rail. The current order of service, newsletter, prayer diary and parish magazine can also be viewed and downloaded from our website.

Further information about St Mary's, our life and ministry can be found on: our website [www.stmaryswarwick.org.uk](http://www.stmaryswarwick.org.uk)

St Mary's Campaign 2023 <https://www.stmaryscampaign2023.org.uk/> and <https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/stmaryswarwickcampaign2023>

Twitter @StMarysWarwick and @ChoirsofWarwick

Facebook @StMarysWarwick and St Mary's Warwick Community

YouTube <https://www.youtube.com/c/CollegiateChurchofStMaryWarwick>

Please note that for legal and copyright reasons the taking of videos, photographs and recordings is not permitted during services.

# SERVICES

## Trinity 1

**8.00am** Holy Communion (BCP Said)

Celebrant & Preacher: Canon Peter Holliday

*The service begins in the Book of 205*

**10.30am** Choral Eucharist (Common Worship)  
Boys' Voices  
also on Facebook & YouTube

Preacher: Canon Peter Holliday  
Reading: Galatians 3: 23-29 - Diane Luxton  
Intercessor: Elizabeth Rankin  
Organ Voluntary: *Toccata in F (BuxWV 157)* Buxtehude

**Everyone is warmly invited to stay for tea or coffee after the service.**

**5.30pm** Choral Evensong (BCP)  
Boys' and Men's Voices

Hymn: 383(ii)  
Preces: Sumsion  
Psalm: 57  
Reading: Genesis 24: 1-27 - Peter Briggs  
Magnificat: Stanford *in C*  
Reading: Mark 5: 21-end - John Brown  
Nunc dimittis: Stanford *in C*  
Responses: Sumsion  
Anthem: *Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace* Wesley

Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on Thee. The darkness is no darkness with Thee, but the night is as clear as the day: The darkness and the light to Thee are both alike. God is light and with Him is no darkness at all. Oh let my soul live and it shall praise Thee. For Thine is the Kingdom, the power and the glory, for evermore.

Hymn: 392  
Preacher: Canon Peter Holliday  
Hymn: 377  
Organ voluntary: *Fantasy on "Lumetto"* Leighton

Director of Music: Oliver Hancock  
Assistant Director of Music: Mark Swinton  
Organ Scholar: Matthew Howell

# NOTICES

## HELP NEEDED

We are delighted and grateful that so many people have come forward and volunteered to fill many roles in our church enabling us to be a truly living church. Our building is open for worship, events and visitors seven days a week and we need to ensure it is clean and presentable.

We have had a volunteer doing the essentials since the end of last year while we re-assess our needs. The Holy dusters make a significant impact by meeting once a month but we do need someone to do basic cleaning tasks (toilets, floors, emptying bins and replenishing handtowels etc.) a couple of times a week. It takes about 4 hours in total.

We think this should be a paid role, but have not been able to find a suitable cleaner yet. If anyone knows a good, reliable cleaner, please could they let Clare Gould (our Church Administrator) know by email

[OM@stmaryswarwick.org.uk](mailto:OM@stmaryswarwick.org.uk)

Meanwhile, our regular volunteer cleaner is willing to continue for another few months, but is not available on the following weeks:

w/c 6<sup>th</sup> June, 13<sup>th</sup> June, 20<sup>th</sup> June, 18<sup>th</sup> July, 25<sup>th</sup> July, 1<sup>st</sup> August, 22<sup>nd</sup> August.

If anyone would be willing to help, please let Clare know as soon as possible.

## HOLY DUSTERS



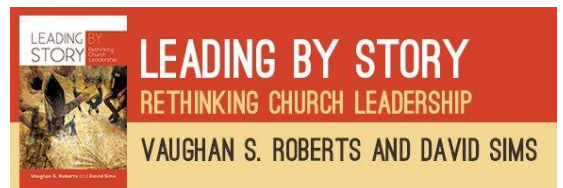
The next gathering of our Holy Dusters is from 9am-12pm on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June. Thanks to everyone who helps keep St Mary's clean (fortified by cake and coffee!).

## GOING FORWARD

Clergy in the Diocese are encouraged to take a 12-week period of sabbatical study leave every seven years.

Vaughan's last sabbatical was in 2015 so he is away for 12 weeks following the Jubilee Service. Last time he worked on a number of

writing projects including the research which led to the publication of *Leading by Story*. One of his plans this time is another writing project involving Christianity and stories. He's written more about this in the next issue of our parish magazine.



## **FIRE UNLOCKED**

There will be a Parish walk on the second week in June to encourage the community to think about where we are and call in to see us and find out more about us. For more details Please contact [gill.james2021@gmail.com](mailto:gill.james2021@gmail.com)

## **MUSIC FOR ST MARY'S 2023**

As part of the celebrations for St Mary's 900<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 2023, the Director of Music is looking to commission some new choral works. Cecilia McDowall has agreed to write an anthem, and enquiries are being made for a setting of the Magnificat and Nunc dimittis. A generous benefactor has offered to sponsor the anthem, so if you would be interested in contributing towards the cost of the Magnificat and Nunc dimittis - total cost is likely to be around £9,000 - please speak to or email Oliver Hancock, Director of Music: [dofm@stmaryswarwick.org.uk](mailto:dofm@stmaryswarwick.org.uk)



## **FORTHCOMING RECITAL**


Colin Druce needs little introduction, being one of St Mary's occasional deputy organists and well known in Warwickshire for his brilliance as a soloist and accompanist. He makes a welcome return to St Mary's in both capacities for our next two Friday recitals. At 1.15pm on 24th June, he will perform a solo programme on the organ, including the glorious Sixth Symphonie by Widor, and on 1st July he will accompany young musicians from Warwick School. As usual, admission is free with a retiring collection.

## **VISITOR WELCOME VOLUNTEERS**

Do you like talking to people? Do you like meeting people from all over the world? Then why not volunteer with the Visitor Welcome Team? We greet visitors from all over the world, helping them to have a memorable and informative time in our magnificent Church. We are looking for volunteers who can give us 3 hours of their time to help us give visitors a better understanding of the history of our church and to be part of our happy and vibrant team. Please contact Anaïs Vanian-Cooper for more information at: [svtl@stmaryswarwick.org.uk](mailto:svtl@stmaryswarwick.org.uk) Phone: 01926 403940

## **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

We are exploring a way in which to get our Sunday School up and running safely in our current, uncertain COVID climate. Catherine Watkins is happy for interested parties and potential volunteers to call her on 01926 312861 and leave a message so she can call the same evening to co-ordinate a meeting at a venue to suit.



THE CHOIR OF THE  
COLLEGIATE CHURCH OF  
ST MARY, WARWICK

*with the Beauchamp Sinfonietta*

SUMMER  
CONCERT

Saturday 25th June | 7.30pm

Tickets: adults £13 | under 16s free

via [Eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com)

*(search St Mary Warwick concert  
or visit [tiny.cc/choirconcert22](https://tiny.cc/choirconcert22)  
or use the QR code below)*

*(booking fee applies)*

Parry *I was glad*      Mendelssohn *Hear my prayer*

Vaughan Williams *Five Mystical Songs*

Willan *O praise the Lord*      Brahms *Geistliches Lied*

Parry *Blest pair of sirens*

Generously supported by the  
Warwick Choral Trust and the  
William A. Cadbury  
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## **FRIENDS OF THE CHOIR**

Tickets have just gone on sale for the Choir Ceilidh on Saturday July 9<sup>th</sup> 7-10pm. This promises to be an exciting evening and a first for St Mary's with an evening of dancing in the nave, a live band, and caller. A light buffet is included and there will be a bar - thank you to the parents who have volunteered to help us run that. All of the money raised will go towards supporting the choirs. Tickets can be bought online in advance (only) and are available at: <https://fienta.com/ceilidh-july-2022>

# *da capo*

*a cappella chamber choir*

## *Romance & Rhyme*

The marriage of verse and music, from the Romantic Poets to  
The Beatles and The Beach Boys

Romantic poets and romantic poetry in music for a cappella choir,  
set to music by composers of the last 150 years.

**St Mary's Church**

Tickets £12.50

(school children free)

**7.30pm, Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> July**

available from Mary Adams

or [www.dacapochoir.org.uk](http://www.dacapochoir.org.uk)

## **OPPORTUNITY TO USE YOUR PASTORAL GIFTS**

St Mary's offers regular supportive phone calls (and visits when safe) to local people who ask for some listening and kindness. Are you able to join the volunteer members of our congregation who provide this, for one or two hours a week? Support and training is offered, as well as knowing you will be doing important work during these difficult times. Please contact Nick Edwards [nicholas.edwards@ymail.com](mailto:nicholas.edwards@ymail.com) if you may be able to help.

## **WARWICK A SINGING TOWN**

WARWICK CHORAL FESTIVAL 2022, June 17-July 24. A full list and information can be found here <https://warwicksingingtown.co.uk/>

**ROAD CLOSURES:** Advance warning that there will be road closures in Warwick due to the Commonwealth Games cycling road race on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> August from 3am-7pm. Please see here for more information:

<https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/birmingham-commonwealth-games-2022/road-closures-1/1>

## **ART AND DEMENTIA WORKSHOPS**

Free arts and storytelling workshops for people living with dementia and their carers with tea and biscuits!

**Storytelling workshops** at Kenilworth library, 11 Smalley Place CV8 1QG

11am to 12.30pm on Thursday's June 16, 23, 30 and July 7, 14, 21

**Arts and crafts** at Rugby art Gallery, Little Elborow Street, CV21 3BZ

2pm - 3.30pm on Thursday's June 16, 23, 30 and July 7, 14, 21

To book [www.artsuplift.co.uk/arts-for-dementia-warwickshire](http://www.artsuplift.co.uk/arts-for-dementia-warwickshire) or email

[jenny@artsuplift.co.uk](mailto:jenny@artsuplift.co.uk) or for more info call 07946 585978

## **COVENTRY CATHEDRAL'S 60<sup>th</sup> BIRTHDAY BASH**

All are invited to the cathedral for an afternoon of crafts, activities, a bouncy castle and of course cake! The Big Birthday Bash will take place on 25<sup>th</sup> June, 12-4pm. Local churches, schools and groups are warmly invited to be involved. The vision is for people from all over the diocese joining in by sharing crafts and activities. If your church, group or school have something they'd like to bring and share with all those who go, please sign up by clicking here:

<https://coventrydtp.typeform.com/to/wFkFXFx7?typeform-source=email.bt.com>

For more information about all the cathedral's birthday events, click here:

<https://www.coventrycathedral.org.uk/worship-music/services-2>

**PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL:** Ellie Booth, Christopher Browne, Clifford Browne, Anne Cotton, Elizabeth Duffy, Elizabeth Holroyde, Frances Humphreys, Mandeep Madar.

**PRAYERS FOR THE DEPARTED:** Paul Grimes, Alan Hopkins, Kevin Philpot.

## **SERVICES THIS WEEK: Beginning 19<sup>th</sup> June**

Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	10.00am 5.30pm	Holy Communion Choral Evensong
Friday 24 <sup>h</sup> June	5.30pm	Choral Evensong

# ***FORTHCOMING SUNDAY SERVICES***

## **Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June - Trinity 2**

<b>8.00am Holy Communion</b>	<b>10.30am Choral Eucharist</b>	<b>5.30pm Choral Evensong</b>
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## **Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July - Trinity 3**

<b>8.00am Holy Communion</b>	<b>10.30am Choral Eucharist</b>	<b>5.30pm Choral Evensong</b>
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## **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July - Trinity 4**

<b>8.00am Holy Communion</b>	<b>10.30am Choral Eucharist</b>	<b>5.30pm Choral Evensong</b>
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## **Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> July - Trinity 5**

<b>8.00am Holy Communion</b>	<b>10.30am Choral Eucharist</b>	<b>5.30pm Choral Evensong</b>
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