



Sunday 24th April 2022  
2nd Sunday of Easter

## THE PARISH OF ST MARY & ST PAUL

New Parish Web Site [www.stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk](http://www.stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk)

### Services

#### St Mary's

Sun 24 Apr	8.00am	Holy Communion
	9.30am	Festal Sung Mass
Sun 01 May	8.00am	Holy Communion
	9.30am	Holy Communion

#### St Paul's

Sun 24 Apr	9.30am	Holy Communion
Sun 01 May	9.30am	Holy Communion

### St Mary's Readers and Intercessor

	Readers	Intercessor
Today	Lynne Sygrave Rosamund Russell	Rosamund Russell
Next Week 01 May	Jenny Leslie Norma Podmore	Clergy

### Zoom Services

Canon John is away this weekend and so please note there will not be any Zoom services this week.

### APCM

This year our Annual Parochial Church Meeting will take place at St Mary's on Sunday, 8th May, starting at 11.15am in the church, and on Zoom.

**Thank You** to everyone who worked so hard at both our churches throughout Lent, Holy Week and Easter in preparation for the services and setting up things to make the time so memorable and special. Also, for those involved in the Lent Course and especially on Easter Day.

### Church Electoral Roll

The revision of our Electoral Roll (in preparation for the annual meeting - APCM) takes place between 10 April and 23 April. If you are a regular worshipper and would like to be added to the Roll or know of anyone who now needs to be removed would you please inform our Electoral Roll Officer, Catherine Lindsay, or let the Team Office know by email. The Parish APCM takes place on 8 May.

## **Open church closure!**

To facilitate the Extravaganza set up, St Mary's usual church opening will be suspended between Tuesday 26th April and Tuesday 3rd May, church openers will be contacted separately about this. The church will remain open for much of that time but will need to be locked at times when nobody is there, for security of the exhibits, tools and exhibitors. If you are a key holder do not access the church during these times without letting Canon John or the Churchwardens know. You may activate the temporary alarm system and trigger a security response. Tuesday, Wednesday and Sunday services will go ahead as usual.

## **Pat Mason RIP**

Pat Mason passed away in the Lister Hospital in the early hours of 10th April – following a stroke some weeks ago. Pat was 93, and a member of St. Alban's Church congregation when it was still meeting in a little hut prior to the building of the current church and opening back in 1957. She was a speaker for Mother's Union for many years, speaking far and wide throughout the deanery and beyond.

Pat Mason's funeral will be at 10am in St Albans church on Thursday 28th April.

May Pat rest in peace.

## **Cycling for DENS**

On Sunday 24th April, Andrew our organist will not be in church. Instead he is attempting the 'Hemel Hillbuster' charity cycle ride to raise money for DENS. This ride is 66 miles (100km) and includes the notorious WhiteLeaf Hill, which has a gradient of 20%. Please consider sponsoring him, either in person or at <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/andrewdarby-100khillbuster>

## **The Children's Society Berkhamsted Walk – Sunday 8th May 2022**

Join in the Berkhamsted Walk to raise funds for The Children's Society. The walk is Berkhamsted's longest-standing sponsored walk and since 1968 has raised over £300,000. The money raised is given to The Children's Society, who work tirelessly on projects to help children of this country facing neglect and abuse, with nowhere else to turn.

All walks this year start from Kitchener's Fields, Castle Hill, Berkhamsted HP4 1HE - by the Cricket Club. There is an 18 mile walk for the adventurous, a 12-mile Bluebell walk and a family friendly 6-mile walk. Find out how you can participate and register at [www.berkhamstedwalk.com](http://www.berkhamstedwalk.com).

To find out more about The Children's Society's work, take a look at their website: [www.childrenssociety.org.uk](http://www.childrenssociety.org.uk)

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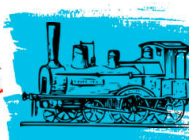
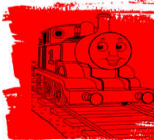
*Transport & Crafting Weekend*

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Saturday April 30th - Monday May 2nd

## **Invitation to a Preview**

The Rector & Churchwardens of the Parish of St Mary & St Paul, Hemel Hempstead  
cordially invite you and a partner/guest to attend an  
**Evening Preview of the 2022 Extravaganza**  
on Friday 29th April from 7-9pm.  
St Mary's Church, The Old Town, Hemel Hempstead

RSVP: [teamrector@hotmail.com](mailto:teamrector@hotmail.com) or 01442 265272

With wine & canapés

Flyer for the event is attached.

## **Extravaganza 22 - Help needed**

We will need your help with set up and take down, marshalling and welcoming, security, catering and much more. There is a sign-up chart at the back of church detailing 'time-slots' and tasks where help is needed before, during and after the event. Please add your name and indicate where you would be willing to help.

## Services and Events Week Commencing 24 April 2022

Sun 24 April	8.00am 9.30am 9.30am	Holy Communion Holy Communion Holy Communion	StM StP StM
2nd Sunday of Easter			
Mon 25 April			
<i>Mark the Evangelist</i>			
Tue 26 April	8.00am	Holy Communion	StM
Wed 27 April			
10.30am	Holy Communion	StM	
Thur 28 April			
Fri 29 April	7 - 9.00pm	Extravaganza 22Preview	StM
<i>Catherine of Siena, Teacher of the Faith, 1380</i>			
Sat 30 April	10 - 4.00pm	Extravaganza 22	StM
Sun 01 May	8.00am 9.30am 9.30am 11.30-4pm	Holy Communion Holy Communion Holy Communion Extravaganza 22	StM StP StM StM
Third Sunday of Easter			

St Mary's Church is usually open for visitors every day from 10am - 5pm but due to the Extravagnza 22 event, from Mon 26th April until Tue 03 May inclusive, will need to be locked at times when nobody is there for security of the exhibits, tools and exhibitors

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**Bulletin deadline:**

Preceding Thursday noon  
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*Payments:*

***Cheques should be made payable to “St Mary and St Paul PCC”.***

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