

Finish Off Painting the Church Volunteers are needed to finish off the painting of the church. Please let Dave Faulkner (874133) know if you can help next Saturday, 31st July. Work will start at 10.00am and finish at 4.00pm but help for any period between these times will be much appreciated.

Housegroups in August There will be a housegroup meeting at 18 High Street on Tuesdays, 3rd, 10th & 17th August, at 7.45pm. Amongst many other things, we shall be looking at the Scriptures set for the following Sunday. These include, Hebrews 11 & 12 and Luke 12 & 13. All are welcome to come along.

Chew Magna Deanery BBQ on Saturday, 21st August, 4pm, at the Rectory, Farmborough. Tickets £5 (under 11's £2.50) from the Parish Office.

Special Family Service next Sunday will be held in the Church Hall at the end of Holiday Bible Club week, at 9.30am.

First Tuesday - 3rd August, 7.30pm, at Keynsham Baptist Church, with Michael Shaw speaking on "student matters".



Welcome to
ST. MARY'S CHURCH
SALTFORD

Services for
Sunday, 25th July, 2010
Trinity 8

Thought for the Week

Jesus said, "... seek and you will find"

(Luke 11 v 9)

Collect for the Week

Lord God, your Son left the riches of heaven and became poor for our sake: when we prosper save us from pride, when we are needy save us from despair, that we may trust in you alone; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

9.30 am

Hymns:

Readings:

Readers:

Intercessions:

Sidespeople:

Server:

Welcomer:

PARISH COMMUNION

41; 590; 224; 567; 200

Genesis 18 v 20-32 (Bible page 18)

Colossians 2 v 6-15 (Bible page 1183)

Luke 11 v 1-13 (Bible page 1042)

Ian Freemantle; Jackie Balsdon; Margaret Stone

Joan Gay

Mrs S. Mills; Mr E. Bush

Julia Coombe; Felicity Brett

Jenny Mould

Prayer Ministry: If you are in need of prayer today Lynne Mould and members of the Healing Group are here to pray with you at the end of the service.

Do join us in the Church Hall for coffee after this service.

Coffee will be served by Rosemary & David Turner.

Website: www.stmaryssaltford.org.uk

Please pray for Holiday Bible Club; the Anglican Church of Rwanda; Taunton deanery.

PRAYER: If there is something or someone that you would like the church to pray for, publicly or privately, do use the PRAYER REQUEST book kept on the font. If you want someone to pray personally with you either remain behind after the service or speak to one of the ministers or one of the churchwardens. We pray for people in one of the pews near the piano up at the front. If you would like to tell us of answers to prayer please use the Prayer Requests Book.

This parish takes its part in "Churches Together in Keynsham and Saltford" and has entered into a Covenant of working together to build God's Kingdom in this area.

DIARY

<u>Monday</u>	10.00am	Holiday Bible Club, Saltford
<u>Tuesday</u>	10.00am	Holiday Bible Club, Saltford
	7.45pm	Housegroup, 18 High Street, Saltford
<u>Wednesday</u>	9.30am	Holy Communion, Saltford
	10.00am	Holiday Bible Club, Saltford
	2.00pm	Mothers' Union, Saltford
<u>Thursday</u>	10.00am	Holiday Bible Club, Saltford
<u>Friday</u>	8.00am	Morning Prayer, Saltford
	10.00am	Holiday Bible Club, Saltford
	10.00am	Coffeeshop, Hinton Close Meeting Room

Saturday

Next Sunday – Trinity 9

8.00am	Holy Communion, Saltford
9.30am	Family Service, Saltford
11.15am	Family Communion, Corston
11.15am	Morning Service (CW), Newton St Loe
6.30pm	Evensong, Saltford

Lectionary Readings for Sunday, 1st August 2010

Ecclesiastes 1 v 2, 12-14 - 2 v 18-23

Colossians 3 v 1-11

Luke 12 v 13-21

NOTICES

Sound System We do have a hearing aid loop – for people who wear hearing aids.

Microphone If you read lessons or lead the prayers, please use the microphone – otherwise those with hearing aids cannot hear.

Mobiles Please ensure your mobile phone is switched off during services!

Recording Sermons Sermons at 9.30am will now be recorded onto cassette tape. To borrow the tape, speak to the Churchwarden on duty or contact the Parish Office.

Noticesheet Items for the noticesheet should be dropped into the Rectory by Wednesday lunchtime, to make the following Sunday's noticesheet.

St Mary's Prayer Meeting this week is on Friday, 30th July, 9.00am, at 12 Beech Road, hosted and led by Richard Hall. ALL WELCOME. If you are interested in joining this prayer initiative and would like more details, please contact the Rector (872275).

Used Postage Stamps Please collect them for USPG. Margaret Evans is collating them.

Email Addresses If you have an email address, please let the Parish Office know, or email the Rector – it would be good to send out rotas, etc., by email where we can.

Wednesday Morning Housegroup There is space in Catherine's housegroup, from 10.15-11.45am most Wednesdays in term time. If you are interested, please contact Catherine for more details on 874459 or email: curate@stmaryssaltford.org.uk

Paul & Christine Salaman – see the church website. In particular they are trying to raise funds for their youth group's small loans project. There is a new "Link Letter" in the porch and their blog was updated on 19th July.

Creche A few more volunteers to run the Creche would be a great help – speak to the Rector.