



Sunday 20 July 2025  
Fifth Sunday after Trinity

## THE PARISH OF ST MARY & ST PAUL

[www.stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk](http://www.stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk)

### SERVICES

#### St Mary's

Sun 20 Jul	9.30am	Sung Eucharist
Wed 23 Jul	10.30am	Holy Communion
Sun 27 Jul	9.30am	Sung Eucharist

#### St Paul's

Sun 20 Jul	11.15am	Holy Communion
Thu 24 Jul	9.30am	Morning Prayer
Sun 27 Jul	11.15am	Holy Communion

St Mary's Readers and Intercessor		
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Today	Clare Debenham Norma Podmore	Rosamund Russell
Next Week	Emmeline Lambert Theo Godwin	Emmeline Lambert

### TODAY AT THE BEER FESTIVAL AT ST MARY'S:

9.30 Jared Ward-Brickett, Chairman Mid Chilterns Campaign for Real Ale will be interviewed during the service and will conduct a mini beer tasting for churchgoers after the service.

2pm Bishop Rob Wickham blesses the casks.

3pm Bishop Rob and Canon John explore a rich 900 year old brewing history at St Mary's in a free tasting and talk.

6pm Festival closes.

Thanks to everyone who has helped.

### SAVE LIBERTY TEA ROOMS

It is with a heavy heart that I share some difficult news. Due to the current economic challenges and a significant drop in town centre footfall, Liberty Tea Rooms is at real risk of closing within the coming months unless we receive urgent financial support.

We are actively exploring new funding avenues, but as things stand, our operations rely entirely on donations—and developing alternative income streams takes time. In the meantime, we need an immediate boost to sustain the charity until other funding sources are secured.

Many thanks and God bless.

*Jacqui Sheppard, Tea Rooms Manager  
Liberty Tea Rooms & Community Hub*

## DENS FOOD BANK JULY 2025 HIGH NEEDS LIST

Our Foodbank has a good supply of many food, hygiene and household items, however there are some specific items that we are in need of. Please see below:

### Food:

- Baked beans
- Tinned/packet soup
- Rice
- Tinned fruit
- Tea bags
- Tinned sweetcorn
- Tinned ham
- Cooking sauces
- Tinned kidney beans

- Tinned tomatoes
- Tinned vegetables
- Cereal bars
- Long life juice/squash
- Tinned spaghetti hoops

### Kitchen and hygiene items:

- Carrier bags
- Shower gel
- Sanitary towels

Please donate in the DENS box in St Mary's near the South Porch main entrance. As well as on Sundays, the church is open daily from 10.00am to 5.00pm, but remember church is closed on Monday and Tuesday 21 & 22 July for Beer Festival closed down

## SAVE THE DATES FOR: ART IN THE NAVE 2025 - AUGUST 23RD -25TH BANK HOLIDAY WEEKEND

The 7th Annual Arts Festival - Art in the Nave, returns to Saint Mary's over the August Bank Holiday weekend 23th- 25th August Open between 11.00am .5.00pm daily Art in the Nave is organised and run entirely by volunteers. Your help in whatever capacity will be very welcome. To find out how you can help during the festival, please speak to or phone Brian Doran on 07926 027855. For more information visit:

<https://stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk/art-in-the-nave/>

## ART IN NAVE GRAND DRAW

The Grand Draw at Art in The Nave now looms up. Please, we need some prizes. To date we have the £50, a bottle of Port, Eternity Moment Calvin Klein and Be Delicious by DKNY. Still needed are: vouchers, chocolates, a bottle each of whisky, gin, port, sherry, vodka, champagne etc; pamper sets.

Prizes can be donated to Gordon on 07561 450633 or Rosina on 07720 897037 at St Pauls.

## ST MARY'S HAMPER (1ST PRIZE IN THE ART IN THE NAVE GRAND DRAW)

A list of food items to donate for the Hamper is available from Emmeline after the 9.30am Sunday Services and until 10th August.'

## 100-CLUB - GOOD PROGRESS BUT WE NEED MORE!

The 100-club subs are rolling in, thank you to everybody who's already paid up.

BUT

We are ten subscribers short for 2025-26, so if you're not already a subscriber please consider signing up. There's no limit to how many numbers you can hold, so you could consider having another one (or two!). The funds are vital to keep our churches running. Please encourage all your contacts!

Just tell me (dgambling@gmail.com) or Rosina (rosina.gaddes@gmail.com) and we'll take your details for the register we keep..

To pay the £20 subscription by electronic transfer (preferred method) - please use bank sort code 30-80-49, account number 29051660 and ensure you put your name and 100-club number as a reference (e.g. Gambling, 111) so that we can identify who's paid.

If you'd like to pay by cash or cheque, please send £20 to the Parish Office or hand it to Rosina. Cheques for £20 per number should be made payable to the 'St Mary & St Paul PCC'. Please write your 100-club number on the back. The address is Parish Office, St Mary's Church, High Street, Hemel Hempstead HP1 3AF.



The poster features a central image of three cyclists on a paved path. The cyclist in the foreground is wearing a red and black jersey, while the others are in blue and white. The background is a lush green landscape. The poster includes several logos and text elements:

- DENS** Helping Rebuild Lives (top left)
- Logistics supported by: **SPORTIVEUK** (bottom left)
- In partnership with: **BRITISH CYCLING** (top right)
- HILLBUSTER** (large white text on a teal background with a mountain silhouette)
- SUNDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> SEPTEMBER** (large black text)
- GADEBRIDGE PARK, HEMEL HEMPSTEAD** (large black text)
- All proceeds help local people facing crisis** (black text)
- Progress counter (right side): 60K, 100K, 120K, NEW 150K (in blue and yellow circles)
- Bottom left image: Two cyclists in red jerseys celebrating.
- Bottom right image: Two cyclists in blue and yellow jerseys riding.
- DENS.ORG.UK/CYCLE** (large black text at the bottom)
- Registered charity number: 1097185 (small text at the bottom left)
- QR code (bottom center)
- Supported by: **Local NEWS** (bottom right)
- LOCK57** (bottom right)

## Services and Events Week Commencing 20 July 2025

Sun 20 July	9.30am 11.15am 12 noon - 6.00pm	Sung Eucharist Holy Communion Beer Festival open (Family day) (ticketed event)	StM StP StM
Trinity 5			
Mon 21 July		Beer Festival take down	StM
Tue 22 Jul		Beer Festival take down	StM
<i>Mary Magdalene</i>			
Wed 23 Jul	10.30am	Holy Communion	StM
Thu 24 Jul	9.30am 7.30pm	Morning Prayer Wedding rehearsal David Hylton Lee & Rebecca Jane Johnson	StP
Fri 25Jul	6 -10pm	Verso Vineyard	StM
<i>James the Apostle</i>			
Sat 26 Jul	2.00pm	Wedding of David Hylton Lee & Rebecca Jane Johnson	StM
Sun 27 Jul	9.30am 11.15am 2.00pm	Sung Eucharist Holy Communion Holy Baptism - Ivy	StM StP StM
Trinity 6			
<b>During beer festival take-down, Monday 21<sup>st</sup> and Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July, St Mary's Church is closed to visitors</b>			
St Mary's Church <a href="http://www.stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk">www.stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk</a>			

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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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