What's on this week? 15th - 21st January 2024 10am - 11.30am - Under 1s www.stmarysely.org/under-1s Monday 2.30pm - Monday Club 9.30am - 11am - Under 5s www.stmarysely.org/under-5s Tuesday Wednesday | 10am - 12.30pm - Open Space Thursday 9.30am - Holy Communion 10.15am - 11.30am - Thursday Coffee 4.15pm - JAM packed www.stmarysely.org/jam-packed Friday Saturday 8.15am - Holy Communion Sunday 9.45am - Intergenerational morning worship 11.15am - Contemporary morning worship, including ministry with children 6.30pm - Pathfinders

Prayer Chain

Do you have a prayer request? Need people to pray for you?

Email: prayerchain@stmarysely.org

Your email will be automatically sent to the prayer chain members who will pray for you. Your request will be kept in confidence and will only be shared with those on the prayer chain.

If you don't have email access, please telephone the office with your request and it will be passed to the prayer chain for you.

Want to know more? Get in touch.....we'd love to hear from you

The Church Office office@stmarysely.org or call 01353 659550

Open weekdays 11am - 3pm.

Priest-in-Charge - Revd. Phil Marshphil.marsh@stmarysely.orgTeam Curate - Revd. Ruth Holmesruth.holmes@stmarysely.orgOperations Co-ordinator - Kirsty Smithkirsty.smith@stmarysely.org

Sunday 15th January 2024 2nd Sunday of Epiphany



Welcome to Our Sunday Worship



Our Online sermon is available from 9am Sunday.

Readings: Ephesians 3: 14 - 21, Luke 11: 1 - 13

This month we will be exploring four things to pray, this week prayer for power.

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Our traditional communion service.

Leader: Ruth Holmes Speaker: Phil Marsh



Our intergenerational Bible study service

Leader: Phil Marsh, Speaker: Ruth New

Our contemporary communion service



Leader: Ruth Holmes Speaker: Phil Marsh

Prayer ministry is available after all three services. Look out for our prayer team who will be wearing badges, or grab one of the ministry team.

Join us for Coffee!

Coffee will be served for all three Sunday services. Chat to friends old and new, welcome new people, catch up!



Thursday 18th January 9.30am

Join us for a short said Market Day Communion



Join us for Thursday Coffee!

Coffee will be served after Communion 10.15am - 11.30am. All Welcome!

Monday Club 15th January 2.30pm

This month, Revd. Jeremy James will be speaking about his time teaching in Tanzania. All welcome.

Creative Minds - Please Note

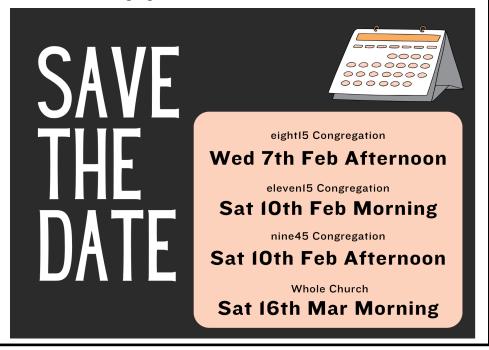
Creative Minds will be enjoying a post-Christmas lunch on 22nd January so the first regular session of 2024 in the church hall will be Monday 26th February.

If you are interested in the lunch, please speak to Paul Woodbridge or Janene Pike.

Congregational Conversations

We have a number of things we want to explore with each congregation and altogether so that we can learn across the fullness of our church.

Please add these dates to your diaries, and a Thursday morning congregation date will be announced soon!



MARKET DAY COFFEE

A change to your coffee experience

At St. Mary's, fostering community is at the heart of who we are. Beginning January 4th, we are excited to share that we will no longer be charging for refreshments after our Thursday Communion service. Instead, we invite everyone to invest in the richness of our community through the warmth and openness we extend to one another. Your contributions to our shared experience of welcome and generosity are invaluable. If you feel moved to support St. Mary's financially, we welcome contributions at the entrance via our machine or box. Let's continue to build a vibrant and welcoming community together.



Churches Together Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Thursday 18th - Thursday 25th January

This special week provides an opportunity to focus on Christian Unity, personally, locally, nationally and world wide.

Reflections on the story of the Good Samaritan have been prepared by an

ecumenical team in Burkina Faso in Africa with the theme of 'Go and do Likewise'.

These are available to use individually or in groups and can be found on the WPCU

website: Resources for Week of
Prayer for Christian Unity 2024

