

Readings - 27 September 2009
 Proper 21 - 11am - Family Service (non-eucharistic) -Lammastide

n/a - n/a
 Doreen - James 5.13-20
 n/a - n/a

Welwyn & Villages Team Ministry Services

	St Mary's Welwyn	St Peter's Ayot St Peter	St Michael and All Angels Woolmer Green	All Saints Datchworth	St Peter's Tewin
1 st Sunday	8am – SHC 9.30am – PC 11.15am - NEFS	11.15am – M	11.15am - HC	9.30am - PC	9.30am – PC 6.30pm - ES
2 nd Sunday	8am – SHC 9.30am – PC 6.30pm - CES	11.15am – HCBCP	11.15am - NEFS	9.30am - PC	9.30am - PC
3 rd Sunday	8am – SHC 9.30am – PC	11.15am – HCBCP	11.15am - HC	9.30am - PC	9.30am – NEFS 6.30pm HC
4 th Sunday	8am – SHC 9.30am – PC 6.30pm - ES	11.15am – HCBCP	11.15am - HC	11.00am - NEFS	9.30am - PC
5 th Sunday	8am – SHC 9.30am – PC	11.15am – HCBCP	11.15am – HC	9.30am - PC	9.30am - PC

Key – CES = Choral Evensong
 HC = Holy Communion
 SHC = Said Holy Communion
 PC = Parish Communion
 ES = Evensong
 HCBCP = Holy Communion using Book of Common Prayer
 M = Matins for all ages using the Book of Common Prayer
 NEFS = Family Service for all ages without Communion

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**Welcome
to
All Saints
Datchworth's Parish Church**

Sunday 20 September 2009

**Proper 20
Parish Communion**

**Readings: Jeremiah 11.18-20
 James 3.13 - 4.3,7-8a
 Mark 9.30-37**

Collect: God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Our altar is open to members of all denominations. If you do not wish to receive Communion please come to receive a blessing and certainly bring any children with you for a blessing.

DIARY FOR THE COMING WEEK

Monday 21 September – Coralie’s day off, - **3pm to 4.30pm** – Tea and coffee in the Church Hall with children’s activities - please tell your friends – all welcome

Tuesday 22 September – **2pm** – Prayer at 17 Raffin Park

Wednesday 23 September – **2pm to 3pm** – Mini-Saints in Church Hall

Thursday 24 September - 10.45am to 11.30am – Bell Ringing by visitors from Widford Tower - **5pm** – Evening Prayer at All Saints

Friday 25 September – **6pm to 7.30pm** - Tweenagers (years 6, 7 & 8) meet in Church Hall – **7.30pm to 9pm** – Allsorts (years 9, 10 & 11) meet in Church Hall

Sunday 27 September – **11am** - Family Service – **7.30pm to 9pm** – Welwyn Team Youth Group (14+) meets at New Church House, St Mary’s Welwyn

Welcome - We warmly welcome Revd Tom Gladwin, leading our worship today, and all our visitors. We invite you to stay for coffee and a chat in the hall after the service.

Visiting Bell-ringers - visitors from Widford Tower will be bell-ringing at All Saints on Thursday 24th September from 10:45 to 11:30.

Harvest Supper & Barn Dance - There will be a Team Churches Harvest Supper at 7pm on Saturday October 3rd to be held at Woolmer Green Village Hall. There will be a Hog Roast (with a vegetarian alternative) as well as a Barn Dance with live band and caller. The tickets are £10 per head (no concessions) and can be obtained from the St. Mary’s Parish Office in Welwyn or from Chris Hills (811627). You may bring your own drinks.

Consecration of Alan Winton - The Consecration of Rev. Alan Winton as Bishop of Thetford will take place in St. Paul’s Cathedral on September 29th at 11.00am. Leaving Party and presentation of gifts to Alan - 6pm in St Mary's Church Hall.).

Ladies Lunch – There will be a Ladies lunch at St Mary’s New Church House at 12.30pm on 10th October. The guest speaker is former All Saints Minister Richard Syms. The title of his talk is “Dressing up and Talking Loudly”. **Tickets now sold out.**

Growing in Faith – Our Reader, Catherine Jupp is leading a study group at All Saints on the last Monday of each month starting at 7.30pm and meeting in the Church Hall. After the break for the summer the study group meetings will resume on Monday 28th September.

Claire Bertschinger “Moving Mountains” – 7.30pm Friday 25th September at Presdales School, Hoe Lane, Ware. Claire gives motivational talks based on her life experiences with the aim of inspiring people to create value and make a difference to our planet. She was awarded the “Florence Nightingale Medal” in recognition of her work in conflict situations, including war ravaged and famine stricken Ethiopia. Tickets £10, to include refreshments, from Pam Robertson (01920 822631) or see Daphne Brown.

Harvest Festival Bring & Buy Sale – Sunday 4th October, 10.30am-12noon at All Saints Church. Please bring your homemade cakes, preserves, sweet and savoury pies, fruit, veg & plants from your garden.

Traidcraft - goods available most Sundays in the Church Hall after the morning service – at other times they are available on request. Please leave a note if goods are taken from stock.

This week we pray for –

- **The Rt Revds Thomas Frederick Butler (Southwark), Nicholas Baines (Croydon), Richard Ian Cheetham (Kingston-upon-Thames), Christopher Thomas Chessun (Woolwich).**
- **Our link parishes of St John’s, Ha Simone, Lesotho and St Paul’s Wheatley Park, Doncaster.**
- **The people of Zimbabwe, especially John and Ketani Matiza and their 3 children Trust, Tatenda and Ratidzai in Harare.**
- **Those living in Meadow Close .**
- **Val Sharman and others who have died or who are bereaved.**
- **Those who are ill or in need, their families and their carers, especially:-** Bright, Elizabeth Briffet. Paul Carter, Jonathan Hawes, Michael Harris, Michael Hughes, Stuart Langley, Roger Mahoney, David Newnham, Frances Noble, Julia Perim, Laura Redmond, Eileen Shaw, Charlotte Smith, Sheila Stowe, Michael Taylor, Betty Williams, Andree Wright.

Keep, O Lord, your Church, with your perpetual mercy; and, because without you our human frailty cannot but fall, keep us ever by your help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord.