

Readings - 11 October 2009
Proper 23 - Parish Communion -Lammastide

Averil - Amos 5.6-7,10-15
Mary - Hebrews 4.12-16
Thora - Mark 10.17-31

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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Please let Peter Lord (01438 863537, pglord@me.com) know if there is anything you would like inserted in next week's newsletter.

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Welcome
to
All Saints
Datchworth's Parish Church
Sunday 4 October 2009
Proper 22
Harvest Festival Parish Communion

Readings: Deuteronomy 26: 1-11
2 Corinthians 9. 6-end

Collect: Creator God,
you made the goodness of the land,
the riches of the sea and the rhythm of the seasons;
as we thank you for the harvest,
may we cherish and respect this planet and its
peoples,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
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 5 October – Coralie away until 20th October (see below), - **3pm to 4.30pm** – Tea and coffee in the Church Hall with children’s activities - please tell your friends – all welcome

Tuesday 6 October – 2pm – Prayer at 17 Raffin Park

Thursday 8 October - 5pm – Evening Prayer at All Saints

Friday 9 October – 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 11 October – 9.30am – Parish Communion – **7.30pm to 9pm** – Welwyn Team Youth Group (14+) meets at New Church House, St Mary’s Welwyn

Welcome - We welcome all our visitors today and invite everyone to stay for coffee and a chat in the hall after the service.

Harvest Festival Bring & Buy - After the service, do take time to browse the tables in the marquee in the churchyard, where villagers have brought their plants and produce to offer. A delicious Ploughman's Harvest Lunch will be served in the Church Hall from 12.00.

Harvest Festival decorations - Many thanks to all those who so beautifully decorated the Church for this Harvest thanksgiving, it truly reflects the glory of God and the amazing gifts of his people.

Coralie annual leave – Coralie will be away from Tuesday 6th October to Monday 19th October inclusive on annual leave. Please contact the church office if there are any problems (01438 840964).

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.**

All Saints Music Group Concert – There will be a concert by our talented Music Group on Sunday 1st November in aid of Church Funds. The performance is from 2.30pm to 4pm to be followed by delicious cream teas. Tickets are available from the girls or from Daphne Brown (01438 811149).

Mini Saints – each 2nd and 4th Wednesday – 2pm in the Church Hall. All with young children are very welcome. If you have older ones at the School then come on your way to collect them.

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.

Anniversary or celebrating the life of a loved one? – would you like to contribute towards the cost of the flowers for that period? – contact Diana Glanville – 01438 812230 or Margaret Kirk – 01438 812734.

This week we pray for –

- **The Right Revd John Davies, Swansea & Brecon, Wales.**
- **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 Nutcroft .**
- **Those 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, Frances Noble, Julia Perim, Laura Redmond, Eileen Shaw, Charlotte Smith, Sheila Stowe, Michael Taylor, Betty Williams, Andree Wright.

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, and make us continually to be given to all good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord.