

☪☪ Notices ☪☪

There will be **Evensong** at 6.30pm this evening in **St Mary's, Welwyn**, led by Stephen Fielding.

**Ash Wednesday, 17th February**

Holy Communion with Imposition of Ashes at **8pm** in **St Peter's Tewin** Diane Whittaker will preside and preach.

**The Carers' Group**

will meet in St Mary's **New Church House** on **Thursday 18th February** at **12 noon**.

Lunch will be followed with a talk by Tony Rook, our local historian. All carers welcome.

**Ladies Lunch**

The next Ladies Lunch is on **Saturday 20th February** at **12.30pm** in St Mary's **New Church House**. All tickets now sold out.

**Village Newcomers**

We would like to welcome all newcomers to the village with a Welcome pack, to do this we need volunteers from every part of the village to let us know where the new people are living. If you would like to help with this please see Chris Hills.

**Quiz Night** – We hope to see lots of support for the Quiz Night on **Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> February** in aid of Church Funds. The event is at **Datchworth School** starting at **7.30pm**. Teams of up to 8 are requested. Tickets (£7.50 each) are available from Diana Large (01438 811441) or Question Master Andrew Marr (01438 815122), [andrew.p.marr@btinternet.com](mailto:andrew.p.marr@btinternet.com)

**Fairtrade Fortnight 2010 – 22<sup>nd</sup> February to 7<sup>th</sup> March** – During this time we are being encouraged to swap our usual goods for Fairtrade goods – bananas for Fairtrade bananas, tea for Fairtrade tea, socks for Fairtrade cotton socks, etc. We have the new Spring / Summer Fairtrade catalogue available which has some lovely gifts, fashion and Easter treats in it. Perhaps during Fairtrade Fortnight we can send a good number of orders from the catalogue which is in the Church Hall. We look forward to your many orders. Thanks in anticipation – Anne Charles – 812098.

✠ Diary For The Coming Week ✠

**Monday 15 February** – Coralie away until 20 February. **3pm to 4.30pm** – Tea and coffee in the Church Hall with children's activities

**Tuesday 16 February - 2pm** - Prayer at 17 Raffin Park.

**Thursday 18 February - 5pm** - Evening Prayer at All Saints.

**Friday 19 February - 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 21 February - 9.30am** - Coralie McCluskey will preside and preach at Parish Communion. - **6.30pm** - Holy Communion at St Peter's, Tewin led by Stephen Fielding - **7.30pm to 9pm** - Welwyn Team Youth Group (14+) at New Church House, St Mary's.

**Next week's readings:** Deuteronomy 26: 1-11; Romans 10: 8b-13; Luke 4: 1-13

Minister	Rev Coralie McCluskey	01438 817183
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Church Wardens	Peter Tobitt	01438 813926
	Chris Hills	01438 811627
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**Welcome to All Saints  
Datchworth's Parish Church**

**Sunday 14th February 2010**

**The Sunday before Lent**



We welcome all our visitors to this Service of Parish Communion and invite you to join us afterwards in the Church Hall for a cup of coffee



We welcome Catherine Jupp as our preacher this morning.



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.



For those with a hearing aid, an induction loop is fitted in this Church

✠ **Order of Service** ✠

**Collect:**

**Holy God,  
you know the disorder of our sinful lives:  
set straight our crooked hearts,  
and bend our wills to love your goodness  
and your glory  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.  
*Amen***

**Opening Hymn: 13**

*'Christ whose glory fills the skies'*

**First Reading: Exodus 34: 29-35**

**Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 3: 12-4.2**

**Gradual Hymn: 315**

*'Tis good Lord to be here'*

**Gospel: Luke 9: 28-43a**

**Intercessions**

**Offertory Hymn: 245**

*'These eyes have never seen'*

**Post Communion Prayer:**

**Holy God, we see your glory in the face of  
Jesus Christ: may we who are partakers  
at his table reflect his life in word and  
deed, that all the world may know his  
power to change and save. This we ask  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
*Amen***

**Final Hymn: 441**

*'Christ upon the mountain peak'*

✠ **For Your Prayers** ✠

**The Residents of:**

Brookbridge Lane, Bury Lane and Hawkins Hall Lane.

**The Sick:**

Jean Austin, Bright, Elizabeth Briffett. Daphne Brown, Paul Carter, Jonathan Hawes, Michael Harris, Charles Houston, Michael Hughes, Stuart Langley, Roy Morgan, Frances Noble, Julia Perim, Laura Redmond, Eileen Shaw, Charlotte Smith, Sheila Stowe, Michael Taylor, Betty Williams, Andrée Wright, Betty Wright, June Waker.

**Those who have died:**

Dorothy Mean, Grace Mean.

**This week please pray for:**

Our clergy, Coralie, Diane and Stephen.  
All the Churches of our Team Ministry during this period of a vacancy.  
Our friends overseas in St John's, Ha Simone, Lesotho and Zimbabwe.  
The congregation of St Paul's, Wheatley Park, Doncaster.

✠ **Messages from Coralie** ✠

My telephone will be through to the Revd Diane Whittaker from Monday to Friday this week. If there are any emergencies please contact the Church Office on 01438 840964 between 10 and 12am

Contributions/volunteers are needed for supper before the Lent course and somebody to co-ordinate. I am happy to provide the supper one evening although I will not be there.

Leaflets for the first 2 weeks of Lent will be at the back of Church so that you can follow the daily scripture 'snippet'

**Lent Groups 2010**

We shall be following the Diocese of St Albans Lent Course '**Words of Challenge, Words of Life**'. The course will focus on the gospel readings from St Luke set for the Sundays of Lent. This course can be viewed and downloaded at [www.stalbans.anglican.org/Mission/Lent Course-2010](http://www.stalbans.anglican.org/Mission/LentCourse-2010).

Please note **Woolmer Green Group** start on **Monday 15th Feb. All other groups** start during the week beginning **Mon 22nd February**

**Monday 8.00pm**

**3 New Road, Woolmer Green**

led by Jane & David Thom 01438 814573

**Monday 7pm - supper, 7.45pm - Study Group**

**All Saints Church Hall, Datchworth**

led by Catherine Jupp 01438 716622

**Tuesday 7.15pm - Bring & Share Supper, 8pm - Study Group**

**St Mary's New Church House**

led by Usha & Colin Hull 01438 813974

**Wednesday 10.45am**

**St Mary's New Church House**

led by Stephen Fielding 01707 330001

**Wednesday 8.00pm - Lenten Prayer & Meditation**

**St Mary's, Welwyn**

led by Coralie McCluskey

**Thursday 7pm**

**60 Orchard Rd, Tewin**

led by Ted Sharp 01438 798594

**Friday 9.30am - Time for God Group**

contact Margot Kenworthy 01438 718732