

☪☪☪ Notices ☪☪☪

Coffee Morning

St Michael's Church, Woolmer Green, Coffee Morning and Plant Sale. Saturday 15th May 10.00am-12 noon. Bedding, Vegetable and Herb Plants, Tombola, Quiz, Bric-a-brac. Live music in the Church. Everyone welcome.



Open Gardens

Open Gardens is on May 30th. Please see the notice in the porch requesting help with serving food and baking of cakes. All help will be much appreciated. Thank you – Marlene (01438 714679).

Entry forms for the Scarecrow and Flowerpot Men Competition - being judged on May 30th - are now available from the village shops.



Pewsheets items

If there is anything you would like inserted in the newsletter, please contact Peter Lord (01438 863537, pglord@me.com).



☩ Diary For The Coming Week ☩

Monday 10 May – Coralie away until Wednesday - **3pm to 4.30pm** – Tea and coffee in the Church Hall with children's activities

Tuesday 11 May – **2pm** – Prayers at 17 Raffin Park

Wednesday 12 May – **2.30pm to 4pm** – Mini-Saints in Church Hall

Thursday 13 May - **5pm** - Evening Prayer in All Saints Church Hall.

Friday 14 May - **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.

Saturday 15th May – 10am-noon – Coffee Morning, St Michael's Church, Woolmer Green

Sunday 16 May – **9.30am** – **Parish Communion** – Diane Whitaker will be leading in worship at the Service - **7.30pm to 9pm** - Welwyn Team Youth Group (14+) at New Church House, St Mary's.

Readings for next Sunday: Acts 16: 16-34; Revelation 22: 12-14, 16, 17, 20, 21; John 16: 12-15

Minister	Rev Coralie McCluskey	01438 817183
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Church Wardens	Peter Tobitt	01438 813926
	Chris Hills	01438 811627
PCC Treasurer	Margaret Tebbutt	01438 798686
PCC Secretary	Cath Stredwick	01438 816044
Sunday Club	Lynda Dent	01438 812156

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

Sunday 9th May 2010

Parish Communion

Easter 6



Tom Gladwin is leading in worship today.



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



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:

God our redeemer,
you have delivered us from the power of
darkness
and brought us into the kingdom of your Son:
grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to
life,
so by his continual presence in us he may raise
us to eternal joy;
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

Opening Hymn: 198

"Ye holy angels bright"

First Reading: Acts 16: 9-15

Second Reading: Revelation 21: 10, 22-22.5

Gradual Hymn: NHWS 215

*"Peace, perfect peace, is the gift of
Christ our Lord"*

Gospel: John 5: 1-9

Intercessions

Offertory Hymn: 115

"Dear Lord and Father of mankind"

Post Communion Prayer:

God our Father, whose Son Jesus Christ gives
the water of eternal life: may we thirst for you,
the spring of life and source of goodness,
through him who is alive and reigns, now and for
ever.

Amen

Final Hymn: 343

"Be thou my vision"

✠ For Your Prayers ✠

The Residents of:

Foldingshott, Great Lawne

The Sick:

Bright, Elizabeth Briffett. Daphne Brown,
Paul Carter, Dawn Draper, Jonathan Hawes,
Michael Harris, Charles Houston, Michael
Hughes, Stuart Langley, Frances Noble,
Diana Norman, Julia Perim, Laura Redmond,
Eileen Shaw, Charlotte Smith, Sheila Stowe,
Michael Taylor, Betty Williams, Andrée
Wright.

Those who have died: Dot Philllips

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 ✠

The Tuesday afternoon prayer meeting will
resume on Tuesday 11th May at Grace's,
17 Raffin Park at 2pm.

I will be away until Wednesday 12th May
but back in time for Mini-Saints.

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Funeral Notice

The funeral of Dorothy (Dot) Phillips is
on Wednesday 19th May at 3.30pm in All
Saints Church. All are welcome to come
along and particularly to support her
daughter Karen.



**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 Thora King 01438 814147.



Ascension Day Service

On Thursday 13th May at 8pm there is
an Ascension Day Service at St Mary's
Welwyn. Coralie is presiding and
preaching but will also be leading Evening
Prayer at All Saints as usual.



Christian Aid week

Don't forget that 9th to 15th May is
Christian Aid Week. Please give what you
can to help end Poverty around the World.