ST MARY'S OXTED and ST PETER'S TANDRIDGE

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Sunday 14th August

Ninth Sunday after Trinity - Hebrews 11.29 - 12.2 and Luke 12.49-56

Sunday Services			
St Mary's		St Peter's	
		8.00am	Holy Communion (said)
9.30am	Family Communion (No Junior Church)	11.00am	Family Communion
	NO Café Service	6.30pm	Evensong

YouTube page link for 9.30 service at St Mary's: https://youtu.be/GyNOGahppS4

A very warm welcome to our services today. Please do speak to a welcomer or member of clergy if it is your first time with us and you would like more information.

Communion Services – Please note that the 8am communion service this week will be at St Peter's. This is just for August and all will return to normal in September. Please also note that there will be no Wednesday 11am Communion at St Mary's during August, returning in September.

Holiday at Home - In the week commencing August 22nd we will be holding a 'Holiday at Home' in the Oxted Community Hall. This will be like an extended Meeting Place, with different activities and events. Watch out for more details to come soon!

Patronal Festival Cricket Match - Once again we will be celebrating the St Mary's Patronal Festival with our annual cricket match against St John's. This year the game is on Sunday September 11th. If you are interested in playing then please contact Richard Adamson on richard.adamson@hotmail.co.uk, or speak to him after Church. No experience is necessary for what is always a very fun day. Current plans are that the game will start at 13:30 following a barbecue in the Cricket Pavilion after Church (from about 12:00).

All are welcome to come and socialise at the barbecue and see our team try to remember how to play or realise that their whites aren't as white as they were, or fit as well as they did! If you are able to provide salads for lunchtime or sandwiches for afternoon tea (to which all are also welcome) then please contact Valerie Adamson on val.adamson@btinternet.com

Café Service - Please note that our Café Service at St Mary's is now on a break for the summer, returning at the start of September.

St Mary's Jubilee Commemorative Book – Vic Stone has been putting together a book of all your photos of St Mary's Jubilee events, with unique memories to look back on in years to come. She is now ready to order some copies, so if you are interested in purchasing one (likely cost £8-9) there is a sign-up sheet at the back of church. There is no obligation to buy, this is just to get a rough idea of how many to order. Thank you.

Church Suite - Are you registered on Church Suite but have long forgotten how to use this useful resource? If you would like a refresher, or would like to be added to our Church Suite database, please do contact us at oxtedcomms@gmail.com or telephone the Parish Office and we will help you in any way we can.

Zoom Prayer Times - Tuesday and Thursday at 9am - all are welcome to join us. Zoom details: Meeting ID: 871 2209 6723 Passcode: 958471 or https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87122096723?pwd=bXU4OFRidEhjT2dCRm9mdFB0a29Vdz09

Dates for your diary:

11th September St Mary's Patronal Festival

Things to pray for and about:

- For the people and land of Ukraine and the refugees now settling in Tandridge
- For our schools, their pupils, teachers and the summer break
- For the former Crossroads space and all planning around how we now make best use of it for the community.

Giving to our churches – A very big thank you to all those who regularly give to our churches, to support our life together. As we heard at our recent annual meetings, both our churches are struggling to meet weekly costs. If you do not already do so, please consider giving regularly. You can do this by Standing Order which is hopefully more convenient for you, and good for the environment! It may be that you currently give by regular envelope, but might consider changing to a Standing Order. Please also fill out a gift aid declaration if you can, as the church can claim and extra 25% on any donations.

https://stmarysoxted.uk/Groups/349812/Giving.aspx https://stpeterstandridge.uk/Groups/350057/Giving.aspx

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