

**BATHWICK BENEFICE WEEKLY  
FOR YOUR DIARY, PRAYER AND ACTION**

**WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP TODAY**

**20 August 2017**

**ST JOHN'S  
Ordinary 20**

*Alms this month at St John's are for the House of Hope (Bethlehem).*

**9am SUNG MASS**

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Antony Claridge  
*Please join us for breakfast in the Hall afterwards*

**ST MARY'S  
Trinity 10**

*Blue envelope collection at St Mary's today for United Society Partners in the Gospel. Pink envelopes/loose cash to Church Funds.*

**10.30am SUNG EUCHARIST**

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Antony Claridge  
*Please join us for coffee in the Hall afterwards*

**6.00pm Evening Prayer**

**St Mary's Re-decoration Update** Steady progress is being maintained - the nave ceiling and chancel walls have now been completed.

**Volunteers needed at St Mary's** to help make preparations in the hall and to clear away afterwards while we are having our Sunday worship in the hall. Please help if you can.

**www.bathwickparishes.org** Have you looked at the Bathwick website recently? Check out the latest photos!

**JOB VACANCIES**

**Mercy in Action**, a Bath-based Christian Charity that works with street children in the Philippines and in various UK projects, currently has several vacancies in its charity shops around the Bath area, in its warehouse and offices. For more information check: [www.mercyinaction.org.uk/about/jobs](http://www.mercyinaction.org.uk/about/jobs)

**SERVICES THIS WEEK**

ST. MARY'S	Morning Prayer	Mass	Evening Prayer
Tuesday		No Mass	
Wednesday		at St John's*	
Friday		7pm	
ST JOHN'S			
Wednesday		10.30am*	
Thursday		10.30am	

**Thursday: Holy Communion 11.15 at Bridgemoad**

**OTHER EVENTS THIS WEEK**

**Wednesday and Friday: Bathwick Parent and Toddler Group** 10am - 12noon in St. Mary's Church Hall

**Thursday: Bathwick Benefice Lunch Club** 11.30-3.30pm  
Booking is essential with Dilwen on 07876 574266.

**CLERGY**

<b>Parish Priest:</b>	<b>The Rev'd Peter Edwards</b>	Tel: 460052
	(Usual day off: Monday)	
<b>Asst Priests:</b>	<b>The Rev'd Antony Claridge</b>	Tel: 427462
	<b>The Rev'd Tom Gibson</b>	Tel: 337903
	<b>The Rev'd Richard Hunt</b>	Tel: 938529
	<b>The Rev'd Chris Kinch</b>	Tel: 07772317383
	<b>The Rev'd Robert Webb</b>	Tel: 484042
<b>Asst Deacon:</b>	<b>The Rev'd Angela Onions</b>	Tel: 309001

**NEXT SUNDAY**

**27 August 2017**

**ST JOHN'S**

**The Beheading of John the Baptist**

*Alms this month at St John's are for the House of Hope (Bethlehem).*

**9am SUNG MASS**

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Robert Webb  
*Please join us for breakfast in the Hall afterwards*

6.00pm No evening service

**ST MARY'S  
Trinity 11**

*Blue envelope collection at St Mary's today is for The Month in Bath (a digital audio guide for the blind and partially sighted). Pink envelopes/loose cash to Church Funds*

**10.30am SUNG EUCHARIST**

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Richard Hunt  
*Please join us for coffee in the Hall afterwards*

**LOOKING AHEAD**

**Ebbsfleet Lay Congress Saturday 2 September** 10.30-4pm  
Coventry Cathedral. "We are all missionary disciples."  
Speakers: Bishop Philip North & Fr Damien Feeney. Leaflets at the back of church. Let Fr Peter know if you intend coming.

**Ride and Stride Saturday 9 September** Both St John's and St Mary's will be open 10-4pm to welcome participants. If you are willing to volunteer at St Mary's please see Nicky Parker.

**St Mary's Patronal Festival 10 September** We will celebrate this year with drinks and canapes after mass. There will be a sheet to sign up if anyone is able to contribute any nibbles.

**100 Men Christian Gathering 'God as Father' 10-4pm 30 September** at St John's Church Upper Bristol Road.  
For more information check: [www.100mcg.co.uk](http://www.100mcg.co.uk).

**Goan Annual Conference 14th April 2018** at Emmanuel Church, Wylde Green, West Midlands. Please book this date in your diary!

**IN OUR PRAYERS**

**The people working** on the St Mary's re-decoration project.

**For those who are sick:** Julie Harrup, Alan, Christine McGurk and family, Martin Palmer, Katerina Boyce, Alistair Howard, Bridget Gammon, Judy & Stephen Palmer, James Gillbard, baby Greta, Bernard Penell, Sebastian Hope, Lesley Harding, Linda Marshall, Jasmine Varrasso, Betty & Ken Cattle, Nick Blackwell, Sam Carson, Jim Mackenzie, Helen Norris, Charis Bartoely, Franco Farina, Stephanie Warren, Ron Downes, Alfie, Sue Prothero, Peter Moody, Beryl Llewelyn, Paul Kimber

**For the housebound:** Joan Wall, Bob Grubb, Doris Hunt, Jean Kemmerly, Barbara Munro, Dudley Roessler,

**For the recently departed:** Brenda Hardick, Joyce Brownbridge, Judith Smith *Please pray for those who mourn their passing.*

**APPLICATIONS and ENQUIRIES**

**The Parish Office** is usually open Tuesday and Friday morning  
**Please send items for pewsheet to parish office by Friday 9am.**  
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**Website:** [www.bathwickparishes.org.uk](http://www.bathwickparishes.org.uk)