



Notices for 8th of June 2025

A warm welcome to everyone

Pentecost

Please come into the hall for refreshments after the 09:30 service.

Collect:

Holy Spirit, sent by the Father,
ignite in us your holy fire;
strengthen your children with the gift of faith,
revive your Church with the breath of love,
and renew the face of the earth,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Hymns:

- 175** Come down, O love divine
- 191** O thou who camest from above
- 267** Thou whose almighty word
- 182** Gracious Spirit, Holy Ghost
- 612** We have a gospel to proclaim

Although there is no formal collection during the offertory hymn, please feel free to make a contribution to the work of St. Mary's either in the Treasury box at the back of church, or using the card reader, also at the back of church. Thank you.

Readings:

Acts 2:1-13 The Coming of the Holy Spirit

As shown in the Pentecost order of Service

John 14:8-17 (25-27)

⁸ Philip said to him, 'Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.' ⁹ Jesus said to him, 'Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, "Show us the Father"? ¹⁰ Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. ¹¹ Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. ¹² Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. ¹³ I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. ¹⁴ If in my name you ask me ^[a] for anything, I will do it. ¹⁵ 'If you love me, you will keep my commandments. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, ^[c] to be with you for ever. ¹⁷ This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

²⁵ 'I have said these things to you while I am still with you. ²⁶ But the Advocate, ^[a] the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. ²⁷ Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.

Post-communion prayer:

Faithful God,
who fulfilled the promises of Easter
by sending us your Holy Spirit
and opening to every race and nation
the way of life eternal:
open our lips by your Spirit,
that every tongue may tell of your glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Vacancy News – Peter & Dan

The Bishop of Guildford is delighted to announce that Rev Canon Dr Joshva John Christopher has been appointed as Vicar at Cuddington. He is currently Head of International Bible Advocacy Centre at the British and Foreign Bible Society in Swindon.

He will be licensed at Cuddington on **Weds 9th July at 7:30pm** at a service which will be led by Rt Revd Paul Davis, Bishop of Dorking, and to which members of the local community are warmly invited to join, including refreshments afterwards.

Vicarage Cleaning Friday 13th June 10am – 12:00noon

We are having a cleaning session in the Vicarage to make this ready for the arrival of Revd Joshva and family.

If you are able to help please contact Peter or Sara.

8am SERVICES will be held only once a month on the first Sunday of each month. Any questions please talk to Dan or Peter.

Dates for your diary

Saturday 7th June *Songs and Lunch*, from 11.30 until 2.30, Wendy Edwards is coming to sing some popular songs with some singalong numbers included. Tickets are on sale from Sunday 20th April and cost £10 to include a ploughman's lunch. If you have any unwanted gifts that you can donate to the raffle, please leave them in the box at the back of the Church. ***Enquiries Sara & Annie***

Saturday 14th June Big Day Out, Shadbolt Park 10.30am-3pm. We are planning to have a plant stall to raise funds for St. Mary's. If you are able to help out on the stall or provide some plants, then please email crabdo2025@gmail.com

Saturday 28th June Vanda and Steve Robbins are holding a service to renew their wedding vows at 2pm. All from St Mary's are very welcome to attend. There will also be cake and a glass of prosecco after the Service on Sunday 29th of June.

Saturday 13th Sep 11am-5pm Heritage Open Day. We are planning a display to mark the 130th anniversary of the opening of the present church with new material not previously shown. if you can help or lend any photographs or cinefilms of church events, ***David Rymill would love to hear from you***

The social committee has also planned some dates for our diaries: -
Homemade Sunday - Sunday 29th June
Parish BBQ – Sunday 7th September.
Quiz Night on Saturday 25th October ***Enquiries: Sara & Daphne***