

**WELCOME
TO
ST MARY'S, PORTSEA**

Harvest Thanksgiving 2021



Thank you to all who have brought gifts today - these will be distributed to those in need in our city.

While there are no regulations of face covering etc we request that all who attend worship wear a covering out of care for one another. They may be removed for singing hymns.

If you wish to sit at a 'social distance' from others please use the spaced seats near the font. If using them please do not use more chairs than you need (ie one person sits on the single chairs; 2 on the doubles etc)

If you have any concerns then please raise them as soon as you can with those at the door or one of the Ministry team.

Come, ye thankful people, come,
raise the song of harvest-home!
All be safely gathered in,
ere the winter storms begin;
God, our Maker, doth provide
for our wants to be supplied;
come to God's own temple, come;
raise the song of harvest-home!

We ourselves are God's own field,
fruit unto his praise to yield;
wheat and tares together sown,
unto joy or sorrow grown;
first the blade and then the ear,
then the full corn shall appear:
grant, O harvest Lord, that we
wholesome grain and pure may be.

We stand to sing

For the Lord our God shall come,
and shall take his harvest home;
from his field shall purge away
all that doth offend, that day;
give his angels charge at last
in the fire the tares to cast,
but the fruitful ears to store
in his garner evermore.

Then, thou Church triumphant, come,
raise the song of harvest-home;
all be safely gathered in,
free from sorrow, free from sin,
there for ever purified
in God's garner to abide:
come, ten thousand angels, come,
raise the glorious harvest-home

In the name of the Father and of the Son
and of the Holy Spirit

All Amen

The Lord be with you
All And also with you

We say sorry to God

Lord have mercy:
All Lord have mercy
Christ have mercy:
All Christ have mercy
Lord have mercy:
All Lord have mercy.

God forgives us

We sing to God

Glory be to God in heaven,
Songs of joy and peace we bring,
Thankful hearts and voices raising,
To creation's Lord we sing :
Lord, we thank you, Lord
 we bless you,
Glory be to God our King,
Glory be to God our King.

You O Son of God, are holy,
You we praise with one accord;
None in heav'n or earth is like you,
Only you are Christ the Lord
With the Father, and the Spirit,
Ever worshipped and adored,
Ever worshipped and adored.

Lamb of God, who on your shoulders
Bore the load of this world's sin,
Only Son of God the Father,
You have brought us peace within:
Lord, have mercy, Christ have mercy,
Now your glorious reign begin,
Now your glorious reign begin.

We pray to God

At the end

All Amen

We sit to listen to God's word

At the end of the reading

This is the word of the Lord

All Thanks be to God

We stand to sing

We plough the fields, and scatter
the good seed on the land,
but it is fed and watered
by God's almighty hand:
he sends the snow in winter,
the warmth to swell the grain,
the breezes, and the sunshine,
and soft, refreshing rain.
*All good gifts around us
are sent from heaven above;
then thank the Lord, O thank the Lord, for all his love.*

He only is the maker
of all things near and far;
he paints the wayside flower,
he lights the evening star;
the winds and waves obey him
by him the birds are fed;
much more to us, his children,
he gives our daily bread.
All good gifts...

We thank thee then, O Father,
for all things bright and good,
the seed-time and the harvest,
our life, our health, our food.
Accept the gifts we offer
for all thy love imparts,
and, what thou most desirest,
our humble thankful hearts.
All good gifts

We hear the Gospel

The Lord be with you

All And also with you

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to ...

All Glory to you, O Lord.

At the end

This is the Gospel of the Lord

All Praise to you, O Christ.

We sit for a short talk We affirm our Faith

Do you believe and trust in God the Father,
source of all being and life, the one for whom we exist?
We believe and trust in him.

Do you believe and trust in God the Son,
who took our human nature, died for us and rose again?
We believe and trust in him.

Do you believe and trust in God the Holy Spirit,
who gives life to the people of God
and makes Christ known in the world?
We believe and trust in him.

This is the faith of the Church.

This is our faith.

**We believe and trust in one God,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit.**

We pray to God

The response is used

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer

At the end

Merciful Father

**Accept these prayers for the sake of your Son,
Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

We bring our 'gifts to God'

The Harvest gifts and responses are offered along with the gifts of bread and wine which are placed on the Alta.. If you wish to make a donation as a sign of your offering to God there are collection plates by the Door for you to use as you leave the service.

(For those sharing in the live stream please contact us for details of how to donate via BACS)

As we do this we sing

Come, Lord Jesus, come,

Come, take my hands, take them for your work.

Take them for your service Lord.

Take them for your glory Lord.

Come, Lord Jesus, come.

Come, Lord Jesus, take my hands.

Come, Lord Jesus, come.

Come take my eyes, may they shine with joy.

Take them for your service, Lord.

Take them for your glory, Lord.

Come, Lord Jesus, come.

Come, Lord Jesus, take my eyes.

Come, Lord Jesus, come.

Come, take my lips, may they speak your truth.

Take them for your service, Lord.

Take them for your glory, Lord.

Come, Lord Jesus, come.

Come, Lord Jesus, take my lips.

Come, Lord Jesus, come
Come take my feet may they walk your path
Take them for your service, Lord.
Take them for your glory, Lord.
Come, Lord Jesus, come.
Come, Lord Jesus, take my feet.

Come, Lord Jesus, come
Come take my heart, fill it with your love.
Take them for your service, Lord.
Take them for your glory, Lord.
Come, Lord Jesus, come.
Come, Lord Jesus, take my heart.

Come, Lord Jesus, come
Come take my life take it for your own.
Take them for your service, Lord.
Take them for your glory, Lord.
Come, Lord Jesus, come.
Come, Lord Jesus, take my life.

Words and Music Kevin Mayhew Tune Fratton arranged Moles

At the end of the hymn a prayer is offered at the end of which

All Amen

We thank God

The Lord be with you
All and also with you.

Lift up your hearts.
All We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All It is right to give thanks and praise.

...
with saints and angels praising you, and saying:
**All Holy, holy, holy Lord,
 God of power and might,
 heaven and earth are full of your glory.
 Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

After the Priest has recalled the words of Jesus at the Last Supper
Great is the mystery of faith:

**All Christ has died: Christ is risen:
Christ will come again.**

The prayer continues and at the end all respond
Amen.

We pray as Jesus taught us

**Our Father, who art in heaven
Hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come;
Thy will be done: on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
As we forgive those who trespass against us.
Lead us not into temptation;
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the Kingdom,
the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

We break the bread

We break the bread of life,
and that life is the light of the world.

**All God here among us,
light in the midst of us,
bring us to light and life.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world:
grant us peace.**

Jesus is the Lamb of God,
who takes away the sins of the world.
Blessed are those who are called to His supper

**All Lord, I am not worthy to receive you,
but only say the word, and I shall be healed.**

We are blessed

The Priest raises the host and says

The Body of Christ

All Amen

As communion is distributed, wherever you are pray that you may be aware of Christ's presence with you and that you will be blessed and comforted by it

If you are at Church and seated in the front rows, please come forward to receive standing – please respect other people's space. If you wish to receive where you are seated at the distanced seats, please remain standing until you have received.

During Communion the Choir will sing an anthem and all sing

Father we adore you
Lay our lives before you
How we love you

Jesus we adore you ... Spirit we adore you ...

We say thank you

All Amen

There will be some notices given

We are blessed

The Lord be with you

All And also with you

The Priest gives God's blessing

All Amen

All creatures of our God and King,
lift up your voice and with us sing
alleluia, alleluia!

Thou burning sun with golden beam,
thou silver moon with softer gleam,
*O praise him, O praise him,
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

Thou rushing wind that art so strong,
ye clouds that sail in heaven along,
O praise him, alleluia!

Thou rising morn, in praise rejoice,
ye lights of evening, find a voice;
O praise him...

Thou flowing water, pure and clear,
make music for thy Lord to hear,
alleluia, alleluia!

Thou fire so masterful and bright,
that givest man both warmth and light,
O praise him...

Live in the peace of Christ.

All Thanks be to God.

We sing the final hymn

Dear mother earth, who day by day
unfoldest blessings on our way,
O praise him, alleluia!

The flowers and fruits
that in thee grow,
Let them his glory also show;
O praise him...

And thou, most kind and gentle death,
waiting to hush our latest breath,
O praise him, alleluia!

Thou leadest home the child of God,
and Christ our Lord the way hath trod;
O praise him...

Let all things their creator bless,
and worship him in humbleness;
O praise him, alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the
Son,
and praise the Spirit, three in One;
O praise him...

Weekly notes- Oct 3rd

Harvest Thanksgiving (18th Sunday after Trinity)

This week in the Parish

Today

4pm Harvest Supper at St Mary's

Monday Oct 4th

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Noon Mass at St Mary's (live streamed)

Tuesday Oct 5th

Feria Week 27)– followed by Coffee and Chat

9.30am Mass at St Faith's

4.30pm Deacon Ken's Coffin

received at St Wilfrid's

7pm Deanery Consultation at St Mary's

Wednesday Oct 6th

St Faith's Day

Noon Mass at St Mary's (live streamed)

7pm Patronal Mass at St Faith's

Join us as we celebrate the life of St Faiths'

Church and pray for the community of Landport

Thursday Oct 7th

Feria Week 27

10.30am Mass at St Wilfrid's

– followed by Coffee and Chat

Noon Reflection online from Fr Nicholas

7.30pm Royal Marine Concert at St Mary's

Friday Oct 8th

Feria Week 26

11am Coffee and Chat in the Churchyard

Noon Mass at St Mary's

Saturday Oct 9th

6pm Parish Quiz at St Mary's

– *contact Revd Marcus to book and for details.*

Next Sunday 10th

19th after Trinity

8am BCP Eucharist at St Mary's

9am Mass at St Faith's

10am Mass at St Mary's

11am Mass at St Wilfrid's

2pm Renal Unit Memorial Service

4pm Parish Panto Players meet

to plan Panto 2022! *Contact Fr Bob for details*

Monday Oct 11th 5pm Choir Open Evening at St Mary's
If you know of any children or young people who may be interested in joining our choir or learning more about it then please encourage them to come along – or contact Brian Moles for details

7.30pm Julian Prayer Group at St Faith's

Tuesday Oct 12th 7pm Patronal Mass at St Wilfrid's
Join us as we pray for the witness of St Wilfrid's and the community it seeks to serve.
Preacher – Ven Peter Sutton

Wednesday Oct 13th 7pm PCC meets at St Faith's

Friday Oct 15th till Sunday Oct 24th at St Mary's

We are hosting a major Arts Installation as part of Journeys International Festival ...this is a light and sound interactive display reflecting on the experience of refugees. If you would like to help welcome visitors (**9am – Noon or 7 – 9pm each day**) please contact Fr Bob. If you would like to visit the exhibition please book a space (<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/where-there-is-light-portsmouth-tickets-170028934119>)

Autumn Fair

Saturday October 30th St Mary's

We are holding one major Parish Fair at St Mary's – with each Church running some stalls. **Offers of stalls, help or items please to the Ministry Team.**

If you have any suggestions as to what you would like to see included on these notices please let us know.

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Together for our Planet ...

Harvest 2021



*As I reflect on God's creation
I accept my responsibility as a steward of
creation and commit myself to ...*

*I would like more information about the Social justice Group and how I
may be involved* _____

*I pledge myself to support the life of the
Church and its work*

I will continue to make regular contributions (or increase my giving)

It would help me to have more information on

The Envelope scheme _____

Gift Aid declaration Form _____

Information on joining Parish Giving Scheme _____

Name _____

Contact by : (phone or email)

*Please fill in this form and bring to Church at Harvest
to offer to God with your gifts*