

Rota for this week

Door Welcome & Collection	Margaret & John Battersby
Reader	Catherine Foster
Intercessions	David Battersby
Elements	Helen & Peter Grimwade
Coffee	Lizann Murray-Clarke & Tom Gray
Cleaning	Beate Howitt & Diane Wintersgill

Services next Sunday, 25th September 2016 Harvest Thanksgiving

8:00 a.m.	Holy Communion (BCP)	Bampton
9:15 a.m.	Holy Communion	Lew
10:30 a.m.	Family Service	Bampton
10:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Clanfield
6:00 p.m.	Harvest Evensong	Aston

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Door Welcome & Collection	Muriel & Dennis Piper
Reader	Richard Rednall
Coffee	Joy Edwards & Rose Grout
Cleaning	Pat Robson & Mark Albert

Please take this leaflet home with you -

It will help keep you up to date with what's happening at St Mary's.
Further information about St Mary's church is on our website:
bamptonchurch.org.uk and in the monthly magazine "Contact."

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The Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity (Proper 20)

10.30 a.m. Sung Eucharist

Introit Hymn **418 *Father, Lord of all creation***

The Collect
Almighty God,
you have made us for yourself,
and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you:
pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself,
and so bring us at last to your heavenly city
where we shall see you face to face;
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.**

The Epistle 1 Timothy 2: 1 - 7

Gradual Hymn **600 *Thou art the Way***

The Gospel Luke 16: 1 - 13

Offertory Hymn **581 *Take my life, and let it be***

Post Communion prayer
Lord, we pray that your grace
may always precede and follow us,
and make us continually to be given to all good works;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Final Hymn **386 *Be thou my vision***

Notices

Gifts of dried/non-perishable goods will be received at next Sunday's Harvest service and will be taken on to Simon House in Oxford. Please give generously.

There will be a service of **Evensong to celebrate the Harvest** at 6:00 p.m. today in St Mary's, Shifford.

Bampton CCC meets tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. in St Mary's.

Holy Communion will be celebrated as usual on Wednesday (St Matthew's Day) at 10:30 a.m. in the Lady Chapel.

St Mary's Prayer Group meets regularly at 6:00 p.m. on Thursdays at 16 The Lanes.
More information from Beate Howitt on 01993 851123.

St Mary's Church offers **2 Bible Discussion Groups** – one on a Monday evening and one on a Tuesday evening.
More information from Dennis Piper on 01993 850677.

St Mary's Ladies' Lunch

The first lunch of the new season will take place on **Friday** in the Pavilion of the Recreation Centre, Buckland Road, at 12:30 p.m. All ladies are invited to attend, as are babies and pre-school children with their carers.
More information from Joy Edwards on 01993 852557.

The Friends of St Mary's, Bampton
invite you to join them in the church
for an evening of jazz
with
BEN HOLDER QUARTET
on Thursday 24th November, 2016.
Further information to follow.

Two Volunteers Needed at Adventure Plus (Christian youth charity) and Conference Centre in Clanfield.

1. Fundraising Administrator

We need someone to join the Fundraising Team to help with recording donations (on-line database), writing thank you letters, reconciling donations, processing gift aid claims and updating supporter details. This could be up to 2 days per week; some tasks could be done from home, some work could be shared. Please call Will on 01993 890742 for more details.

2. Maintenance Support

We are looking for volunteers to help us with various minor maintenance jobs that come up from time to time. These can include work such as painting, decorating, appliance repair, minor electrical and plumbing tasks, A+ adventure kit repair. Please call Colin on 01367 810258 for more details.

Dorchester Archdeaconry - Welcome Service for Bishop Steven

This service to welcome Steven Croft, our new Bishop of Oxford, will be held in Dorchester Abbey
on **Sunday 9th October at 3:30 p.m.**

All are welcome, and no tickets are required.
Parking in Dorchester-on-Thames is restricted, so car-sharing will be necessary.