

Ready to save a life in Potterne?

Defibrillator Awareness Training - all welcome
Saturday 18 November, 10.30 am at Potterne Youth Centre, The session will include a CPR demonstration and how to use the public access defibrillators that we have in the village. For further information please contact the Clerk to the Parish Council, Liz Starling 01380 725658

ROTAS: Is it your turn?

Potterne

Sidesmen (11.00 am) Sheila Gover and Cath Winstanley
Reader (11.00 am) -
Intercessor -
Coffee Diane Robinson

Next week:

Sidesman (8.00 am) Ian Baldwin
Sidesmen (10.50 am) David and Patricia Trotman
Reader (10.50 am) Royal British Legion
Intercessor Nikki Goves
Coffee Refreshments in Potterne Social Club after the service

Worton

Sidesmen (8.00am) Robin Shercliff
Sidesmen (9.30am) Sheila Nixon and Ali Pratt
Reader 1 Peter Witcher
Reader 2 Philip Salaman
Intercessor -
Coffee Roger Boyns

Next week:

Sidesmen (10.50 am) Ali Cross and Tony Brewer
Reader 1 Jean Lane
Reader 2 June Mason
Intercessor -
Coffee Ali and Steve Pratt

If you have any items for the newssheet, please call me on 01380 725658 or e-mail liz-starling@tiscali.co.uk by Thursday evening. Thank you Liz Starling

ST MARYS CHURCH, POTTERNE CHRISTCHURCH, WORTON & MARSTON



5 November - 11 November

"... but the end is not yet."



We wish you all a very warm welcome to church today. We hope you will stop and chat with us after each service, and that you will come again. If you have any questions please ask. Normally coffee is served!

Services for	Sunday November 5th	Fourth before Advent	
	8.00 am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Christ Church
	9.30 am	Commemoration Service	Christ Church
	11.00 am	Family Service	St Mary's

Lectionary Readings:

Micah 3:5-end	Page 878
1 Thessalonians 2:9-13	Page 201
Matthew 24:1-14	Page 25

Collect:

Almighty and eternal God, you have kindled the flame of love in the hearts of the saints: grant to us the same faith and power of love, that, as we rejoice in their triumphs, we may be sustained by their example and fellowship; 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.

Post Communion Prayer:

Lord of heaven, in this eucharist you have brought us near to an innumerable company of angels and to the spirits of the saints made perfect: as in this food of our earthly pilgrimage we have shared their fellowship, so may we come to share their joy in heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Psalm 107: 1-8

- 1: O give thanks to the Lord, for he is gracious,
for his steadfast love endures for ever.
2. Let the redeemed of the Lord say this,
those he redeemed from the hand of the enemy,
3. And gathered out of the lands from the east and the west,
from the north and from the south.
4. Some went astray in desert wastes
and found no path to a city to dwell in.
5. Hungry and thirsty, their soul was fainting within them.
6. So they cried to the Lord in their trouble
and he delivered them from their distress.
7. He set their feet on the right way till they came to a city to dwell in.
8. Let them give thanks to the Lord for his goodness
and the wonders he does for his children.

Messy Church

Please can you let Fi Walker know if you can help at Messy Church on Friday 17th November and Friday 15th December – both from 3.00 pm (usual Messy Church time).

Please encourage people to come and help; we could do with more cooks to help in the kitchen as well as people who like the interaction with the children.

For more information contact Fi Walker: 01380 727327 / 07470 372373, Fiona @twigscreations.co.uk

Potterne Christmas Market will be held on Saturday 2nd December 4-7pm in the Village Hall. The Church will be having a stall. Fi Walker asks that people start collecting unwanted gifts that we can sell. Could you plant some bulbs into nice pots or baskets? Or make something? The Church will be selling **raffle tickets** for Christmas Hampers again. The 1st Prize will be £50 cash and 5 hampers will be the other prizes. Donations of Chocolates, Biscuits, Wine, etc. and other gifts are being sought. **TICKETS ARE NOW ON SALE.** Please contact Margaret Mead or Janet Molland for further information. This annual event is a major fundraiser to support the upkeep of the church.

What's On This Week?

Tuesday 7 November

10.00 am Home Group - 29 Blounts Court

Wednesday 8 November

7.30 pm Home Group - 3 Tolbar Close

Thursday 9 November

7.30 pm Choir practice - St Mary's

Sunday 12 November

8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP) - St Mary's

10.50 am Service of Remembrance - Christ Church

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Remembrance Sunday

Next week is Remembrance Sunday and the services at both churches will start at 10.50 am at the War Memorials.

Date for your diaries

The Licensing and Installation of the Revd Alison Bridewell as Priest in charge of the Wellsprings Benefice will take place on Thursday 30th November at 7pm in St Mary's Church.

Please pray for:

- the housebound, the sick and the elderly.
- all those recently bereaved: especially the family of Margaret Boyns.
- the Churchwardens, PCCs, Liz & Renée during the interregnum, that God will guide and strengthen all who have responsibilities here during this time.
- Revd. Ali Bridewell and her husband Stuart during this time of transition as they prepare to leave their current responsibilities and look forward to the new incumbency.