

## ST MARY'S SPEEN PEW NEWS 274

### THIS SUNDAY

**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May 10.30am: Service of the Word**  
led by John Hughesdon

### NEXT SUNDAY

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May 10.30am: Holy Communion  
with Baptism** conducted by Rev Joy Mawdesley.

#### EVENING SERVICES IN MAY AND JUNE

May 18<sup>th</sup>: 3.30pm Newbury Festival  
Choral Evensong at St M's.

May 19<sup>th</sup>: No evensong

June 2<sup>nd</sup>: Choral Evensong

June 16<sup>th</sup> Evensong

June 30<sup>th</sup> BCP Holy Communion

#### BCP HOLY COMMUNION:

I am sure there are many in the congregation who are old enough to be familiar with "BCP" but for the sake of others, it is: "Book of Common Prayer", first put together by Archbishop Thomas Cranmer in 1549 and was revised several times. St Mary's will be hosting a Benefice Service of BCP Holy Communion on a couple of Sunday evenings this year beginning in June when we will worship with Cranmer's beautiful prayers.

#### FURTHER AHEAD

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2019 12:30 – 1:30pm** Council Chamber, West Berkshire Council Market Street Offices, RG14 5LD

#### WORKING WITH PEOPLE OF FAITH; 'JESUS, BANKSY & THE RAILWAY ARMS'

A one hour learning session with Richard Littledale, author, radio 4 broadcaster, public speaker and local Baptist minister. Use your lunchbreak to develop your awareness and understanding of how faith is a lens in which people may view the world. This session will support you with considering the stories behind clients' experiences and help you to engage with clients' whole identities.

#### CALLING ALL LADIES!

The next Women's Breakfast is on 15 June in St Nic's Hall at 8.30am organised by Women@stnics. The guest speaker this time is **The Reverend Prebendary Rose Hudson-Wilkin, the Chaplain to the Speaker of the House of Commons.** As it anticipated that this breakfast may be popular and St Nic's Hall can only accommodate so many women, on this occasion everyone is asked to book a space. More details will follow next week on how you can book your free space via Eventbrite or via the church office. Keep the date!

St M's people will know that we have been very fortunate that Rose has visited St Mary's on a few occasions to take our services.

**IF ANY ST M'S LADIES WOULD LIKE TO COME, PLEASE LET MAVIS H KNOW BY MONDAY EVENING (TOMORROW) AND SHE WILL RESERVE YOU A TICKET. 01635 43120**

Those who have been before will tell you that these Breakfasts are really special occasions and well worth the effort of early rising. Free to attend but donations welcome. How about taking a friend or neighbour along? It is open to all.

Lovely food elegantly

#### THIS MORNING

##### BANNS

Michael Julian McCalmon and Kate Breakspear

Michael John Bellinger and Sandra Helen Thomason

##### READINGS

Martin Evans - Acts 9:36-end

Maureen Gilbert - John 10:22-30

##### HYMNS

Organist : Carole

47 As we are gathered, Jesus is here  
(sung as an introit)

Oh to see the dawn

205 Glorious things ... (Austria)

762 You are the King of Glory (sing twice)

74 Blessed assurance

756 Ye servants of God