

## ST MARY'S SPEEN PEW NEWS 296

### THIS WEEK

Sun 27<sup>th</sup> October 10.30am. Holy Communion led by Rev Pam McKellen

### NEXT WEEK

Sun 27<sup>th</sup> Oct 10.30am: Service of the Word led by

### TUESDAY CLUB

Tues 29<sup>th</sup> Oct: 2pm Tuesday Club meets at 44 Speen Lane. Suggest that you park in Speen Place and come in across the back garden.

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sun 3 Nov 3.30 pm All Saints' Service, at St Mary's Church Speen.

You are all invited to this Benefice service of thanksgiving for, and remembrance of, the lives of those we know and love who have died. During this service we will remember and give thanks for those who have gone before us, and pray for all who mourn. There will also be time for private reflection and prayer. The service will be followed by refreshments.

During the service we will read out the names of all those who have died in the past two years known to St Nic's and St Mary's churches. If you wish to add the names of your relatives or friends to the Roll of Remembrance, please add their details to the list at the back of church, or send to Mandy Maskell in the St Nic's church office ([office@st-nics.org](mailto:office@st-nics.org) or 47018) by Thursday 31 October.

### CTNA CHRISTMAS DAY EVENT

Christians Together in the Newbury Area (CTNA) is organising a free Christmas Day Event for the elderly in our town. If you would like to come, or know any who will otherwise be by themselves on Christmas Day, please let us know: Joanna Abraham, email [marinaoabraham.com](mailto:marinaoabraham.com) or telephone [07828244119](tel:07828244119).

It is a day of celebration and fun from 10am -4pm. Guests will be picked up from home by volunteer drivers at 10am to the event. There will be entertainment, drinks and snacks and a Christmas Dinner for lunch. At departure, everyone will get a goodie bag containing a gift item, cakes and crisps for tea when they get home

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## ST MARY'S CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

The occasion is drawing near. So that the organisers are up to date with how much support they have, please can you confirm if you are intending to help or donate and have not already volunteered an offering.

I can help at a stall,

I will provide a raffle prize

I will make a cake

I will provide good quality bric a brac.

I can help to clear up afterwards.

I can make tea for half an hour.

I cannot come but I will make a donation/buy some raffle tickets.

I will bring a friend.

Every little helps. Please speak to Brian.

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## THIS MORNING

### READINGS

Carole Liddiard - Luke 18: 9-14

Jane Booth - 2 Timothy 4: 6-8,16-18

### HYMNS

565 Praise, my soul, the King of heaven

The Lords my shepherd, I'll not want

12 Alleluia, Sing to Jesus

45 As the deer

409 Lord for the years