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WEEKLY NOTES

17 August 2008

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Very basic Notes today. The services are very simple in style for three Sundays, returning to normal on 24 August. The choir is on holiday; the 0930 service is at the Nave Altar, and there is no evening worship at St Mary's throughout August.

Our prayers today: We pray for our church and parish, and in the worldwide Anglican Communion for the Church in the province of the West Indies. In the diocese we pray for the Diocesan legal officers: the Chancellor, and the Registrar and his staff, and within the parish we pray for our bellringers, and for the people who live in Chelwood Close.

0800 HOLY COMMUNION *Common Worship rite*
Order 1: page 167. Collect of the Day: page 416. Proper 15.
Eucharistic Prayer A: page 184 [Omit the responses in *red* brackets.]

0930 HOLY COMMUNION *Common Worship rite*

Nave Altar service today. Crèche available. Proper 15.
Order 1: page **167** in the black book. Collect of the Day: page 416.
Eucharistic Prayer A: page 184 [Omit the responses in *red* brackets.]
The Parish Choir and 'Children's Hour' are on holiday. All the singing is congregational, and all the tunes are easy. Apart from the Metrical Gloria, the service is 'said with hymns' today. Things return to normal next Sunday, when the 0930 special leaflet will also be back in use

Introit hymn: 359 (t.322)

Introduction and the Prayers of Penitence

Gloria in excelsis: Metrical version at Hymn 363 [tune 338]

Collect of the Day: page 416 (*Readings on separate paper*)

New Testament reading from the Letter of St Paul to the Romans.

Gradual hymn: 416 (ii),

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St Matthew.

Sermon by *the Vicar*

Nicene Creed: page 173

Intercession; then all stand for the Greeting of Peace.

Offertory hymn: 364 (t.271), Collection.

Eucharistic Prayer A: page 184 [Omit the responses in *red* brackets.]

Turn back to page 178 for the Lord's Prayer, etc.

Holy Communion is at the front of the nave only. Please return to your seats *via* the side aisles, after receiving the chalice on your 'own' side. There is no hymn at this point today.

After '*Let us pray*' **all stand** for the Post-Communion Prayer: page 416.

The Mutual Salutation, the Blessing and Dismissal.

Hymn 437 (E flat at 362)

Welcome to any visitors or newcomers to St Mary's today. Please make yourselves known, and join us for coffee in the Church Hall across the road after the Sung Eucharist.

1100 MATTINS *Book of Common Prayer rite.*

'*Village Mattins*' today. The service is 'said with hymns.'

Responses: page 8.

Metrical Jubilate, i.e. Hymn 334.

Psalm 26 *The psalm of a devout and righteous man.* Page 168
First Lesson. Proverbs 31: 10 – end. *The ideal wife.*
Benedictus (recited): page 11
Second Lesson. Ephesians 5:25-6:4. *'Marriage Guidance' in the New Testament.*
Hymn 374
The Creed and the Greeting (page 12); then all kneel for the Lord's Prayer, the Responses and the three Collects (the first Collect on page 76).
Prayers. Sermon by *Mrs Wendy Varney, Reader.*
Hymn 408 (second tune); Collection. The Grace.

In church this week

The Tuesday Eucharist will not be celebrated for the remainder of the month. It will resume on 2 September.

Other events and notices.

Wednesday 1030-1200 Coffee Morning in the Church Hall.
Fine blend and good companionship.

Next Sunday. Morning services at the usual times. Regular choral services resume their normal style with the return of the choristers after their summer break. It will be St Bartholomew's Day, the day on which St Mary's was consecrated in 1848.

Sharing the love of Christ, the Light of the world, with the people of Ewell.