



This week at St Mary's 13 October 2019

HOW THINGS HAVE BEEN DEVELOPING

Hospitality

- **Big House**, entrepreneurial arm of Creative Quarter held their Expo at St Mary's, 10 September.
- Peter Rogan and Kathryn Moore (Lottery) advising about **lottery bid**. To include development of hospitality at St Mary's, as well as other work identified by quinquennial report.
- New **posters** being prepared for boards in churchyard.

Prayer

- 2 printed prayers in **Chapel of Holy Spirit**, inspired by the windows.
- Fusion held a **prayer evening for students**, 25 September.

Social Justice and life at the heart of Nottingham

- **Lightest Night party** - hosted with Creative Quarter.
- **Christmas column art project**, telling the Christmas story, involving High School, Girls High School, Stone Soup Academy, Nottingham Hospice, Emmanuel House, Radford Care Group, Football in the Community, L'Arche, Framework and one other yet to confirm.
- Tom working with Lieutenancy for **Commonwealth themed events**.
- Christmas Concert for **Emmanuel House**.

Creativity

- **Let the Light Shine**, Alex Kingswell textile art exhibition and **NTU Model of St Mary's** in High Pavement exhibited, focus on Heritage Open Day.
- **Christmas Tree Festival** with Creative Quarter and Spencebeck.

Well-being

- Met with **Rev'd Michelle Hampson**, former Consultant Psychiatrist in relation to the churches and well-being in Nottingham.

New Ways of Worship

- PCC Worship **sub-committee** met 3 October.
- Next meeting to give steer on **Christmas services**.

General

- New **website** including advertising for **Operations Director**

**A very warm welcome, especially to
anyone new or visiting St Mary's**

LAST WEEK AT ST MARY'S...

FRIENDSHIP CONCERT Friday 4 - Celebrating 50 years of Nottingham/Karlsruhe twinning, Carlton MVC returned the invitation to the KIT Philharmonic Orchestra & Choir to present a thrilling repertoire enjoyed by a full and appreciative house

Wedding of Richard & Charlotte Trunkfield on Saturday. Many congratulations

Harvest Thanksgiving on Sunday. Very many thanks to Dawn and Mandy for the wonderful flowers and also to everyone who brought gifts which have been taken to Emmanuel House.

Alan Hargrave was with us for Sunday Evensong and preached. We are most grateful to him for his ministry, and afterwards we welcomed the Choral Scholars, especially the new ones, Cecilia, Georgina, Lucy and Sam.

NottDANCE Thursday 8pm - atmospheric, pulsating sound and dance, seamlessly morphing, amoeba-like, with the audience shifting as imperceptibly as the dancers, sprawled on the warm, clean stone. This group inhabited the space with ease and command for the privileged 100 or so appreciative souls.

STONE SOUP ACADEMY AT ST MARY'S - Dylan Bradford, a year 11 student at Stone Soup Academy brought in a selection of his photos which will be displayed in the church for a week. The exhibition is called 'Growth'. We welcome this opportunity to share in the work SSA is doing.

NOW AND COMING UP SOON...

WORKPLACE CHAPLAINCY INSIGHT MEETING Wed 16 October 12.00-1.30pm at The Jury's Inn Hotel, Station St, NG2 3BJ. The creative and digital sector is growing twice as fast as the rest of the UK economy and is transforming the way we live our lives. **Susan Hallam**, chair of **Nottingham's Creative Quarter** and founder and CEO of digital marketing agency **Hallam**, will give an **INSIGHT** into this dynamic sector. A buffet lunch is provided so please email: lensimmonds@aol.com to confirm your attendance.

TRENDING: THE GREAT TOPICS OF OUR TIMES 24 October At St Peter's 6-9PM. The first is "All You Need Is Love? Dispelling Myths about Love and Romance in Popular Culture". A fun engaging talk introducing cutting edge academic research as well as insights into the different routes that love can now take. See tinyurl.com/trendinglove or email marketing@rotherasharp.co.uk

THE NOTTINGHAM BAROQUE SOLOISTS PERFORM RICHAFORT'S REQUIEM Sunday 3 November 8pm. Nottingham's premier vocal ensemble, including current and former members of the choir of St Mary's, specialising in Baroque and Renaissance music, present a concert of music and readings for All Souls' Day. Free entry with a retiring collection in aid of St Mary's music fund. Please see Will Burn or Jonathan Stork for more information.

TUDOR & STUART MUSIC FOR VOICES AND VIOLS at St Mary's Saturday 9 November 7.30pm performed by the Choir of St Mary's and the Chelys Consort of Viols. Tickets £15 (with concessions) at Nottingham Tourism Centre 0844 775 678, Windblowers 0115 941 0543 or trybooking.co.uk/MMU

This Week's Services

Sunday 10.45am Sung Eucharist

Sunday 6.30pm Choral Evensong

Wednesday 6.15pm Choral Evensong

Thursday 1.15pm Holy Communion

Also, St Mary's is open between 10am and 3pm Mon-Sat

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Please continue to pray for

Estelle Barks

John Bowers

Debbie Butler

Harry Palmer

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