



THE PARISHES OF
St OSWALD'S HOOE
and
St. MARY'S NINFIELD
WEEKLY SHEET ~ 3rd March 2019
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*A warm welcome to everyone, especially any visitors.
If you are new to our Churches please introduce yourselves to the
sides people on duty. If you need help in any way during your time
in church please talk to one of the sides people.
Please note that both churches are installed with hearing loops
to help those who wear a hearing aid with the T setting.*

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

St. Mary's

**Ash Wednesday 10 am ~ Holy Communion
with the Imposition of Ashes
Sunday 9.30am ~ Joint Parish Eucharist**

St Oswald's ~ No Service

What's On

Tues 5th March ~ Pancake Lunch ~ Hooe Village Hall
Sat 9th March ~ Flower Group Jumble Sale ~ Memorial Hall
Sat 16th March ~ Ninfield Village Market ~ Memorial Hall

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URGENT REQUEST

Sacristans are needed for St Mary's. If you would like to help
and need to know what is involved please talk to
Catriona after church or phone 225421

Collect

Almighty Father, whose Son was revealed in majesty before he suffered death upon the cross: give us grace to perceive his glory, that we may be strengthened to suffer with him and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory; who is alive and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

First Reading Exodus 34.29–end

Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. Afterwards all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the Lord had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; but whenever Moses went in before the Lord to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

Second Reading 2 Corinthians 3.12—4.2

Since, then, we have such a hope, we act with great boldness, not like Moses, who put a veil over his face to keep the people of Israel from gazing at the end of the glory that was being set aside. But their minds were hardened. Indeed, to this very day, when they hear the reading of the old covenant, that same veil is still there, since only in Christ is it set aside. Indeed, to this very day whenever Moses is read, a veil lies over their minds; but when one turns to the Lord, the veil is removed. Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. And all of us, with

unveiled faces, seeing the glory of the Lord as though reflected in a mirror, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another; for this comes from the Lord, the Spirit. Therefore, since it is by God's mercy that we are engaged in this ministry, we do not lose heart. We have renounced the shameful things that one hides; we refuse to practise cunning or to falsify God's word; but by the open statement of the truth we commend ourselves to the conscience of everyone in the sight of God.

Gospel Luke 9.28–36 [37–43]

Now about eight days after these sayings Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, 'Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah'—not knowing what he said. While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, 'This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!' When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen. On the next day, when they had come down from the mountain, a great crowd met him. Just then a man from the crowd shouted, 'Teacher, I beg you to look at my son; he is my only child. Suddenly a spirit seizes him, and all at once he shrieks. It throws him into convulsions until he foams at the mouth; it mauls him and will scarcely leave him. I begged your disciples to cast it out, but they could not.' Jesus answered, 'You faithless and perverse generation, how much longer must I be with you and bear with you? Bring your son here.' While he was coming, the demon dashed him to the ground in convulsions. But Jesus rebuked the unclean spirit, healed the boy, and gave him back to his father. And all were astounded at the greatness of God.

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PRAYERS & INTENTIONS

Pray daily for peace and all those who suffer from illness especially

Peter Green, Donna Morris, Amy Ballard, and Mary Collings.

R.I.P. Ernie Baker

whose funeral is at St Oswald's on 8th March at 11am.

This week we pray for residents of Ninfield Road, Ninfield, and Denbigh Road, Hooe and Lay Ministers of Communion. In our CTiB cycle of prayer we pray for Little Common Methodist Church and their Minister Tricia Williams

St Mary's and St Oswald's Opening Times:

Where possible St Mary's will be open from:

9am – 3pm Monday - Thursday,

Wednesday 10 a.m. - Only when there is a Holy Communion Service. St Mary's is closed on Fridays, Saturdays & after the Sunday Service.

St Oswald's is open from 9am to 5pm every day.

Urgent Request

Our Food Banks are desperate for stock because of an increased number of clients.

They especially need Squash, Custard, Tinned potatoes, Sugar, UHT milk, Tinned Tomatoes, Pasta Sauce, Rice Pudding and Tinned Fruit. If you are able to help in any way by supplying any or all of these items please place them in either of the Food Bank bins in church

Thank you

Any items for the Weekly Sheet

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By Wednesday 6pm please.

Please put any used stamps in the box at the back of St Mary's. Collecting for Eastbourne DGH.

Thank You