



## SUNDAY 12 MAY: EASTER 7

### COLLECT

Risen, ascended Lord,  
as we rejoice at your triumph,  
fill your Church on earth with power and compassion,  
that all who are estranged by sin  
may find forgiveness and know your peace,  
to the glory of God the Father.



## Benington & Walkern Church Services

### Sunday 12 May: Easter 7

St Mary's Walkern	9.30am	Holy Communion	Rev Mark Bailey
Benington Methodist Church	10.30am	Morning Worship	Local Arrangement
United Reformed Church, Walkern	3.00pm	Church Anniversary Service	Steve Mason

### Next Sunday 19 May: Pentecost

St Mary's Walkern	9.30am	Morning Prayer	Laurie Hawkins
St Peter's Benington	11.00am	Pet Service	Rev Mark Bailey
Benington Methodist Church	10.30am	Holy Communion Churches Together in Benington	Revd Zdzisiu Hendzel

### Funerals



David Collins	Friday 10 May	2.00pm	St Peter's, Benington
Daphne Mills	Thursday 16 May	2.00pm	St Peter's, Benington

## Walkern & Benington Food Bank: St Mary's church in Walkern on Wednesday mornings 9.30-10.30.

We are very grateful to everyone who gives so generously to our Foodbank. Your help is very much appreciated and still badly needed. Any of the following products are in demand.

Tea	Rice - microwaveable	Tinned vegetables
Coffee	Cleaning and laundry products	Tinned soup
Milk	Children's snacks and drinks	Tinned fruit
Snacks	Toilet rolls	Tinned custard & rice pudding
Sugar	Tinned fish/ meat	Baked beans
Biscuits	Tinned tomatoes	Toiletries
Pasta	Sanitary products	Pasta sauce
Cereal		Washing up liquid
Pies		

**Sorry - but we can't take items that are past their 'use by' date.**

Beverley Harlow on 07881588662 or [bevharlow16@gmail.com](mailto:bevharlow16@gmail.com).



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## St Mary's APCM

St Mary's APCM at **7.30 pm on Thursday 16 May**; nomination forms for churchwardens and other PCC officers are at the back of the church.

The Electoral Roll for St Mary's is at the back of church. Please would all members check their details for accuracy. Also if anyone would like to be on the Electoral Roll, which would allow them to vote at our APCM on May 16th, they should contact Miki Phillips or Maggie Hawkins.



# Programme of classical music with the **BRASSHOPPERS**

£10. Sat 11<sup>th</sup> May at 7:30pm. St Mary's Walkern



CLARKE	Prince of Denmark's March
GABRIELI	Canzon a4
HAYDEN	St Anthony chorale
BACH	St Matthew's Passion - theme
PURCELL	Rondeau
PARRY	Jerusalem
Folk dance	Country Gardens
	INTERVAL - with refreshments
HANDEL	Messiah; And the Glory of the Lord
HOLST	Jupiter
RAMEAU	Entre de Polymnie
ELGAR	Nimrod
Bach	Air on a G string
SHOSTAKOVICH	Second Waltz



Laurie    Richard    Brian    Luke    Clive    Adrian    and Richard

## PRAYER REQUESTS

### Prayer for King Charles

*We pray for the King's health, for Her Majesty the Queen, for his family, and for all who care for him.*

*We remember with thanksgiving and prayer the medical teams caring for him and for all those who are undergoing diagnosis and treatment at this time.*

*As The King encourages understanding for all those who are affected by cancer, we also hold dear those in our wider community who continue to be affected by cancer.*

*Named requests for prayer will be included on the notice sheet for at least one month. If you would like a name to be included for our intercessions, please contact the Parish Office [ubbw@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:ubbw@hotmail.co.uk) or 07407 630159 or Maggie Hawkins (359500) for Walkern. (Names from the prayer board in St Mary's Church will also be included in the intercessions in that church.) Prayer is regularly offered for all the sick and needy in our community.*

### FOR OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

**Those who live in our villages:** This week we pray for all who live in Rookery Close, Walkern and High Elms Lane, Benington.

**We pray for those in our parishes or friends and family members who are housebound, unwell, receiving treatment or recovering from operations:** Katie Tysome (Walkern), Brian Burgess (Benington) and Phillip Waldock (Walkern).

**We also remember those who have died and their families and friends:** Daphne Mills (Benington) and David Collins (Benington).

#### Wedding, Funerals and Baptisms

If you need to arrange a baptism, funeral or wedding, please contact our Vicar, Rev Mark Bailey on [mdbailey066@gmail.com](mailto:mdbailey066@gmail.com) 01763 281052.

St Mary's churchwardens are also available to help:

Maggie Hawkins: [margaret15a@hotmail.com](mailto:margaret15a@hotmail.com) (01438 359 500)

Beverley Harlow: [bevharlow16@gmail.com](mailto:bevharlow16@gmail.com) (01438 225 365)

**Benington Methodist Church:** Steward: Mr Brian Burgess (01438 237748)

**United Reformed Church, Walkern:** Secretary: Mrs Olga Ginn (01438 861754)