



Sunday 12 August 2018: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

TODAY'S SERVICES:

8:00am	Eucharist	Fr Tim Pilkington
9:30am	<i>Sung Eucharist</i>	Pr Fr Tim Pilkington
6:00pm	Evening Prayer	Fr Tim Pilkington

Fr Simon is at Potten End this morning.

Hymns: 185; 186; 188 (omit vv5/6); 184; 476

First Reading, read by Alison McMunn

Then God's temple in heaven was opened, and the ark of his covenant was seen within his temple; and there were flashes of lightning, rumblings, peals of thunder, an earthquake, and heavy hail.

A great portent appeared in heaven: a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars. She was pregnant and was crying out in birth pangs, in the agony of giving birth. Then another portent appeared in heaven: a great red dragon, with seven heads and ten horns, and seven diadems on his heads. His tail swept down a third of the stars of heaven and threw them to the earth. Then the dragon stood before the woman who was about to bear a child, so that he

Revelation 11: 19 & 12:1-6 & 10

might devour her child as soon as it was born. And she gave birth to a son, a male child, who is to rule all the nations with a rod of iron. But her child was snatched away and taken to God and to his throne; and the woman fled into the wilderness, where she has a place prepared by God, so that there she can be nourished for one thousand two hundred and sixty days. Then I heard a loud voice in heaven, proclaiming,

'Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Messiah, for the accuser of our comrades has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God.

Gospel **Luke 1: 46-55**

And Mary said,
'My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God my Saviour, for he has looked with favour on the lowliness of his servant.
Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed; for the Mighty One has done great things for me, and holy is his name. His mercy is for those who fear him from generation to generation. He has shown strength with his arm; he has

scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts. He has brought down the powerful from their thrones, and lifted up the lowly;
he has filled the hungry with good things, and sent the rich away empty. He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy, according to the promise he made to our ancestors, to Abraham and to his descendants for ever.'

Intercessions

	+ Alan, Bp of St Albans +Justin, Archbishop The Church of the Province of South East Asia & Archbishop Ng Moon Hing
Sick & Bereaved	<i>Long term:</i> Christina Billington, Judith Hill, Yvonne Rix, Omid Tatiae, Margaret Taylor, Len Bennett, Priscilla Watt, Matthew Baynes, priest, Christine Danson <i>and immediate:</i> Diane Luckraft, Keith Dawson, Adam Hammond and family, John and Philip Jennings, Julie Painter, Peter Lindley
RIP	Captain Hubert Bunker
Memorial	(None)

WEEKDAY SERVICE TIMES THIS WEEK:

Morning Prayer Monday 9:00am; Tuesday 9:00am at All Saints Shrublands Road;
Wednesday 8:00am; Thursday & Friday 9:00am

Eucharist Tuesday 9:30am at All Saints' Shrublands Road; Wednesday 8:30am
in St Peters

Evening Prayer Monday – Friday 5:00pm; Saturday 6:00pm

NOTICES

Schools have broken up and many of us will be heading off on holiday soon. But **SUNDAY CLUB** doesn't take a break! Throughout the school summer holidays, children (from babies to teenagers) can join us every Sunday morning. We meet in the Lady Chapel during the sermon at the 9.30am service, for a short talk and activity. *Everyone welcome.*

There will be a **WALSINGHAM CELL MASS** on Saturday 8th September at 10am in St Peter's. Everyone is welcome. Please ask Fr Simon or Philippa Seldon for more information.

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THE FOLLOWING NEXT MEET AS SHOWN: -

Sundays Together Lunch	Carolynne Charman 869003	12:30pm in the Court House. For anyone on their own on a Sunday.	Sun 2 Sept
Pastoral Network	Philippa Seldon 871534	7:45pm in the Court House	Mon 17 Sept
Tuesday Club	Rosslyn Laidler 879992	7:30pm Court House	Tues 4 Sept
Mothers' Union	Margaret Burbidge 862139	No further meetings in August. Details of September's meeting to be announced.	
Mothers' Union Prayers	Margaret Burbidge 862139	<i>No meeting in August</i>	
Julian Meeting	Ruth T-B 863268	11:30am 3 Sherwood Mews	Wed 15 Aug
Grief and Loss Support Group	Sylvia Banks 871195.	Monthly Lunch 12:30pm at The White Horse, Bourne End	Wed 15 Aug
Little Fishes	Tracy Robinson 863559	Fridays in term time: 9:30-11:30am Court House. <i>With today: Service 10:00am in St Peter's</i>	Fri 7 Sept
Prayers for our Schools	Kathy O'Dair 386776	9:00am –10:00am The Breukelman Room, Sunnyside Church	Tues 25 Sept
ABC Prayer Breakfast	Peggy Sear 01296 584530	8:00am at the Way Inn; third Saturday of the month. Prayer requests to Peggy Sear by the previous Monday, please	Sat 18 Aug
Choral Evensong		Cathedral style Choral Evensong in St Peter's, 6:00pm	Sun 23 Sept
TSS		The Sunday Service for families, 4:00pm in St Peter's with tea afterwards	Sun 9 Sept