

St Mary's, Old Town, Hemel  
Hempstead

**Churches Together 24/7  
Prayer Week  
28<sup>th</sup> January – 4<sup>th</sup> February  
2007.**

After the handover from Carey Baptist Church at St Paul's Patronal Festival on the evening of Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> January, St Mary's will be open for prayer three times a day Monday – Saturday. The place of prayer will normally be the Chapel of the Holy Spirit.

There will be a daily Eucharist, except Saturday, and simple offices in the morning, at midday and in the evening, except Friday, the Feast of the presentation of Christ in the Temple, when there will also be a 6.00pm Eucharist.

Prayers in the morning will be followed by a simple breakfast in church at about 8.30a.m. Midday Prayer will be followed by refreshments and a picnic lunch for those who bring their own.

In addition, members of the congregations of St Mary's and St Paul's are invited to pray at home, covering as much as possible of the week, day and night.

By taking part in whatever way you can, you will be joining in the concern of Christians across the town for the flourishing of our community. You will also be contributing to building up the spiritual life of our parish. And in the process you may find your own spiritual life being deepened, too.

During the hours the church is open for prayer, feel free to come and go as you please, taking care not to disturb the prayer of others.

**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> January**

6.30pm Patronal Festival Service at St Paul's

**Monday 29<sup>th</sup> January**

7.00am Morning Prayer followed by quiet time and open prayer

8.00am Holy Communion followed by breakfast till 9.00am

12.00 noon Midday Prayer followed by quiet time, informal prayer and refreshments till 2.00pm

5.00pm Evening Prayer and intercessions till 6.00pm

**Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> January**

7.00am Morning Prayer followed by quiet time and open prayer

8.00am Holy Communion followed by breakfast till 9.00am

12.00 noon Midday Prayer followed by quiet time, informal prayer and refreshments till 2.00pm

5.00pm Evening Prayer and intercessions till 6.00pm

**Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> January**

7.00am Morning Prayer followed by quiet time, open prayer and breakfast till 9.00am

10.30am Holy Communion.

12.00 noon Midday Prayer followed by quiet time, informal prayer and refreshments till 2.00pm

5.00pm Evening Prayer and intercessions till 6.00pm

**Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February**

7.00am Morning Prayer followed by quiet time and open prayer

8.00am Holy Communion followed by breakfast till 9.00am

12.00 noon Midday Prayer followed by quiet time, informal prayer and refreshments till 2.00pm

5.00pm Evening Prayer and intercessions till 6.00pm

**Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February: Feast of Candlemas**

7.00am Morning Prayer followed by quiet time, open prayer and breakfast until 9.00am

12.00 noon Midday Prayer followed by quiet time, informal prayer and refreshments till 2.00pm

5.00pm Evening Prayer and intercessions.

6.00pm Holy Communion

**Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> February**

7.00am Morning Prayer followed by quiet time, open prayer and breakfast until 9.00am

12.00 noon Midday Prayer

5.00pm Evening Prayer and intercessions till 6.00pm