

## Holy Baptism



15<sup>th</sup> November Elizabeth Joy Berry

Maya Katherine Nicholls

## Holy Matrimony



24<sup>th</sup> October Andrew Lloyd Belfield & Emily Jane Jackson

## In Peace



3<sup>rd</sup> November Beryl Abbott

19<sup>th</sup> November Joan Allum

## Mothers Union

Mon 30<sup>th</sup> November 7pm

### Table Decorations & Wreath Making

As part of our preparation for Advent and Christmas we will be making our Christmas wreaths and table decorations in the Church Meeting Room from 7pm. Bring greenery, secateurs, garden twine, dishes and oasis as required.

### Mon 11<sup>th</sup> January 2016 7pm AGM and Planning Meeting

Our annual planning meeting and pot luck supper with refreshments and finger buffet food in the Church Meeting Room at 7pm. Please come with good ideas for 2016.

For more details of this or any other event, please see either Rosemary Bolton or Ann Stephens-Jones.

## Final parade and laying up of the HRA Standard



The ceremony was held on 11<sup>th</sup> October 2015. A regiment spokesman said "The Lord Lieutenant read a letter from the Queen, the reading by Col Nick Kelsey was about Passchendaele 1917 and as the standard was taken to the Memorial Chapel the choir gave a beautiful rendition of *Eternal Rest*".

Special thanks to Col Keith Cockman and Jo, who devised the service, and Cpt Hunter and the Band of the Royal Anglian Regiment who travelled from parts near and far to play.

## Ghostbusters



Some 80 children, plus rather more parents, enjoyed a showing of Ghostbusters

on a specially erected 'big screen'. There were also food stalls in the car park offering a variety of street food and hot and cold beverages.

Organiser Wendy Shipton said, "It was a tremendous success and there were so

many people who, like me, had never been in this amazing building before".

We estimate full attendance at towards 200 and look forward to some more screenings in 2016 of suitable 'family friendly' features.



### Cathedral Choir Concert

6th February 2016 19:00



The Choir of St Alban's Abbey will be giving a concert here at All Saints on Saturday 6th February at 19:00. Free Admission with Retiring Collection.



This very special event has been arranged under the auspices of the Cathedral Music Trust, who are bearing most of the costs. All proceeds will go to All Saints.

Please book the date and tell your friends.

### Christian Aid 50th Anniversary Challenge

The 50th anniversary walk (or jog or run!), will be on Saturday 14th May 2016.

All Saints' will again be responsible for the starting checkpoint at Allenbury's Sport and Social Club in Ware. The format will be the same as last year and I would be

grateful for volunteers to help please. Please put the date in your diaries and see me if you can help.

Thank you!  
Rosemary Bolton

### Booking the Church

Can we remind everyone that the paper diary in the Vestry is a (slightly out-of-date) copy of the master parish diary (on-line at <http://www.allsaintshertford.org/calendar.php> ).

Anything just written directly into it will not be on the master diary and may conflict with another booking for that time slot made since the paper copy was last updated (usually weekly).

To be safe, please make all bookings where a clash would matter via the office (email to [office@allsaintshertford.org](mailto:office@allsaintshertford.org) for preference). That way Jo, Ginni, Kay and Martin will know of your booking and allow for it when arranging funerals, weddings, baptisms, meetings, concerts etc.

Thank you!



"I'm sorry Michael – even if you HAVE changed your ring-tone to 'Away In-A-Manger', it's still ALL mobiles OFF!"