

GLENN'S SIX SEVEN ST MARY'S WALK

RUNNING WALKING ORDER

subject to revision

Time		Distances & Notes
7.50 AM	Set up at St Mary's Church, Felpham, outside South Porch	St Mary's providing table outside; Jane & Tina everything else, including FVCS big thermos flasks already filled with boiling water
8.00 AM	Walkers & well-wishers start to arrive	Tea & coffee available
8.25 AM	Reverend John blesses the walkers	
8.30 AM	Walkers set off through the Churchyard to Barnham	4.85 Km - Up lane behind schools. Across golf course. Out onto fields and tracks
9.30 AM	Walkers arrive at St Mary's Church, Barnham	Short stop here for lifts back to Felpham unless some want to carry on with Glenn & his main group
9.45 AM	Walkers leave Barnham for Walberton	2.93 Km - Down church lane. Footpath across railway line. Out of Barnham across fields
10.15 AM	Walkers arrive at St Mary's Church, Walberton	The Churchwarden, Sandra Cooke says walkers may use loos here
10.30 AM	Walkers leave Walberton for Binsted	1.29 Km - Only a short hop along road out of Walberton and across fields. Free apples on the way
11.00 AM	Walkers arrive at St Mary's, Binsted	Refreshments will be served here!
11.15 AM	Walkers leave Binsted for Tortington	3.64 Km - Down track opposite the church. Across some fields and through ancient Binsted Wood. This is the prettiest & most spiritual leg of the walk
12.15 PM	Walkers arrive at St Mary's, Tortington	The church is cared for by the Churches Conservation Trust. It will be open although no longer used for worship
12.30 PM	Walkers leave Tortington for The Ship & Anchor Pub, Ford, en route to Clymping	2.00 Km - Across private track (with permission from farmer's son, Dan) to the Arun riverbank and a short walk along the river to the Marina
1.00 PM	Walkers arrive at The Ship & Anchor, Ford	At the Marina and by the caravan site. This is the lunch stop; the pub serves sandwiches
1.30 PM	Walkers leave Ford and continue to Clymping	2.3 Km - Special to walk along the river so continuing along riverbank which meanders. Still some blackberries. Track out towards rear of prison. Down private driveway (with permission) to church
2.00 PM	Walkers arrive at St Mary's Church, Clymping	Bit more of a rest here ahead of long-haul home

2.15 PM	Walkers leave Clymping for Yapton	3.83 Km - Unfortunately, the track across Ford Airfield has been closed due to 'unexploded ordnance' so must retrace back up towards Ford and go across fields. A bit longer than the direct route across the airfield but can't be helped
3.00 PM	Walkers arrive at St Mary's Church, Yapton	More rest and maybe a snack ahead of the last 6 Km leg
3.15 PM	Walkers leave Yapton for Felpham	6 Km - Church lane and then track out of Yapton to Drove Lane. More track and lots of maize fields. Eventually to Hoe Lane. One more maize field. Through Blakes Mead out next to golf club entrance. Home straight back down pathway next to schools
4.45 PM	Walkers arrive at St Mary's Church, Felpham, YAY!	Reverend John and other well-wishers will greet the walkers.
4.45 PM		Tea, coffee & homemade cakes will be served!

Please note:

- This is a walk that I have organised as a private individual. The sponsorship is for St Mary's Platinum Window, Felpham but St Mary's have not organised the walk which all walkers undertake at their own risk.
- Please wear good walking shoes and wear sunscreen / take a hat. Much of the walking is along track and across fields. All are on permitted pathways other than two places where there is permission from the landowner.
- Lifts will be available to and from each church and the Ship and Anchor pub. First aid kit and water carried in the support car although walkers should take their own water, too.

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