



Welcome to
St Mary's
Church
Wimbledon

Sunday 11th September
St Mary's News

WELCOME TO ST MARY'S

If you are a newcomer, please introduce yourself, and join us for coffee in the Garden Hall after the 9:30 service. Small children are always welcome, and we offer a crèche during the 9:30 service in term time.

CONTRIBUTIONS towards leaving presents for **Tracy Dowling and Chris Thomas** may be left in the Parish Office. Please put them in an envelope with the name of the desired recipient clearly marked.

TODDLER SERVICE has begun again on **Wednesdays at 9.15am** in Church. All parents with pre-school children welcome.

HARVEST FESTIVAL LUNCH will be on **16th October** at the AELTC. Tickets are **£12.50** for an adult with wine, **£10** without, **£7.50** for children and **£30** for a family of four. Tickets will go on sale **TODAY**. Any donations for the raffle in aid of **Faith in Action** will be gratefully received. Please contact Lucy Uden Lucy.Uden@Bcl.co.uk or Susan Creed susan.creed@yahoo.co.uk

TUESDAY LUNCH will be on **13th September** at the home of **Caroline Allcock, 200 Wimbledon Park Road, SW18**. All welcome. **£2.50** in aid of the homeless.

DO YOU FEEL you would like to deepen your relationship with God? The Bishop of Kingston will be Confirming candidates at St Mary's on **November 30th** at **8.00pm**. If you would like to be part of this special service, or simply would like to explore the Christian faith a little more, then you would be very welcome to join our Confirmation Course. For just one hour (**8-9pm**) every Wednesday, starting **28th September**, a group of us will be meeting over coffee and a chat to explore what it is we believe, what we don't believe and engage with doubts, questions and quandaries. Don't worry if you don't think you could commit to every week, we would be glad to explore options with you. If you would like to be part of this, discuss the course or your needs further please don't hesitate to call Mary (**8946 2830**), Martin (**8946 4494**) or the Parish Office (**8946 2605**).

FAITH IN ACTION fact finding meeting will take place on **Wednesday 14th September** in Garden Hall at **7.00pm**

TRACY'S ORDINATION will be on **2nd October** at **4.00pm** in Croydon Minster. All are welcome to attend. If you are interested in coming along could you please call Tracy on **8947 2268**.

READY, STEADY, CHEF comes to St Mary's on **Saturday November 19th**. This will be a fun, fundraising event where families can socialise, order their Christmas presents and raise funds for St Mary's, having watched/ taken part in Pampered Chef's demos and games. **15%** of every item ordered will go to St Mary's. There is no obligation to buy anything. It will be held in Garden Hall from **11am to 4pm** 120 tickets will be on sale, **£3** for adults and free for children under 12. All you need to do for now is put it in your diaries and watch this space!

VOLUNTEER DRIVERS NEEDED FOR TUESDAY LUNCHESES Could you help those who are no longer able to drive themselves to get to the weekly lunch. It would take about 2 hours of your time and we would try not to ask you more than once a month. Please contact Sylvia Davies familydavies@care4free.net or Liz Whitson liz@thewhitsonfamily.co.uk **07909 910171** for more information.

ABUNDANCE FRUIT DAY Please come along on **Saturday 17th September** **11.00am to 2.00pm** St Mark's Church garden (behind Wimbledon library). There will be a fruit press, jams, chutneys, local honey. Also a pie making demo, games and expert advice on fruit tree care. Bring along your own fruit for the fruit swap stall or make some juice. Music from the wonderful International Ukelele Orchestra. Grand Opening by the Mayor at **11.00am**

CAR FREE SUNDAYS will be held on the last Sunday of every month. Please note the following dates **25th September, 30th October and 27th November**. It's a great opportunity to cycle, walk or share transport to church if you can. It is also a chance to recycle your old mobiles, ink cartridges and chargers.

Services this Sunday Patronal Festival

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion	<i>president Rev Martin Booth</i>
9:30 a.m. Sung Eucharist	<i>president The Rector</i>
	<i>preacher the Area Dean</i>
11:15 a.m. Family Service	<i>officiant & talk Rev Martin Booth</i>
6.30 p.m. Sung Evensong	<i>officiant & preacher The Rector</i>

Hymns for Sung Eucharist 9.30am (HON) 467, 136, 552, 83, 518
Anthem: Ave Maria Bruckner

Hymns for Family Service 11.15am (HON) 284, 328, 269, 317

Sung Evensong 6.30pm (NEH) 332 (omit v2, 3), 387, 368, psalm 119 v 49-56
Anthem: Ave Maria Parsons

Readings: Ezekiel 201-8, 33-44, Acts 20.17- end

Services next Sunday 18th September Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion	<i>president Rev Martin Booth</i>
9:30 a.m. Sung Eucharist	<i>president Rev Martin Booth</i>
	<i>preacher Mrs Joan Ellis</i>
11:15 a.m. Family Service	<i>officiant & talk Rev Martin Booth</i>
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Contact

Rector
The Rev'd Mary Bide
020 8946 2830
Day off Friday

Reader
Mrs Joan Ellis

Asst. Curate
The Rev'd Martin Booth
020 8946 4494
Day off Monday

Youth Worker
Miss Catherine Parkes
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Team Ministry



Weekday Services in the Team

Daily Prayer is said at:

St Mary's at 8.45am–Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri

St Matthew's at 8.30am - Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri

The Eucharist is celebrated at:

St Matthew's at 10.00am – Wednesday

St Mark's at 12.30pm – Wednesday

St Mary's at 10.30am – Thursday

Toddler Praise is celebrated at:

St Mary's at 9.15am - Wednesday

Parish News

Abundance Wimbledon is a project to encourage people to pick fruit and to eat it. St Mark's Church will be hosting Wimbledon Fruit Day on **September 17th**. We'll have a fruit press and fruit related stalls. Have you got ideas about what to put on a stall? Do you have skills in baking with fruit or preserving it? Let us know email abundancewimbledon@gmail.com or speak to Juliet **8946 2514** or Joyce **8946 3750**.

Friday Lunchtime Recitals at St John's Church at 1.00pm. A full programme for the Autumn season commences on Friday 16th September. The Lauriston Trio performs Faure Piano Trio in D minor and the Piano Trio by Granados. Coffee and cakes are available from 12.15pm. Recitals last approximately 45 minutes and a collection is taken for the St John's Music Fund, suggested minimum donation **£5**. Everyone welcome.

Baby Sitting- James Gregg aged 17 is available for baby sitting. He is a pupil at St Cecilia's, Southfields and is also available to teach music theory as he is a Grade 8 trumpet player. Please call **07838040252**.

**Items for inclusion on this page should reach the Parish Office
(preferably by email) by Wednesday of each week**

The Parish Office, Fellowship House, 30 St Mary's Road, SW19 7BP. Tel: **8946 2605**
Usually open for enquiries from 9.00am-1.00pm and 2.30pm-4.00pm Monday to Friday
(**except Wednesday** when it will be open 2.30pm-4.00pm only).
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