

Welcome to
St Mary's
Church
Wimbledon

Sunday 20th November 2011
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.

NEW BIBLE STUDY at St Mary's, meeting every other Monday in Garden Hall, next meeting **Monday 28th November from 1.30-2.45pm**. Come along for tea or coffee and the next of six sessions on how we search for and find contentment. Let Catherine know if you are interested or have any questions on **07970969143** or email Catherine.parkes@o2.co.uk

CARDS FOR CHARITY Do you have a charity that you support? If you would like to sell cards or gifts for this charity at coffee, you can book a table (or half a table) for **Sunday 20th November and 27th November**. You will be responsible for setting up your stall. Book space through the Parish Office (first come first served).

TODDLER SERVICE is growing. We have therefore had to purchase new song books and music and a CD player at a cost of over **£200**. If you would like to make a financial contribution towards this important mission of the church please send your cheque (with completed gift aid form if possible) to the Parish Office.

TUESDAY LUNCH will be on **Tuesday 22nd November** at the home of **Valerie Allen with Ann Hodgson, 12 Alan Road, SW19**. From **12.00pm to 1.30pm**. All welcome. **£2.50** in aid of the homeless.

MAX BARLEY: PIANO / ORGAN TEACHING AND ACCOMPANIMENT
Friendly, enthusiastic and professional piano and organ tuition to students of all ages from beginner level to **ABRSM Grade 8**. Available to accompany ABRSM and Guildhall/ Trinity Grade exams and to offer aural and sight-reading preparation. Lessons in schools, homes or church(organ must be in church) **£20 for 30 mins. £30 for 60 mins**. Available on weekdays, weekends and evenings.
Email max.barley89@gmail.com or t: **07581497335**

GRAPEVINE – the next issue will be out in December. We'd like to start a letters page- who would like to get the ball rolling? And also a 'Wanted' section. Does anyone have any past memories that they'd like to write about? Would you care to 'share a prayer' or a short reading that you are fond of? (with a few words about why you chose it). Or write about 'Your favourite church apart from St Mary's'? Contributions from all ages welcome. Please email your copy and photos to andriannamaimaris@hotmail.com

PARISH QUIZ The 4th Annual Parish Quiz will be held in Garden Hall at **7.30pm on Friday 25th November**. Tickets will be **£15 each (£10 under 18s)** to include supper. Please try to get together teams of six or you can book individual tickets and join a St Mary's team. Early bookings to John Bush on **07850 205949** or john@thebushes.net Tickets will be on sale on Sunday morning coffee from late October. Put the date in your diaries and get up a team!

FAITH IN ACTION UPDATE St Mary's is hoping to participate in the Faith in Action Night Shelter Scheme every Wednesday night in January 2012. We have been delighted by the interest and enthusiasm shown by St Mary's. The next stage is, if you know you will be free in January and still want to take part, to sign up for the mandatory training. Please choose one of two dates: **Saturday 3rd December 9.00am- 1.00pm** or **Sunday 11th December 1.00pm -5.00pm**. Venue to be announced. Please let Alice know at alicefookes@yahoo.com or John Bush on john@thebushes.net or the Parish Office, which date you are able to do.

CAR FREE Sundays or **LOCARbon** Sundays as they will now be known will be held on the last Sunday of every month. Please note the following dates: **29th January, 26th February, 29th April , 27th May** It's a great opportunity to cycle, walk or share transport to church if you can. Also it's a chance to bring your old mobiles, ink cartridges and chargers for recycling.

PLEASE KEEP OFF THE GRASS between the halls as it has been seeded.

Services this Sunday Christ the King

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| 8:00 a.m. Holy Communion | <i>president The Rector</i> |
| 9:30 a.m. Sung Eucharist | <i>president & preacher Rev Cynthia Jackson</i> |
| 11:15 a.m. Family Service | <i>officiant The Rector</i> <i>talk Miss Catherine Parkes</i> |
| 6.30 p.m. Sung Evensong | <i>officiant & preacher The Rector</i> |

Hymns for Sung Eucharist 9.30am (NEH) 338, 388, 332 (omit *), 457 (tune i), 352

Anthem: Lift up ye heads *Handel*

Organ Voluntary: Prelude in C Minor (BMV 546) *J S Bach*

Hymns for Family Service 11.15am (HON) 46 (tune ii), 335, 273, 81 (tune i)

Hymns for Evensong 6.30pm (NEH) 215 (tune 434), 355, 345, psalm 93

Anthem: O Quam Gloriosam Victoria

Readings: 2 Samuel 23.1-7, Matthew 28.16- end

Services next Sunday 27th November Advent Sunday

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| 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 The Rector</i> |
| 11.15am Family Service | <i>officiant & talk The Rector</i> |
| 6.30pm Carol Service | |

Contact

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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 at:

St Mary's at 9.15am- Wednesday

Parish News

Plum Pudding! Join us at St Matthew's for an evening of music, poetry and prose for Christmas with the Ariel Consort of London, directed by Douglas Lee. Entitled Plum Pudding the concert will take place on **Saturday 10th December at 7.30pm**. Entrance **£7** with mince pies and mulled wine available at the interval. Contact Mary-Ann Ward for details ma62@tinyworld.co.uk

Charity Christmas Cards – Cards for Good Causes, the multi charity Christmas card shop, will be open at St Mark's selling cards, advent calendars, gift tags and wrap **Monday to Saturday** from **10.00am to 4.00pm** until **15th December**.

Wimbledon Music Festival 12-27 November Now in its third year, the Wimbledon Music Festival offers a fortnight of dazzling concerts by artist of international stature, mostly at **St John's and Sacred Heart Churches**. Highlights include Bach's *Mass in B Minor*, concerts by Joanna MacGregor, Trevor Pinnock, the Brodsky Quartet, Rachel Podger with Brecon Baroque, the Russian pianist Mikhail Rudy, Leeds Competition winner Sunwook Kim and two performances of a spectacular new production of Britten's *Noyes Fludde* involving many Wimbledon children and costumes and giant puppets created by the Wimbledon College of Art. Please collect a brochure from the porch at St John's.

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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