



Welcome to  
**St Mary's**  
**Church**  
Wimbledon

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> January**  
**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.

**WINTER FUEL CAMPAIGN** –Donate your fuel allowance and help someone in Merton. Wimbledon Guild will receive your donations to help local people with food, clothing and heating bills. You can pick up a leaflet to do this at the cross aisles, see the web site [wimbledonguild.co.uk](http://wimbledonguild.co.uk) or call Jane Platts on **8946 0735** to find out more details.

**TUESDAY LUNCH** will be on **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> January** at the home of **Libby Robins, 66 Church Road, SW19**. From **12.00pm to 1.30pm**. All welcome. **£3.00** in aid of the homeless.

**SPIRES CENTRE APPEAL** Thank you to everyone who took part in the appeal. Around fifty beautifully decorated shoe boxes were gratefully received by the Spires Centre on Christmas Eve!

**FAITH IN ACTION NIGHT SHELTER** in January on Wednesday evenings. We will be providing shelter and a hot meal and breakfast for twelve homeless

people. We need to purchase bedding rolls and provisions. If you would like to contribute to this, please make a cheque payable to the church clearly marked "night shelter" and leave it in the Parish Office. We also need donations of 2<sup>nd</sup> hand clothes, especially men's jeans, warm socks, waterproof anoraks etc. These too can be left at the Parish Office.

**POETIC LICENCE 2** We shall be presenting 'Poetic Licence 2' on **Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> February at 7.30pm** in Garden Hall. This will be a new programme of poetry and prose read and performed by a group of St Mary's regulars. If you came to the first Poetic Licence and enjoyed it, spread the word...if you did not come last time, make sure you put the date in your diaries. Tickets are now on sale at **£10** each (£5 for under 18s) & include a glass of wine and light refreshments; available from John Bush **07850 205949** or [john@thebushes.net](mailto:john@thebushes.net)

**MAX BARLEY: PIANO / ORGAN TEACHING AND ACCOMPANIMENT**  
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**CAN YOU HELP** at Deen City Farm in Merton? We urgently need active, creative and enthusiastic volunteers to help us out with leading our very popular school farm tours during term time and in the holidays. The tours usually take place on a Tuesday and Thursday but we can be flexible. If you would like more information please contact Rose Fookes, Education Officer at Deen City Farm on **8545 2173** or email [education@deencityfarm.co.uk](mailto:education@deencityfarm.co.uk)

**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: **29<sup>th</sup> January, 26<sup>th</sup> February, 29<sup>th</sup> April, 27<sup>th</sup> May**

## Services this Sunday Epiphany

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion	<i>president The Rector</i>
9:30 a.m. Sung Eucharist	<i>president &amp; preacher The Rector</i>
11:15 a.m. Family Service	<i>officiant &amp; talk The Rector</i>
6.30 p.m. Sung Evensong	<i>officiant &amp; preacher The Rector</i>

**Hymns for Sung Eucharist 9.30am (NEH) 49, 48, 52, 23, 55**

**Hymns for Family Service 11.15am (HON) 41, 537, 486, 317**

**Sung Evensong 6.30pm (NEH) 47, 56 (omit 3 & 4), 49 (tune 2), psalm 46**

**Readings: Isaiah 60.1-9, John 2.1-11**

## Services next Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> January Second Sunday of Epiphany

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9:30 a.m. Sung Eucharist	<i>president The Rector</i> <i>preacher Rev Martin Booth</i>
11:15 a.m. Family Service	<i>officiant The Rector</i> <i>talk Mrs Johanna Hearn</i>
6.30p.m. Sung Evensong	<i>officiant Rev Martin Booth</i> <i>Preacher Rev Canon Hum Mosford</i>

## 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 celebrated at:

St Mary's at 9.15am - Wednesday

### Parish News

**Lunchtime Recital** at St John's on **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> January at 1.00pm**. Leonie Adams *cello* and Michael Higgins *piano* perform Prokofiev 'Sonata and Piazzolla Libertango'. Coffee and delicious homemade cakes are available from **12.30pm**. Free admission with a retiring collection for the St John's Music Fund.

**Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> January, 7.00pm** at St John's. Leonie Adams *cello* and Michael Higgins *piano* perform Beethoven's 'Sonata in G minor' and Franck 'Sonata in A'.

Tickets **£10** (under 18s free) available at the door. This is a fundraising concert for their tour of New Zealand during February, with concerts and workshops in Auckland, Hastings, Wellington, Nelson and Christchurch.

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**Local Art Exhibition** The Stafford Gallery presents 'An Exhibition of Scottish Paintings' from 29<sup>th</sup> January to 11<sup>th</sup> February at Wimbledon Fine Art, 41 Church Road. For further information or a catalogue call **07939 048436** or [judy@staffordgallery.co.uk](mailto:judy@staffordgallery.co.uk)

**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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