

Welcome to St Mary's Church Wimbledon

Sunday 12th February 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.

TUESDAY LUNCH will be on a half term break on Tuesday 14th February.

UNDERSTANDING THE OLD TESTAMENT A series of study sessions, 8.00pm at 38 Marryat Road, SW19 led by Mary Bide and Martin Booth; February 15th Wisdom and poetry.

LENT LECTURES in Garden Hall at 8.00pm: February 29th Dying with Christ- the death of Jesus in Paul, Dr Paula Gooder; March 7th Rising with Christ- the resurrection of Jesus in Paul, Dr Paula Gooder; March 14th Heaven and the revelation of St John, Revd Dr Marilyn Parry; March 21st Life after death in the bible, Revd Dr Keith Ward

LENT GROUP a look at the New Testament Book of Hebrews at 8, Leopold Terrace, Dora Road, SW19 on Wednesdays at **2.30pm** beginning from **29th February**. All welcome.

ART LECTURE AND SUPPER An illustrated talk on David Hockney's work by well known art historian Barrie Graham followed by supper on Saturday 18th February at 6.30pm for 7.00pm in Garden Hall. In aid of TsungiriraiUK, a charity funding an Aids orphan centre in Zimbabwe. Tickets £30 including supper. Further details and tickets are available from Barbara Elks email <u>barbaraelks@hotmail.com</u> phone 89460191 or 07791249479.

DO YOU REMEMBER ARTHUR 'ARCHIE' THORNE? BBC programme Heir Hunters are seeking information about him. He was born in 1911, lived for a time in Arthur Road and was a regular at the church in the 50s and 60s. He was keen singer and possibly sang in the choir. He walked with a pronounced limp. He lived laterally in Cambridge Road and died in 2003. If you do have any information please contact the Parish Office.

WINTER WALK the Sunday school's Winter walk is on Saturday 25th February. Meet at 2pm outside the White Horse pub in Shere. All welcome.

WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER on Friday 2nd March. Please join one of the services at St Mark's at 11.00am or Raynes Park Methodist Church at 8.00pm as mentioned in Parish News. We particularly hope to find singers to augment the choir at the morning service. Are you free? Also we need two more readers for the evening service, if you would be prepared to take part please contact Mary Ann Turnbull 8947 6550 or maturnbull@aol.com

MAX BARLEY: PLANO / ORGAN TEACHING AND ACCOMPANIMENT 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. Weekdays, weekends or evenings. Email max.barley89@gmail.com or t: 07581497335

LOW CARBON SUNDAYS will continue to be held on the last Sunday of every month. Please note the following dates: 26th February, 25th March, 29th April, 27th May

GRAPEVINE The deadline for the next issue is 26th February. All contributions should be in by this date. Would you like to 'Share a Prayer' or a St Mary's anecdote? Any other ideas or suggestions gratefully received. Please send your articles and photos to andriannamaimaris@hotmail.com

ST MARYS MOTHER AND TODDLER GROUP Every Monday during term time 9.30am-11.15 in Garden Hall. Lots of play time, singing and refreshments for pre-school children and parents/ carers.

BISHOP GILPIN PRIMARY SCHOOL are looking for a volunteer to be responsible for the accounts for its Governors Fund. The job requires someone with basic accountancy skills and would not involve much work. If you could help, please contact Greig Hilton for more details: governor.Greig.Hilton@bishopgilpin.org

MERTON SHELTER Many thanks to all the volunteers and caterers who have helped to make the shelter such a success. The shelter was certainly appreciated by all the guests we looked after. Many thanks also for all the donations of clothes and financial contributions. If you would still like to contribute please, make a cheque payable to St Mary's Church clearly marked Night Shelter and leave it at the Parish Office. No more clothing donations please.

POETIC LICENCE 2 Many thanks to everyone who came and supported us last Saturday. Many thanks to performers and caterers who made it a very enjoyable evening. We also raised £331 for the Renewal Fund.

LOCAL ACCOMMODATION SOUGHT for a brother and sister aged 18 and 20 during the Tennis Championships. Working nightshifts. Willing to pay. For further information contact <u>Jeanette.davey1@btinternet.com</u> or 01789299145

Services this Sunday Second Sunday before Lent

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion 9:30 a.m. Sung Eucharist 11:15 a.m. Family Service 6.30 p.m. Sung Evensong

president Rev Martin Booth

president & preacher Rev Bruce Rickards

officiant & talk Rev Martin Booth

officiant Rev Martin Booth

preacher Mrs Joan Ellis

Hymns for Sung Eucharist 9.30am (HON) 46 (tune 1), 262, 311, 7, 81 (tune 2)

Hymns for Family Service 11.15am (HON) 270, 46 (tune 2), 126, 317

Sung Evensong 6.30pm (NEH) 256, 354, 263 (omit*), psalm 65

Readings: Genesis 2.4b - end, Luke 8.22-35

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president The Rector

president Rev Martin Booth

preacher The Rector

officiant The Rector

talk Miss Catherine Parkes

officiant & Preacher The Rector

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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

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Wednesday 15th February at St John's Church 10.30am Classics with my Baby the classical concert series for mums andbabies. The theme is Once Upon a Time featuring Philippa Mo violin and Miamiao Yu piano. Meet the beautiful Scheherezade, Peer Gynt comes face to face with Troll King. Tickets adults £10 at the door, discounts available online, children FREE

Mozart Requiem by The Ariel Consort of London, conductor Douglas Lee in aid of Marie Curie Cancer Care and St Matthew's Church. On Saturday 25th February at 7.30pm at St Matthew's Church. Tickets are £10 each and can be purchased from: justgiving.com/douglasleemozartrequiem or ask Alice Child 8942 9050 for any further information.

Friday 2nd March is Women's World Day of Prayer This year with the theme Let Justice Prevail, as prepared by Christian women from Malaysia. The services are at St Mark's at 11.00am and at Raynes Park Methodist Church at 8.00pm with refreshments after both. There will be a crèche at the St Mark's service. Helpers are still required so if you plan to attend in the morning please contact Paula Thorvaldsen-Brits 8947 4348.

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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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