



Welcome to
St Mary's
Church
Wimbledon

Sunday 23rd March 2014
St Mary's News

WELCOME TO ST MARY'S

If you are a newcomer, please introduce yourself, and join us for coffee in 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.

LENT GROUP led by Joan Ellis at 8 Leopold Terrace. The course is entitled "Giving it up" and is meeting on **Wednesday afternoons at 2pm commencing until 9th April**. All welcome.

LENT CALL: Please contribute to the Bishop's Lent Call, which supports projects locally and in our link Diocese. **Envelopes are available at the Cross Aisles.**

The third of this year's **LENT LECTURES** takes place in Garden Hall on **Wednesday 26th March at 8pm**. The Rev'd Professor Alister McGrath, King's College London, will be speaking on "**C S Lewis, Disciple and Prophet**"

The next **JULIAN MEETING** (silent prayer group) will be held on **Thursday 3rd April 11.30-12.30** at Shara Leonard's home, **5 Montana Road, SW20**, led by Johanna Hearn. Parking on Montana Road requires permits, which are handed out on arrival. Everyone is very welcome.

MOTHERING SUNDAY POSY MAKING: Helpers (especially men!) sought to make up the posies to distribute on Mothering Sunday. Meet on **Saturday 29th March at 10.30am in Fellowship House**. The more helpers the better & no previous experience required!

FINDING PAUL led by Rev'd Christopher Griffiths: 4 sessions on the life and teaching of St Paul, being held on **Friday mornings 11am-12 noon, beginning 21st March**, at the Rose & Crown Pub in Wimbledon Village. No prior knowledge of Paul necessary! Please RSVP to Christopher, so we have an idea of numbers, to wimbledonteamcurate@gmail.com or **020 8879 0788**

ST MARY'S CHOIR SINGS ST JOHN PASSION BY J S BACH, with players from London's leading early music ensembles (OAE, English Baroque Soloists) on **30th March 2014 at 8pm**. Tickets **£10 (£5 concessions)** may be reserved by emailing music@stmaryswimbledon.org or from **St Mary's Parish Office 020 8946 2605**.

THE SIDESMEN'S ROTA for the **April-June quarter** has been sent out to most sidesmen by email. Would those not on the email distribution please collect their copies from the cross-aisles. Thank you.

MOTHERING SUNDAY CAKE SALE on **Sunday 30th March, 10.45-11.15am** at church coffee in the Garden Hall. All proceeds will go to HOPEHIV. **DONATIONS GREATLY APPRECIATED**; please contact Naveen Harris for more information at naveen.harris12@gmail.com, or if you would like to donate cakes to be sold. Thank you very much.

CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL: The annual revision of the church electoral roll is about to take place. If your name is not already on the roll and you wish to be included (eg because you have joined the congregation during the past year or recently reached the age of 16) please complete an application form (forms are available at the cross aisles) **and return it to the Parish Office or to one of the Clergy. Completed forms must be returned by Tuesday 1 April**. If you are already on the roll but your name/address/email address has changed please let us know (making clear that you are already on the roll) so that we may update the roll accordingly.

The next TUESDAY LUNCH will be on Tuesday 25th March hosted by Patricia Finch, 18 Murray Road, SW19 4PB, 12.00pm to 1.30pm. All welcome. Access is via a couple of steps. Two parking spaces available on the drive, or pay & display on the street. **Cost £4 in aid of Bishop's Lent Call**.

GRAPEVINE NEWSLETTER: please send your contributions to the summer edition of the GV to **Nadia Hiller, the editor**, at nadia@hillierassociates.com. Pieces should be no longer than about 300 words and if you'd like to discuss before writing, then do please get in touch with Nadia. Many thanks!

FRIENDS OF BISHOP GILPIN SCHOOL ART EXHIBITION on **Friday 28th March 1.30-6.30pm** in **St Mary's Garden Hall**. An opportunity to buy an original piece of children's artwork in aid of: "A Love of Reading", new BG school library, Faith in Action and Mabale School Zimbabwe. More information from **Lucy Uden** at lucy@circuslive.co.uk

Services this Sunday, Third Sunday of Lent

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion	<i>president & preacher The Rector</i>
9.30 a.m. Sung Eucharist	<i>president & preacher The Rector</i> <i>deacon Mrs Johanna Hearn</i>
11.15 a.m. Family Service	<i>president & preacher The Rector</i>
6.30 p.m. Sung Evensong	<i>officiant & preacher The Rector</i>

Hymns for Sung Eucharist 9.30am (NEH) 383, 357, 376, 73 (tune ii), 461 (tune Corvedale)

Readings: Exodus 17. 1-7, Romans 5. 1-11, John 4. 5-42

Anthem: Tantum Ergo, Durufle

Hymns for Family Service 11.15am (HON) 221, 39, 256, 158 (Tune 2)

Hymns for Sung Evensong 6.30pm (NEH) 368, 449, 452

Readings: Joshua 1. 1-9, Ephesians 6. 10-20 Psalm: 40

Anthem: Teach Me, O Lord, Byrd

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Contact

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**[www.southwark.anglican.org/what/
diocesan-policies-procedures](http://www.southwark.anglican.org/what/diocesan-policies-procedures)**

Team Ministry



Weekday Services in the Team

Daily Prayer will be said at:

St Mary's at 8.45am – Mon, 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 1.00pm – Wednesday

St Mary's at 10.30am – Thursday

Toddler Praise is at:

St Mary's at 9.15am – Wednesday

Parish News

FOUNTAIN GROUP: a Wimbledon Parish initiative welcoming full-time and part-time supporters of the elderly or those with dementia. Next meeting **Wednesday 26th March 11am-12 noon**. Please contact Rev'd Christopher Griffiths or Shara Leonard at wimbledonteamcurate@gmail.com or familyleonard@blueyonder.co.uk

TREASURER needed for Sustainable Merton, a friendly local environmental charity. Details from ruthbaber@hotmail.com

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QUIZ NIGHT at **St Mark's Church** on **Saturday 5th April, 7pm**, hosted by Chris Cordory to raise funds to run the London Marathon in aid of MS Society. Tickets **£15** to include 2 course dinner and a drink. Sign up as a team of 8 or join a team on the night. Contact **Bethan Jenkins** (bsjenkins@live.co.uk) or **Chris** (chris.msfundraising@hotmail.co.uk)

THAMES YOUTH CHOIR, a mixed voice choir based at Tiffin School, directed by Max Barley, sing two Handel Coronation Anthems with instrumentalists, and other works at **St John's Church** on **Tuesday 25th March, 7.30pm**. Tickets **£5 on the door**.

LUNCHTIME RECITAL **Friday 28 March 1pm** at **St John's Church**. The Lauriston Piano Quartet plays Strauss Piano Quartet in C Minor. Coffee & delicious homemade cakes available from 12.30pm. Free admission, retiring collection for St John's Music Fund.

Chilean concert pianist **FELIPE BROWN** is performing at **St John's Church** on **Saturday 24th May, 7.30pm**. All profits to St John's & The Passion Trust. Tickets **£25** (with Chilean wine!) at www.bmycharity.com/FelipeBrowne or **St Mary's Parish Office 020 8946 2605**

Please send news items (via email) to the Parish Office 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 9am-1pm and 2pm-4pm Monday-Friday

www.stmaryswimbleton.org email: parish.office@stmaryswimbleton.org