



Welcome to St Mary's Church

Wimbledon

Sunday 10th January 2016

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.

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CAROL SINGING – the street carol singing and a visit by the choir to Cannizaro House Hotel raised a total of £415.90 for the Children's Society. Well done to everyone who took part despite the rain.

SPIRES CENTRE – some 70 beautifully wrapped boxes were gratefully received at the Spires Centre on Christmas Eve. Thank you to everyone who found the time to prepare a box.

TUESDAY LUNCHESES : the first get together of the New Year is on this Tuesday 12th January, 12-1.30pm, at the home of Donald Broad, 36 Copse Hill, SW20 0HG.

Access is via a small step to the front door. There is room for 2 cars on the drive, otherwise free parking in the road.

CHORAL SCHOLARSHIPS AT ST MARY'S: we are looking for four promising teenage singers (ideally in years 11 or 12, and one of each voice part, but an organist would also be considered) to join St Marys Choir from January for Friday evening rehearsals and Sunday services, and to follow the excellent work of our current three who will support them. The scholarship is £500. Please spread the word. For more info contact max.barley89@gmail.com

WE HOPE YOU ENJOYED THE CHRISTMAS EDITION OF THE GRAPEVINE? There are many ways you can enjoy Grapevine: hard copy, via the website or electronically. If you would prefer to receive a copy by email, please contact us at wimbledongrapevine@gmail.com and we will ensure a copy is emailed to you as soon as it comes out.

IDEAS FOR THE GRAPEVINE WELCOME. We couldn't put the Grapevine together without contributions from our congregation members. So if you have any ideas on articles, would like to write a piece for inclusion or have any feedback on how you feel the publication could be improved we would love to hear from you. Please contact wimbledongrapevine@gmail.com.

NIGHT SHELTER IS RUNNING WEEKLY throughout December and January. Donations of cotton sweatshirts, t-shirts, men's belts, outdoor jackets, anoraks, waterproofs, hats, gloves, scarves, socks & men's boots & trainers always welcome. Cotton items are most in demand. Please contact the Parish Office if you can help.

WE COLLECT FOR THE WIMBLEDON FOODBANK ON EVERY FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH. Our Foodbank provides emergency food and supplies for local people in desperate need. In October it fed 283 people (including 115 children). Long life milk, part baked bread/rolls, baguettes, squash, sponge puddings, medium sized soap powder and fabric conditioner, shower gel and shampoo are much needed. Donations from St Mary's really matter. Please do help to make a difference if you possibly can.

Services this Sunday 10th January 2016, Baptism of Christ

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion	<i>president & preacher Rev'd Christopher Griffiths</i>
9.30 a.m. Sung Eucharist	<i>president The Rector</i> <i>preacher Rev'd Christopher Griffiths</i>
11.15 a.m. Family Service & Holy Baptism	<i>leader & talk The Rector</i>
6:30 pm Choral Evensong	<i>president & preacher The Rector</i>

Hymns for Sung Eucharist 9.30am (HON): 193, 392 (tune i), 90, 287 (tune ii), 317

Readings: Isaiah 43. 1-7, Acts 8. 14-17, Luke 3. 15-17, 21-22

Anthem: With a Voice of Singing, Shaw

Hymns for Family Service 11.15am (HON): 56, 375, 454, 284

Hymns for Choral Evensong 6.30pm (NEH): 58 (tune 128 ii), 271, 252

Readings: Isaiah 55. 1-11, Romans 6. 1-11 Psalm: 46

Setting: Murrill in E

Anthem: My soul, there is a country, Parry

Services next Sunday 17th January 2016, Second Sunday of Epiphany

10.30 a.m. Parish Eucharist	<i>president & preacher The Rector</i>
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Full details of Diocesan procedures can be found in the vestry or at:

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, Tue, 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

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LUNCHTIME RECITAL AT ST JOHN'S: Friday 15th January, 1pm with Charlotte Edwards (violin) and Muriel Levin (piano). Coffee and delicious homemade cakes available from 12.30pm. Admission free with retiring collection for St John's Music Fund.

ADVENTURES IN ANGLICANISM, a joint venture of Whitelands College, Roehampton University & the local deaneries, provides an opportunity to explore themes related to contemporary Christian life and faith. **You are cordially invited to our next series "Living Spirit and Reason" on Thursdays 14th, 21st and 28th January at 7pm for 7.30pm.** There is no cost, but please book a place with the College Officer, Paul Coward at paul.coward@roehampton.ac.uk or 020 8392 3511. On enrolment you will receive readings to help you prepare for the sessions.

URSULINE HIGH SCHOOL, Crescent Road, SW20 8HA is recruiting a Finance Officer required from 1st April 2016. For further information please visit: www.emmausrecruitment.com/client/ursuline-high-school-1058.htm. Closing date for applications is 18th January 2016.

Please send news items (via email) to the Parish Office by Wednesday of each week

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