



Welcome to
**St Mary's
Church**
Wimbledon
Sunday 13th March 2016

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 LECTURE: Reflections on The Passion of Christ on **Wednesday 16th March 8-9pm** in **St Mary's Garden Hall**. Last lecture entitled 'My kingdom is not of this world', to be given by Rev'd Chris Griffiths.

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** (available at the cross aisles) and return it to the Parish Office or to one of the Clergy. **Completed forms must be returned by Monday 28 March**. If you are already on the roll but your name/address/email has changed, please let us know (making it clear you are already on the roll) so that we may update the roll accordingly.

This year the theme of the **BISHOP OF SOUTHWARK'S LENT CALL** is "Caring for the **Whole Person**" and will support projects in the Holy Land, Zimbabwe and this Diocese including education, healthcare and employment initiatives. **Envelopes for donations are available at the cross aisles. All donations make a difference. Last year the Diocese was able to give almost £80,000 as a result of congregations' generous giving.**

EASTER MINDFULNESS COURSES for Exam Students. Are you aged 15-19? Does your to-do list seem out of control and would you like to learn how to ease up? In just 4 hours we will introduce you to some of the latest relaxation techniques that really work. Held in **Garden Hall, St Mary's between 10am-12 noon. Course 1: 30th March and 1st April, or Course 2: 6th April and 8th April.** For more info & registration form email **Clare Morgan, Mindfulness Practitioner and Charlotte Ennis, Life Coach** at: 2thinkmindfulness@gmail.com

There will be **NO TRADICRAFT STALL** today **13th March**.

THE CHOIR OF ST MARY'S performs **Membra Jesu Nostri** by **Buxtehude** with professional baroque instrumentalists conducted by **Max Barley** on **Sunday 20th March, 6.30pm** at **St Mary's Church**. **Admission free with retiring collection**.

ST MARY'S BEEKEEPING GROUP will soon build and prepare the first hive before placement in the churchyard. If you wish to lend physical or moral support, please join them in Fellowship House on **Saturday 19th March from 1pm**.

DIOCESAN PRAYER & SPIRITUALITY DAY: Saturday 16th April 10am - 4pm, Southwark Cathedral. Theme: 'Awakening: meet the risen Jesus in daily life'. Speakers **Margaret Silf & Bishop Christopher Chessun**. See flyers at cross aisles or poster in Garden Hall for details. **Tickets £5 each or £20 per parish (up to 8 people)**. **Cynthia Jackson** has booking forms or contact **Caroline Wakelam-Jones:awakening@southwark.anglican.org** or **0207 939 9475**

TUESDAY LUNCHESES have an outing on **Tuesday 15th March, 12-1.30pm** to **The Potting Shed Café, Morden Hall Garden Centre**. Anyone interested should call **Simone Tromans 07747 804 926**. Access on the flat. Free car park with disabled spaces. Cost **£6**.

COULD YOU OCCASIONALLY HELP AT SATURDAY BAPTISM SERVICES? Once, sometimes twice a month we have a Baptism service at 12 noon on a Saturday. It is very useful to have another person present to set up, hand out orders of service and tidy up afterwards. It is something that can be done with a child plus adult. **If you might be able to help, please contact Rosie Barbour at rbarbour@hotmail.co.uk**

Please note there will be **NO dawn service at St Mary's this Easter Day**. However, there will be **two Dawn Services in the Parish: one at St Mark's, one at St Matthew's, both at 6am**. Members of St Mary's are invited to attend either of these. We are holding an **Easter breakfast for the congregation in Garden Hall between the 8am and 9.30 services on Easter Sunday**.

CHURCH CLEANING: Can you spare **1 hour a month** to help keep our splendid church spick and span? Tasks include tidying, dusting, polishing, but **NO HOOVERING!** Groups meet on **Friday mornings from 9.00am or Friday afternoons from 2.30pm**. Very sociable! If you are able to help please email **Anita Wilson: anita.wilson@talktalk.net** or call **020 8127 0582**

We continue to collect for WIMBLEDON FOODBANK which provides emergency food & supplies for local people in desperate need. In December it fed over 800 people (over 300 in Christmas week alone) and now urgently needs long life milk, squash, tinned peas, carrots, peaches, fruit salad & tomatoes & also ketchup. Medium sized soap powder, fabric conditioner, soap and shower gel are also much needed. Donations from St. Mary's are hugely appreciated.

LOW CARBON SUNDAYS – Last Sunday of the Month. You are encouraged to leave your car at home. Do read the leaflet at the cross aisles entitled 'Nine Ways to live Gently on earth'.

Services this Sunday 13th March 2016, Fifth Sunday of Lent

8:00 a.m.	Holy Communion	<i>president & preacher Rev'd Christopher Griffiths</i>
9.30 a.m.	Sung Eucharist	<i>president Rev'd Christopher Griffiths</i> <i>preacher Rev'd Canon Pettersen</i>
11.15 a.m.	Family Service	<i>leader Rev'd Christopher Griffiths</i> <i>talk Mrs Catherine Linsley</i>
6:30 pm	Choral Evensong	<i>president & preacher Rev'd Dr Helen Orchard</i>

Hymns for Sung Eucharist 9.30am (HON): 492, 148, 549 (tune 1), 446 (tune 1), 303 (omit v 5-9)

Readings: Isaiah 43. 16-21; Philippians 3.4b-14; John 12. 1-8

Anthem: TBC

Voluntary: TBC

Hymns for Family Service 11.15am (HON): 500,345, 148, 226

Hymns for Choral Evensong 6.30pm (NEH): 73 (tune 1), 82, 83

Readings: 2 Chronicles 35.1-6, 10-16; Luke 22: 1-13 **Psalm: 35**

Responses: Rose

Setting: Gibbons' Short Service

Anthem: Bin ich gleich von dir gewichen, *Bach*

Voluntary: Fantasia in C Minor, *JS Bach* BWV 562

Services next Sunday 20th March 2016, Palm Sunday

8:00 a.m.	Holy Communion	<i>president & preacher Rev'd Cynthia Jackson</i>
9.30 a.m.	Sung Eucharist	<i>president Rev'd Christopher Griffiths</i> <i>preacher no sermon</i>
11.15 a.m.	Family Service	<i>leader Rev'd Christopher Griffiths</i> <i>talk Rev'd Cynthia Jackson</i>
6:30 pm	Choral Evensong	<i>president & preacher: no sermon</i>

Contact

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

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Weekday Services in the Team

Daily Prayer will be said at:

St Mary's at 8.45am – Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs

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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FOUNTAIN GROUP welcomes carers of the elderly and those with dementia. **Our next meeting is on Wednesday 23rd March** when Rev'd canon Hilary Johnson will be our guest. **There will be no Fountain Group on 30th March.** Please contact Rev'd Christopher Griffiths at wimbledonteamcurate@gmail.com or Shara Leonard at familyleonard@blueyonder.co.uk

Volunteer for **WIMBLEDON GUILD VILLAGE FAIR** on **Saturday 18th June.** Spare a few hours for charity. Help by shaking a bucket, selling raffle tickets, setting up. Call **0208 946 0735** or volunteer@wimbledonvillagefair.co.uk

SONORO (a new professional chamber choir founded by Neil Ferris (Wimbledon Choral Society) & our own Michael Higgins (St John's) sings at **St James's Piccadilly, Friday 1st April, 7.30pm.** Concert of "French Romantics" includes Durufle's Quatre motets, Poulenc's Exultate Deo and Faure's Requiem accompanied by string quintet and organ. **Tickets £16-£28 (concessions over-65s, under 16s & students) available at www.sonoromusic.com** with a special 10% discount for congregation members of Wimbledon parish using code WTM0104.

LUNCHTIME RECITAL AT ST JOHN'S: **Friday 15th April, 1pm with Rebecca Bell (soprano) and Anthea Fry (piano).** Coffee & delicious cakes available from 12.30pm. Admission free with retiring collection for St John's Music Fund.

MUSIC BY THE COMMONS: **Saturday 9th April, 7.30pm, St John's Church, Spencer Hill.** Tickets **£12, £10 (concessions) at the door. Full-time students & pupils free.**
Contact: **0208 879 1498** or www.musicbythecommons.org.uk

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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: **020 8946 2605**
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