



Welcome to St Mary's Church

Wimbledon

Sunday 9th October 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.

HARVEST DONATIONS: please leave your donations of non perishable goods at today's services. Wimbledon Guild will be collecting them to distribute to our neighbours in need. Thank you.

WE WELCOME OUR VISITING OFFICIANTS and PREACHERS to St Mary's today:

Bishop Michael Doe, Assistant Bishop Southwark; Rev'd Richard Dryer, Curate Emmanuel;
Rev'd Andrew Wakefield, Vicar of St Andrew's.

If you wish to attend **The Rector's INDUCTION SERVICE** on Wednesday 16th November at 8pm, please take an invitation from the cross aisles and return the slip at the bottom to the Parish Office by Friday 4th November at the latest.

HUGH MARSHALL, Wimbledon Team Rector from 1973 to 1987, died peacefully on Wednesday morning. **The funeral will take place at Deddington Church, North Oxfordshire on 28th October, time TBC.** Our thoughts and prayers are with Diana and their family at this time.

St Mary's will be hosting the **MERTON WINTER NIGHT SHELTER** again this year throughout December and January. The shelter is in Garden Hall on Wednesday nights into Thursday mornings where we provide a cooked supper, warm and safe overnight accommodation and breakfast, for twelve guests who would otherwise be on the streets. **We need more volunteers, especially for the overnight and breakfast shifts. Also, drivers who can transport the guests' baggage between venues during the day.** If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Jane Bush on 07740 818 080 or jane@thebushes.net or speak to John Bush.

The **TUESDAY LUNCH** will be held on Tuesday 11th October at the home of Alice Fookes, 408 Wimbledon Park Road, SW19 6PN. Steep drive, a couple of steps to front door. Pay and display nearby, free parking in Princes Way or Wimbledon Park. Cost £4 in aid of Traidcraft.

LIGHT PARTY, Friday 29th October, 4-6pm in Garden Hall, for 5-12 year olds. Younger children are welcome, but an adult must stay. **To RSVP, please contact Catherine.**

WOC - the new choir for anyone aged (roughly) 70 and above, who enjoys singing, meets THIS AFTERNOON, Sunday 9th October at 2.15pm. All welcome!

ST MARY'S CHOIR sings Durufle Requiem and Bach Jauchzet Gott in Allen Landen at St Mary's Church on Saturday 15th October at 7.30pm, conducted by Max Barley with professional instrumentalists. Tickets £15 (includes a drink) or £10 (under 18's free) from: music@stmaryswimbleton.org, or on the door. The choir will also be performing the Durufle Requiem at the **Brandenburg Choral Festival on 10th November**, along with Monteverdi Beatus Vir and Mozart Missa Brevis, at **St Sepulchre-without-Newgate, Holborn Viaduct, EC1A 2DQ.** Discounted tickets for friends of the choir are at: www.brandenburg.org.uk/stmarys

IT & SYSTEMS EXPERT NEEDED. The IT system used in the Parish Office is in desperate need of upgrading. If you have the right skills and experience, have some time on your hands and think you could help, we would love to hear from you. **Please speak to the wardens, Liz or John, or email: john@thebushes.net**

OCCASIONAL HELPERS with BAPTISMS NEEDED! Please contact Rosie Barbour at: rbarbour@hotmail.co.uk for more information if you feel you could help.

CLEANLINESS is NEXT to GODLINESS: Can you spare **1 hour a month** to keep our splendid church spick and span? Tidying, dusting and polishing, but no hoovering. Groups meet on Friday mornings from 9am, or Friday afternoons from 2.30pm. Very sociable and time for a chat! **Please contact Anita Wilson : anita.wilson@talktalk.net or 0208 127 0582**

RECYCLING of bras for the charity AGAINST BREAST CANCER. Thank you for a great response. If you have missed the collection box at St Mary's, you can use **the collection box outside 12 Belvedere Drive SW19 until the end of October.** So, have a clear out, condition irrelevant. UK bras are highly valued in the African countries to which they are sent.

THE CHURCHYARD GARDENING TEAM is seeking more volunteers. The next gardening session will take place on **Saturday 5th November from 9-12 noon.** Please do come along and join the team if you can spare a couple of hours to help keep our churchyard shipshape! Newcomers are always welcome. Please contact **Allan Duncan** at: stmarysgardening@gmail.com

St Mary's MONDAY PLAYGROUP is looking for **volunteers to help between 9am and 11am** during term time. It is a great place to bring children 0-5 years, and if you can lend a hand sorting out toys, help with tea/coffee/biscuits and tidying up, **please contact: luisa@santos-stephens.com**

Max Barley and Raphael Cadenhead (St Mary's Choir) are running for **Royal Parks Half Marathon TODAY, Sunday 9th October** in aid of **BRITISH HEART FOUNDATION.** Please lend support at: www.justgiving.com/fundraising/Max-Barley1

WIMBLEDON FOOBANK. Our local foodbank does amazing work. Last year alone it presented 4,259 emergency 3-day food parcels to local residents in desperate need, and it relies on the gifts we give to make it happen. It now urgently needs sugar, rice, ketchup, snacks/treats for packed lunches, long life milk, tinned potatoes, tinned sweet corn, squash, jam, instant coffee and washing powder (they don't need tea!). **Donations from St Mary's are hugely appreciated; please do continue to make a difference.**

Services this Sunday 9th October, Harvest Festival

8.00 a.m.	Holy Communion	<i>president & preacher: Rev'd Richard Dryer</i>
9.30 a.m.	Sung Eucharist	<i>president & preacher: Bishop Michael Doe</i>
11.15 a.m.	Family Service & Holy Baptism	<i>leader: Rev'd Cynthia Jackson</i> <i>talk: Mrs Johanna Hearn</i>
6.30 pm	Choral Evensong	<i>president & preacher: Rev'd Dr Andrew Wakefield</i>

Hymns for Sung Eucharist 9.30am (NEH): 260, 459, 263 (omit *), 277, 262
Readings: Deuteronomy 26.1-11; Philippians 4.4-9; John 6.25-35
Agnus Dei: Vierne **Anthem: Ave Verum Corpus, Elgar**
Voluntary: Prelude in C Major, JS Bach BWV 547

Hymns for Family Service 11.15am (HON): 534, 557, 15, 571

Hymns for Choral Evensong 6.30pm: (NEH) 259, 416 (tune 337); 261
Readings: Nehemiah 6. 1-16; John 15. 12-end **Psalm: 144**
Anthem: 'The Heavens are Telling, Haydn **Setting: Dyson in F**
Voluntary: Fugue in G Minor, JS Bach BWV 578

Services next Sunday 16th October, 21st Sunday after Trinity

8.00 a.m.	Holy Communion	<i>president & preacher: Rev'd Dr Andrew Wakefield</i>
9.30 a.m.	Sung Eucharist	<i>president & preacher: The Ven George Howe</i>
11.15 a.m.	Family Service & Holy Baptism	<i>leader & talk: Mrs Catherine Linsley</i>
6.30 pm	Choral Evensong	<i>president & preacher: Rev'd Dr Helen Orchard</i>

Contact

Rector & Curate

Interregnum

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**[www.southwark.anglican.org/what/
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Daily Prayer will be said at:

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

St Matthew's at 8.30am – Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri

The Eucharist will be 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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The **CONFIRMATION SERVICE** for the Wimbledon Team will be held at **St Matthew's Church on Sunday 20th November at 6.30pm**. Classes for adult candidates will be led by Rev'd Helen Orchard. Catherine Linsley will be leading classes for young people. **If you are an adult or a young person over 11, & are interested, please contact a member of the team clergy.**

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FAURE REQUIEM on Sunday 13th November, 7.30pm at St John's, Spencer Hill. Each year, singers from around Wimbledon join together to perform this wonderfully moving piece as an act of remembrance. **Rehearsals on 2nd & 9th November, 7.30-9pm**. **If you would like to sing with the choir, please email music@stjohnswimbledon.co.uk by 30th October**

MERTON'S HOMELESS DROP-IN CENTRE needs 2 reliable committed volunteers for Fridays 9.30am-4pm ideally, but we can be very flexible around those times for the right people. More information at www.mertonfaithinaction.org. Please contact Caroline Ewart or Andy Fairbairn on 07843 280419 or faithinaction@wimbledonguild.co.uk

FAITH IN ACTION - MERTON HOMELESSNESS PROJECT: Open Evening 5.30pm, Monday 17th October at the Salvation Army Citadel and Hall, 109 Kingston Road, SW19 1LT

WELCOME AN ADULT INTERNATIONAL STUDENT INTO YOUR HOME AT CHRISTMAS. Adult international students face a lonely holiday on a UK university campus, and would love to spend a few days with you, learning about British culture and telling you about their own country. Hosting is voluntary position suitable for all ages and is also available throughout the year with **HOST**, a charity set up in 1987. **See: www.hostuk.org or call: 0207 739 6292**

BATTLE OF THE SOMME. This important 1916 film will be screened at Wimbledon Library on 11th November at 7.30pm. **Booking on: local.studies@merton.go.uk**