



Welcome to **St Mary's Church** **Wimbledon** **Sunday 18th March 2018**

St Mary's News



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EASTER CARDS: The Easter Cards are now ready for distribution around the parish, and it would be helpful if as many as possible could be claimed today. There has been a rationalisation of the bundles to reduce the overlarge packs and to take account of new buildings. Where the bundles are very small, please consider taking several (possibly around 50 cards in total). With grateful thanks to everyone who contributes to this important element of our outreach.

SILENT SERVICE: The weekly Silent Service continues on **Wednesdays at 7pm**. It lasts 45 minutes and is proving to be a very worthwhile addition to Worship in our beautiful church.

TRAI DCRAFT – there will be no Traidcraft stall today.

DO YOU USE A HEARING LOOP?

We have been given conflicting advice on whether reinstating the hearing loop should be part of our upgrading of the sound system. Our technical advisors say that improvements in hearing aid technology have made loop systems redundant, but the advice of the diocese is that we should have one. If you or someone you know would like to have the hearing loop reinstated, please email Selina Master (who is currently working through a Disability Access Audit for the church). selina.master@hotmail.co.uk

SUNDAY SCHOOL SPRING WALK round stunning Box Hill on **Saturday 24 March** - meet at the Running Horses pub Mickleham (note change of pub) at **2.30pm** – all welcome.

PALM SUNDAY 11.15 IN GARDEN HALL: This year the Service@11.15 will begin in Garden Hall. Please come early for a cup of tea with the 9.30am service. We will start in Garden Hall and process over to Church with our Donkey leading the procession. Please bring a branch.

GOOD FRIDAY: Following the Congregational Consultation the pattern of services on Good Friday will be as follows:

From 11.15 – Children's activities and service

12.00 - 2pm – Silent Vigil of the Cross in Church

2pm – 3pm – Sung Liturgy of the Cross

DAWN SERVICE EASTER DAY 6AM: We are re-instating the dawn service on Easter Day. If you are coming please bring a bell, a drum or another instrument to herald the Resurrection. The Service will be followed by breakfast in Garden Hall.

TUESDAY LUNCHESES meet on **20th March, 12noon – 1.30pm - Donald Broad, 36 Copse Hill, SW20 0HG.** Access: One small step – on the flat. Parking: Some spaces on the drive, unrestricted parking on Copse Hill. Cost of lunch is £4 which is donated to charity. Please **contact Lucy Ennis by Friday of the previous week on 0208 947 8097** should you need a **lift**. Other enquiries to: **Simone Tromans** on **07747 804 926** or simonetromans@yahoo.co.uk.

ASSISTANT VERGERS REQUIRED FOR 11.15AM COMMUNION SERVICES

We need one or two people to assist setting up for the 11.15am Communion Service on the first Sunday of the month and for the 11.50am service on Easter Day and Christmas Day. We already have volunteers who verge for these services, but there is a lot to do and it would be great if they had someone to help them. Please get in touch with Donald Broad, (donald.broad@gmail.com) who coordinates the vergers, or the Rector if you can assist.

THE CRECHE is looking for new volunteers to assist during the 9.30am service. It is a lovely, friendly group of parents and children that attend and volunteering is a great way to meet more of the St Mary's community. We are really short of volunteers and so any help that can be offered would be gratefully received.

Please contact Lucy Minter (lucy.minter@hotmail.co.uk) or Saana Karki (saanakarki@yahoo.com) if interested.

The Parish Office is open from 9 a.m – 1p.m weekdays

Services this Sunday 18th March, Fifth Sunday of Lent, Passion Sunday

8.00 a.m.	Holy Communion	<i>president & preacher: The Rector</i>
9.30 a.m.	Sung Eucharist	<i>president: The Associate Vicar</i> <i>preacher: The Rector</i>
11.15 a.m.	The Service@11.15	<i>president & preacher: The Rector</i>
6.30 p.m.	Choral Evensong	<i>minister & preacher: The Associate Vicar</i>

Hymns for Sung Eucharist 9.30am: (NEH) 95, 83, 358, 272

Psalm 51.1-12; Anthem – O Vos Omnes Victoria

Hymns for 11.15am – (HON) 335, 276, 226

Hymns for Choral Evensong 6.30pm: (NEH) 86, 34, 82, 92

Psalm: 34 congregational; Anthem – Surely he hath borne Handel

Readings for 6.30pm: Exodus 7.8-24, Romans 5.12-end

Services next Sunday 25th March, Palm Sunday

8.00 a.m.	Holy Communion	<i>president & preacher: The Associate Vicar</i>
9.30 a.m.	Sung Eucharist	<i>president: The Rector</i> <i>preacher: No sermon</i>
11.15 a.m.	The Service@11.15	<i>minister: The Curate</i> <i>Preacher: The Associate Vicar</i>
6.30 p.m.	Choral Evensong	<i>minister: The Rector</i> <i>preacher: No sermon</i>

Readings for 25th March: am Isaiah 50.4-9a, Philippians 2.5-11, Mark 14.1 – end of 15

Psalm 31.9-16

pm Isaiah 5.1-7, Mark 12.1-12, Psalm 69.1-20

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WEEKLY SERVICES IN THE TEAM

Monday	Daily Prayer	St Mary's 12 noon	
Tuesday	Morning Prayer Evening Prayer	St Matthew's 8.30am	St Mary's 8.45am St Mary's 5.00pm
Wednesday	Morning Prayer Eucharist Evening Prayer	St Matthew's 8.30am St Matthew's 10am	St Mary's 8.45am St Mark's 1.00pm St Mary's 5.00pm
Thursday	Morning Prayer Eucharist	St Matthew's 8.30am St Mary's 10.30am	St Mary's 8.45am
Friday	Morning Prayer Evening Prayer	St Matthew's 8.30am	St Mary's 8.45am St Mary's 5.00pm
Saturday	Morning Prayer	St Mary's 12 noon	

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TEAM PRAYERS at St Mary's on Thursday 22nd March at 12.30pm.

ST MARY'S LENT LECTURES 'PRAYER THAT CONNECTS': St Mary's Church, Garden Hall, 30 St Mary's Road, Wimbledon, SW19 7BP,

21st March at 8pm. Sue McCoulough "Praying with St Francis and St Clare". Sue is a Franciscan Tertiary who has worked for the BBC and Tearfund and leads quiet days and writes for 'Quiet Spaces'.

FRIDAY LUNCHTIME RECITALS at St John's, Spencer Hill, Wimbledon, SW19 4NZ.

23rd March at 1pm Delea Shand, soprano, 'Ancient Voices of Women' including music by Judith Weir & Hildegard of Bingen. Coffee and cake available before the recital from 12.30pm. There will be a retiring collection.

ACADEMY CHOIR WIMBLEDON: MOZART & HAYDN: Wimbledon's own Academy Choir together with the London Mozart Players, featuring two of Mozart's greatest musical achievements: his Symphony No. 41 ('Jupiter') and Mass in C. **Saturday 24th March at 7.30pm, St John's Church, Spencer Hill, Wimbledon SW19 4NZ,** Tickets £15-£25 (Students £10/under 18s £5. visit www.academychoirwimbledon.co.uk or phone 0333 666 3366 (£1.50 booking fee)

STAINER'S THE CRUCIFIXION ON PALM SUNDAY 25TH MARCH 7.30PM. St John's Singers and Friends will perform John Stainer's Passiontide Oratorio including five hymns for congregational participation. Free entry, with retiring collection. If you would like to Come & Sing with the choir please speak to Robert or email music@stjohnswimbledon.co.uk
Rehearsals will take place at 5pm on Sunday 25th March. We will be using the Novello edition, available from www.musicroom.com

PRAY FOR THE CLIMATE. Half an hour on EASTER SUNDAY 1st April, 12.30pm – 1pm in St Mark's Church. All welcome. Enquiries: julietboyd@doctors.org.uk

WOC , the friendly un-auditioned choir for anyone aged 70+ who enjoys singing meets today in St Mary's at 2.30pm.

WYC: Wimbledon Youth Choir, a fun, friendly group of young singers, aged roughly 14-25, meets in St Mary's TODAY from 4 – 5pm.

Please email news items by Wednesday each week to parish.office@stmaryswimbledon.org
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