

Sunday 25th November Christ the King

8.00am Holy Communion
President & Preacher: The Rector

9.30am Sung Eucharist
President: The Rev'd Cynthia Jackson
Preacher: The Rector

11.15am The Service@11.15
Minister & Preacher: The Rector

12.30pm Holy Baptism
Minister: The Associate Vicar

Readings for the Morning
Daniel 7,9-10,13-14
Psalm 93
Revelation 1.4b-8
John 18.33-37

6.30pm Choral Evensong
Minister: The Rector
Preacher: The Associate Vicar
Psalm 72 choral
Daniel 5
John 6.1-15

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Wednesday each week to:
parish.office@stmaryswimbleton.org

Weekday services in other Team churches

St Matthew's
8.30am Tuesday to Friday Morning Prayer
10.00am Said Mass Wednesday

St Marks
1.00pm Eucharist Wednesday

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Welcome to St Mary's Church



SUNDAY NEWSLETTER

18 November 2018

SERVICES THIS SUNDAY 2nd Sunday before Advent

8.00am Holy Communion
President & Preacher: The Associate Vicar

9.30am Sung Eucharist, Creche & Sunday School
President & Preacher: The Rector
Setting: *T Moore*
Hymns: HON 307, 235, 54, 15
Psalm 16
Anthem: *Steal Away M Hogan*

10.30am Refreshments in Garden Hall

11.15am The Service@11.15 & Holy Baptism
Minister & Preacher: The Rector
Hymns: HON 434, The Wise Man built his house upon the rock (see page 3), 106
Reading: Mark 13.1-8

6.30pm Choral Evensong
Minister: The Rector
Preacher: The Rev'd Charlie Lamont
Hymns: NEH 200, 420, 433 (omit v 4)
Psalm: 95 congregational
Reading: Daniel 3
Reading: Matthew 13.24-30, 36-43
Responses: *B Rose*
Canticles: Second Service *C Gibbons*
Anthem: *Save us O Lord E Bairstow*

We remember in our prayers Madeline Hosker-Newton, Eleanor Goldsmith and Gracie Blakelock who are being baptised today.

The text of the hymn and anthems can be found inside.

CHURCH DIARY: THIS WEEK

Sunday 18th November
10.30am Sale of charity Christmas cards
3.00pm Wimbledon Oldies Choir (WOC)
4.15pm Wimbledon Youth Choir (WYC)
7.30pm Rafters in Garden Hall

Monday 19th November *Hilda, abbess*
8.45am Morning Prayer
9.30am Toddler Playgroup

Tuesday 20th November
8.45am Morning Prayer
5.00pm Evening Prayer

Wednesday 21st November
8.45am Morning Prayer
9.30am Toddler Praise
5.00pm Evening Prayer
7.00pm Silent Prayer
8.00pm Bellringers Practice

Thursday 22nd November *Cecilia, martyr*
10.30am Said Eucharist

Friday 23rd November *Clement, bishop*
8.45am Morning Prayer
9.30am Toddler Playgroup
5.00pm Evening Prayer
6.00pm Choir Practice

Saturday 24th November
12.00pm Daily Prayer
3.30pm Server training

More details on the next page and website

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Parking in the Churchyard

With the new parking policy having started well a few months ago, we are now having problems again with too many vehicles parking in the churchyard both in the week and at weekends. There have been times when people with disabilities have not been able to attend weekday services because there has been no space to park in the churchyard. Access for emergency vehicles has also been blocked by cars whose drivers are not on site. For safety reasons, parking in the churchyard is only for authorised vehicles and those with blue badges. A parking permit does not entitle you to park other than when you have come for the purpose for which the permit has been issued. Please could everyone not authorised please park outside the churchyard both in the week and on Sundays.

Tuesday lunches 20th November

12noon-1.30pm Simone Tromans at the home of Susan Mayo, 38 Marryat Road, SW19 5BD. Access: on the flat. Parking: on the drive and meters on the road. Lunch £5 which is donated to charity. Contact Lucy Ennis by Friday of the previous week on 020 8947 8097 if you need a lift. Other enquiries to Simone Tromans on 07747 804 926 or simonetromans@yahoo.co.uk

Climate Change

The Christian response to this topical issue will be discussed using Operation Noah's resource "Tenants of the King" in St Mark's Church Chapter Room Wednesdays 21 and 28 November at 10.00am. Refreshments provided. Enquiries: julietboyd@doctors.org.uk

FUTURE EVENTS AND NEWS

Congregation Breakfast

The next Congregation Breakfast will be on Sunday 2 December from 8.30am in Garden Hall. This is an excellent opportunity for people of both the 8am and 9.30am congregations to meet and enjoy a good breakfast. So please do come along either after or before the service of your choice.

Journey to Bethlehem

We have sets of nativity Russian dolls who will travel around the Parish during Advent (starting on Advent Sunday, December 2nd). Please sign up to host them in your home for an evening, tell the story, say some prayers, fill in the journal and then pass on to the next home. This is not just for children, adults love to host the nativity too. There will be lists at the back of church today and next week for you to sign up. Speak to Catherine for more details.

Poppies

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the Poppy Project. In total, 367 poppies were knitted and displayed around church. The altar frontal and poppies in the Warrior Chapel will remain in place for the Kingdom Season. It is hoped that the Knit and Natter drop-in sessions will resume in January - watch this space.

Julian Group (Silent Prayer)

The next meeting will be at 11.30 am on Thursday, 6 December, at the home of Clare Morgan, 39 The Downs, SW20 8HG. The meeting will be led by Rev Cynthia Jackson. Everyone is welcome.

HELP WANTED

Women's World Day of Prayer

We need someone to represent St Mary's on the group which plans the Women's world day of Prayer service for Wimbledon. The service is in March in one of the local churches each year. There are only three meetings and one service each year plus a little help with the organisation. The meetings are on Friday afternoons and finish before school pick up time. Please speak to the Rector or Debs Poulter if you can help.

Liturgical Librarian needed

We need someone to organise the orders of service, so the right sets are out for the services each week. It will take about ½ an hour a week and can be done at any time that is convenient for you. If you are able to help please get in touch with Mandy.

HYMN FOR 11.15 Blue HON 735

The wise man built his house upon the rock,
The wise man built his house upon the rock,
The wise man built his house upon the rock,
and the rain came tumbling down.
And the rain came down and the floods came up,
the rain came down and the floods came up,
the rain came down and the floods came up,
and the house on the rock stood firm.

The foolish man built his house upon the sand,
The foolish man built his house upon the sand,
The foolish man built his house upon the sand,
and the rain came tumbling down.
And the rain came down and the floods came up,
the rain came down and the floods came up,
the rain came down and the floods came up,
and the house on the sand fell flat.

ANTHEM TEXTS

9.30am Steal Away M Hogan

Steal away, steal away,
Steal away to Jesus!
Steal away, steal away home,
I ain't got long to stay here.

My Lord, He calls me,
He calls me by the thunder;
The trumpet sounds within my soul,
I ain't got long to stay here.

Steal away, steal away,
Steal away to Jesus!
Steal away, steal away home,
I ain't got long to stay here.

Green trees are bending,
Poor sinners stand a-trembling;
The trumpet sounds within my soul,
I ain't got long to stay here.

Steal away, steal away,
Steal away to Jesus!
Steal away, steal away home,
I ain't got long to stay here.

My Lord, He calls me,
He calls me by the lightning;
The trumpet sounds within my soul,
I ain't got long to stay here.

6.30pm Save us, O Lord E Bairstow

Save us, O Lord, waking, guard us sleeping,
that awake we may watch with Christ,
and asleep we may rest in peace.