

## Sunday 31st March Mothering Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion  
President & Preacher: The Associate  
Vicar

### 9.30am Sung Eucharist, Sunday School & Creche

President: The Rector  
Preacher: The Associate Vicar

### 11.15am The Service @ 11.15 & Holy Baptism

Minister: The Associate Vicar  
Preacher: Catherine Linsley

### 12.30pm Holy Baptism Service

Minister: The Rector

### Readings for the Morning

Joshua 5.9-12  
Psalm 32  
2 Corinthians 5.16-end  
Luke 15.1-3, 11b-end

### 6.30pm Choral Evensong

Minister: The Associate Vicar  
Preacher: The Rector  
Prayer of Manasseh  
Psalm 30 congregational  
2 Timothy 4.1-18

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## 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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### Safeguarding Officer

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# Welcome to St Mary's Church



## SUNDAY NEWSLETTER

24 MARCH 2019

### SERVICES THIS SUNDAY Third Sunday of Lent

#### 8.00am Holy Communion

President & Preacher: The Rev'd Mark Budden

#### 9.30am Sung Eucharist, Sunday School and Creche

President & Preacher: The Rector  
Hymns: HON 186, 106, 117, 302  
Psalm 63.1-9  
Setting: *A Moore*  
Anthem: *O Vos Omnes TL da Victoria*  
Voluntary: Offertoire from "Messe des Paroisses" *F Couperin*

#### 10.30am Refreshments in Garden Hall

#### 11.15am The Service @ 11.15

Minister: Catherine Linsley  
Preacher: The Rector  
Hymns: HON 188, 54, 372  
Reading: Luke 13.1-9

#### 6.30pm Choral Evensong

Minister: The Associate Vicar  
Preacher: The Rector  
Hymns: HON 471, 136, 395  
Responses: *R Ayleward*  
Psalm: 85 choral  
Reading: Wisdom 9.1-12  
Canticles: *H Purcell* in *G Minor*  
Reading: Galatians 4.1-5  
Anthem: Hear my prayer *H Purcell*  
Voluntary: *Herzliebster Jesu, was hast du verbrochen G Jackson*

### CHURCH DIARY: THIS WEEK

#### Sunday 24th March

3.00pm WOC (Wimbledon Oldies Choir)  
4.00pm WYC (Wimbledon Youth Choir)  
7.30pm Rafters in the Hall

#### Monday 25th March

8.45am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Toddler playgroup

#### Tuesday 26th March *Harriet Monsell*

8.45am Morning Prayer  
5.00pm Evening Prayer  
7.30pm Mindfulness Course Introduction Evening

#### Wednesday 27th March

8.45am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Toddler Praise  
5.00pm Evening Prayer  
7.00pm Silent Prayer  
8.00pm Bellringers Practice

#### Thursday 28th March

8.45am Morning Prayer  
10.30am Said Eucharist  
1.00pm Team Prayers at St Mark's

#### Friday 29th March

8.45am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Toddler Playgroup  
11.00am Funeral of the Late Paul Hutchins  
5.00pm Evening Prayer  
6.00pm Choir Practice

#### Saturday 30th March

11.30am Baptism rehearsal  
12noon Daily Prayer

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The Parish Office, Fellowship House, 30 St Mary's Road, SW19 7BP Tel: 0208 946 2605

### St Mary's Mission Statement Discernment Process

We now have 35 proposed mission statements for St Mary's. Please come over to Garden Hall before you go home today and let us know which ones you think are closest to God's call to St Mary's. Please mark up to five statements using the stickers in front of the window.

## THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

### Tuesday Lunch 26th March

Simone Tromans at the home of Susan Mayo, 38 Marryat Road, SW19 5BD. Access: On the flat. Parking: Some spaces outside the house or pay and display. Lunch £5 which is donated to charity. Contact Judy Allen by Friday of the previous week on 020 8942 3761 if you need a lift. Other enquiries to Simone Tromans on 07747 804 926 or [simonetromans@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:simonetromans@yahoo.co.uk)

### Parish Mindfulness Course Introduction Evening

There will be an introduction evening at St Mary's Church on Tuesday 26 March at 7.30pm led by Benedicte Long and Clare Morgan, members of St Mary's and qualified mindfulness teachers. Come and find out about the proposed 8 week course running at St Marys from 30 April to 25 June. Full details are in the leaflets at the cross aisles or from [benedicte.long@yahoo.fr](mailto:benedicte.long@yahoo.fr)

### Prisoners' Education Trust

Present a fascinating talk by Dr Jamie Bennett, Governor of HMP Long Lartin and former Governor of HMP Grendon on "The transformational potential of prison education". Thursday 28 March 2019 at 7.30pm Wimbledon Synagogue, Corner of Park Side and 1 Queensmere Rd, Wimbledon SW19 5QD; 93 bus stop outside Tickets £20 (Students £5) to include wine and light refreshments. All proceeds to Prisoners' Education Trust. Leaflets available at the back of church. Further information from [www.prisonerseducation.org.uk](http://www.prisonerseducation.org.uk) or email [events@prisonerseducation.org.uk](mailto:events@prisonerseducation.org.uk)

### Fountain Group

Fountain group welcomes carers of the elderly. Our next meeting is on 27 March between 11am and 12 noon. For more information, please contact: [shara@stmaryswimbledon.org](mailto:shara@stmaryswimbledon.org)

### There will be no Traidcraft stall this Sunday

## FUTURE EVENTS AND NEWS

### Pray for the Climate

Monday 1 April 12:30pm for half an hour in St Mark's Church (Chapter room). All welcome. Excellent topical prayer notes provided for this urgent situation. Enquiries: [julietboyd@doctors.org.uk](mailto:julietboyd@doctors.org.uk)

### St Marys Choir at St Paul's Cathedral:

The choir will be singing evensong at St Paul's on Monday, 1st April at 5pm. Music is Walmisley in D Minor and Wesley's setting of Psalm 22, Cast me not away. The service lasts around 40 minutes. All are welcome - if you arrive at 4:45pm and wait under the dome (north side) you will be guided to seats in the Quire area, where the acoustic is clearer.

### The next Julian Group (Silent Prayer)

The next meeting will be on 4 April at 11.30 at the home of Susan Mayo, 38 Marryat Rd SW19 5BD. The meeting will be led by Julie Barnes. Everyone is welcome.

### Bach St John Passion—20th April

At St John's Church, 7.30pm, the acclaimed London chamber choir, Choir of the 21st Century, under the direction of Wimbledon conductor Max Barley, perform one of J.S. Bach's choral masterpieces, St John Passion, alongside distinguished soloists (Nicholas Mulroy - Evangelist, James Newby - Jesus, Colette Boushell - Soprano, Robin Blaze - Alto) and players, as part of Wimbledon's marking of Passiontide. Tickets £24/16 (plus small booking fee): <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/bachs-st-john-passion-tickets-55758480115>. Also available at the door if not sold out.

### Harvest Barn Dance 5<sup>th</sup> October

The Church Committee have agreed that we will have a Barn Dance on the evening of the 5 October to celebrate Harvest this year. We are hoping to use Bishop Gilpin School and that it will be an event that raises funds for Christian Aid and USPG, our international charities working to alleviate poverty and hunger in the poorest parts of the world. We would like to put together a team to organise this event. Please let the Rector know if you can help.

### The parish office will be closed on Monday 1st of April.

## HELP WANTED

### Grapevine

We have been unable to recruit a new designer for Grapevine so we are considering getting it professionally done. Before we do this we wanted to make one last appeal for a volunteer. Please speak to Mandy if you can help.

## ANTHEM TEXT

### 9.30am O Vos Omnes *TL da Victoria*

O all ye that pass by the way, attend and see:  
If there be any sorrow like to my sorrow.  
Attend, all ye people, and see my sorrow:  
If there be any sorrow like to my sorrow.

*Text Lamentations 1:12*

### 6.30pm Hear my prayer *H Purcell*

Hear my prayer, Lord,  
and let my crying come unto Thee.

*Text Psalm 102:1*