

**Sunday 1st August
9th Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am BCP Eucharist

President & Preacher: The Associate Vicar

9.30am Eucharist

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11.15am The Service @

Minister & Preacher: The Associate Vicar

Readings for the Morning

Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15
Psalm 78:23-29
Ephesians 4:1-16
John 6:24-35

6.30pm Sung Evensong

Minister: Revd Alastair Newman
Preacher: Revd Clive Gardner
Psalm 88
Ecclesiasticus 42:15-25
Luke 12:13-21

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Parish.office@stmaryswimbleton.org*

The 9.30am and 6.30pm services are being streamed via Zoom and YouTube

Weekday services in other Team churches

St Matthew's

Morning Prayer: Monday 9.30am; Tuesday to Friday 8.30am
Evening Prayer Monday to Friday 5pm
Said Mass Wednesday 10.00am

St Marks

Open church Wednesday 4.00 to 5.00pm

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Safeguarding Officer

If you have any safeguarding concerns please contact either the Rector or Pauline Bakker, who can be contacted at safeguarding@stmaryswimbleton.org. Full details of Diocesan safeguarding procedures can be found in the vestry or at www.southwark.anglican.org/diocesan-policies-procedures. The new Diocesan safeguarding contact number is 0203 874 6743

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Welcome to St Mary's Church



SUNDAY NEWSLETTER

25 JULY 2021

**SERVICES THIS SUNDAY
Eighth Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am BCP Eucharist

President & Preacher: The Associate Vicar

9.30am Eucharist

President: The Rector
Preacher: The Associate Vicar
Hymns: NEH 336, 271, 394
Psalm: 145.10-19
Anthem: O for a closer walk with God
Stanford
Voluntary: Nun Danket alle Gott *Karg-Elert*

11.15am The Service @

Minister & Preacher: The Associate Vicar
Hymns: HON 287a, 206, 559
Reading: John 6:1-21

12.30pm Holy Baptism

Minister: The Rector

6.30pm Evensong Eve of St James

Minister: The Associate Vicar
Preacher: The Rector
Hymns: NEH 362, 353, 368
Responses: Rose
Psalm: 94
Reading: Jeremiah 26:1-15
Canticles: Stanford in A
Reading: Mark 1:14-20
Anthem: I was Glad *Parry*
Voluntary: Chorale Prelude on "Dundee"
Parry.

CHURCH DIARY THIS WEEK

Sunday 25th July

10.30am Coffee in Garden Hall
3.00pm Wimbledon Oldies Choir (WOC)

Wednesday 28th July

8.45am Morning Prayer
5.00pm Evening Prayer
8.00pm Bellringers Practice

Thursday 29th July

8.45am Morning Prayer
10.30am Said Eucharist
2.00pm Team prayers at St Mark's
3.00pm Wedding rehearsal Cobb/Brooks

Friday 30th July

8.45am Morning Prayer
12.30pm Wedding Charlotte Brooks & Hugo Cobb
3.00pm Memorial service for the late Bernhard Wetherill
5.00pm Evening Prayer
7.00pm St Mary's Choir practice

Saturday 24th July

12noon Daily Prayer

Please pray for Leo Bawtree Cobden-Ramsay who is being baptised today.

More details on the next page and website



If you would like to give to St Mary's you can connect to our 'give a little' page using this QR Code on your



To live justly, to love kindness and to walk humbly with God in the Service of Christ

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Changes to covid mitigations for services

Masks everyone who comes to Sunday services is asked to wear masks unless they have been exempt. Masks should only be removed by readers and clergy when they are speaking to the whole congregation.

Vestry & masks people in the vestry on Sundays and other busy days continue to wear masks when others are present.

Singing congregational singing will resume but everyone will sing wearing a mask.

Chalice we will be giving people the option to have communion in both kinds again. Please be assured that just having the bread is as good as having both elements from a spiritual point of view. If you would like to receive communion please make sure you take a lateral flow test not more than 24 hours before the service. (you can get these free at pharmacies).

Track and trace Everyone attending services in St Mary's should either scan the QR code at the entrance with the covid NHS app or fill in one of the white slips in the pews. We no longer need to use the yellow slips to show where we have been sitting.

Pews & Seating we will continue with the current social distancing arrangements for the pews.

Choral Evensong this evening, 6:30pm

to mark the return to congregational and larger-scale choral singing, we are planning a service of joyful choral music and well-loved hymns, including Stanford's Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis in A, Parry's I was Glad, "Dear Lord and Father" and "Glorious things of thee are spoken". All warmly encouraged to attend."

Contactless Giving

We have a new contactless giving terminal in church at the cross aisles. Do take a look. We are hoping that it will be used mostly by occasional visitors who might not give otherwise as we have to pay a small fee for every donation using this method. If you are a regular at St Mary's please consider giving by Standing Order if you don't do so already.

FUTURE EVENTS & NEWS

Wimbledon Foodbank

Thank you to everyone who is continuing to make Foodbank donations, either by making a financial donation via wimbledon.foodbank.org.uk or by donating food at Waitrose in Wimbledon and Raynes Park. The next collection at St Mary's will be on Sunday **1st August** inside the church entrance.

ANTHEM 9.30AM

O for a closer walk with God,
A calm and heavenly frame;
A light to shine upon the road
That leads me to the lamb!

Return, O holy dove, return,
Sweet messenger of rest;
I hate the sins that made thee mourn,
And drove thee from my breast.

So shall my walk be close with God,
Calm and serene my frame;
So purer light shall mark the road
That leads me to the lamb.

Text: William Cowper Music: Charles Villiers Stanford

ANTHEM 6.30PM

I was glad when they said unto me: We will go into the house of the Lord.
Our feet shall stand in thy gates: O Jerusalem, Jerusalem is builded as a city: That is at unity in itself.

O pray for the peace of Jerusalem: They shall prosper that love thee.
Peace be within thy walls: And plenteousness within thy palaces.

Text: Psalm 122 vs 1 - 3, 6 - 7 Music: Charles Hubert Parry

The Commissioning of St Mary's Pastoral Assistants (StMPAs)

Following the Sermon and Creed Mandy introduces the commissioning and Nils presents those to be commissioned. Then Mandy asks us to pray together

Rector **All** Loving God, from whom all blessings flow,
we give you thanks and praise for all that you have called us to be. Draw out the many and varied gifts within us, so that, in faith and trust, they may be offered, in the name and service of Jesus Christ. Amen

The Rector then asks these questions of those to be commissioned

Rector We have been called by God in baptism to share in the ministry of the church. Anne, Anthony and Selina, will each of you now commit yourself to sharing in this ministry as a St Mary's Pastoral Assistant?

Candidates **With the help of God, I will**

Rector Will you seek to love and serve your neighbours as yourself and work for peace and reconciliation in our worshipping community?

Candidates **With the help of God, I will**

Rector Will you be a sign of the ministry to which Christ calls us all? Will you give generously of yourself expressing God's love in caring for others and in servicing them proclaiming by word and action the Good News of God in Christ?

Candidates **With the help of God, I will**

Rector Will you in your various responsibilities be faithful in your own prayers and regular worship setting an example in your own community?

Candidates **With the help of God, I will**

The Rector addresses the congregation

Rector Members of St Mary's, will you support your St Mary's Pastoral Assistants by your prayers and encouragement and will you receive their ministry amongst you?

All With the help of God, we will

The candidates are presented with a certificate of commission by the Rector who then says

Anne, Anthony and Selina, receive this commission to serve as a St Mary's Pastoral Assistant in our Church. May God bless you in your going out and your coming in, this day and for evermore.

All Amen.

The Service continues with the Intercessions led by Shara Leonard our Southwark Pastoral Auxiliary (SPA)