

Welcome to
St Mary's
Church
Wimbledon

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Rector
The Rev'd Mary Bide
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Hon. Asst. Curate
The Rev'd Canon Hilary Johnson
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Hon. Asst. Curate
The Rev'd Bruce Rickards
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Sunday 3rd May 2009

WELCOME TO ST MARY'S

If you are a newcomer, please introduce yourself, and join us for coffee in the 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.

Services this Sunday

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion	<i>president Canon Hilary Johnson</i>
9:30 a.m. Sung Eucharist	<i>president & preacher The Rector</i>
11:15 a.m. Children's Eucharist with Baptism	<i>officiant & talk The Rector</i>
6.30 p.m. Sung Evensong	<i>officiant & preacher The Rector</i>

Hymns for Sung Eucharist 9.30am (NEH) 205, 457 (tune i), 374, 282, 436
Anthem: The Lord's My Shepherd *Barnard*

Hymns for Children's Eucharist 11.15am 226(HON), 1008 (New Mission Praise), 375, 571 (HON)

Hymns for Sung Evensong 6.30pm (NEH) 368, 492, 485
Anthem: Rejoice in the Lord *Redford*

Services next Sunday 10th May Fifth Sunday of Easter

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion	<i>president Revd Bruce Rickards</i>
9:30 a.m. Sung Eucharist	<i>president Revd Bruce Rickards</i> <i>preacher Mrs Joan Ellis</i>
11:15 a.m. Family Service	<i>officiant & talk Miss Catherine Parkees</i>
6.30pm Sung Evensong	<i>officiant The Rector</i>

St Mary's News

HOLY BAPTISM please remember in your prayers **Charlie and Daniel Terracotta** who were baptised yesterday and **Sofia Tramacere** who will be baptised today. We offer them and their families our very best wishes.

TUESDAY LUNCH on 5th May will be hosted by **Revd Mary Bide at the Rectory, 14 Arthur Road, SW19**. Last sessions lunches raised **£454** for the Bishop's Lent Appeal. This session they will be raising funds for the local Parkinson's Disease Society. General enquiries to Jenny on **8879 4951** but all requests for lifts to Tish Carter on **8946 2190**.

POETIC LICENCE on Saturday 9th May at 8.00pm An evening of poetry and prose, performed by members of St Mary's congregation, in the Garden Hall. Tickets are **£10** each (under 18s **£5**) and will be on sale at Sunday morning coffee from **19th April** or from John Bush **07850 205949** or john@thebushes.net All proceeds in aid of the Church roof fund. Wine and canapés will be served during the evening.

TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS ACCOMMODATION requirements for players. There remains a strong demand from young international (Australian/ American) players for accommodation within Wimbledon Village, or at least within walking distance. If you are interested in providing Bed and Breakfast accommodation to contribute all or part of the rent towards St Mary's funds, please contact **Gilles Ellerton on 020 870 7128** or gilles.ellerton@bt.com urgently.

ORGAN DEDICATION on Sunday 10th May at 7.30pm. Come and celebrate the restoration of the mighty Hunter organ in an informal concert with popular 'great' organ solos, featuring present and previous organists of St Mary's. Also choral classics, hymns for all to join in; United Choirs of Wimbledon Parish; competition and prizes for younger listeners; compere; refreshments in Garden Hall.

CCJ on Wednesday 13th May at 8.00pm in Garden Hall, St Mary's Church. Rabbi Charley Baginsky from the Kingston Liberal Synagogue and Revd Mary Bide will be leading a session on Apocalyptic literature in the Christian and Jewish Tradition, with specific reference to the Book of Daniel and Revelation. All welcome.

A BIG THANK YOU to all our regular donors using standing orders and/or the envelope scheme with Gift Aid. The annual totals for the tax year ended on 5th April are now ready and anyone who wants to know for their tax return what they contributed (or newcomers who would like to sign up) should contact **Roger Chadder on 8946 8953** or email roger@chadder.co.uk

TENNIS FORTNIGHT CAR PARKING is being planned. This operation, which provides St Mary's and the Diocese with a substantial amount of revenue, depends upon the help of many people. Peter Stevens has sent emails or letters to people he knows might be able to assist. If you have not been asked (especially if you are a regular helper whose email has been changed) and would like to take part, please contact him on **8946 8177** or by email at peter@douses.com or by post to **5 Highbury Road SW19 7PR** or leave a note at the Parish Office

CHURCHYARD MAINTENANCE on Saturday May 16th from 10.30am to 3.30pm. Refreshments provided. Please do come along and help. All welcome.

Wimbledon Team Ministry

Weekday Services in the Team

Mattins is said at 9:00 a.m.

Holy Eucharist is celebrated

Monday St Mary's

Tuesday St Matthew's

Wednesday St Mary's, St Matthew's 10.00am St Matthew's, 12.30pm St Mark's

Thursday St Mark's 10.30am St Mary's

Friday St Mary's

Parish News

Christian Aid Car Boot Sale in St Mary's Church field on **Saturday morning 9th May**. No bookings taken but any enquiries to Juliet Boyd 8946 2514.

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St Matthew's Hall Spencer Road, SW20 0QN, can be hired for parties, conferences, rehearsals and classes. There is space for 120 people for drinks and 80 people for a sit down meal. Kitchen, disabled toilet facilities and wheelchair lift. For information and bookings please ring Mary-Ann Ward on **07981 577864**, or see the website www.stmathew'sSW20.co.uk for pictures.

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Usually open for enquiries from 9.00am-1.00pm and 2.30pm-4.00pm Monday to Friday
(**except Wednesday** when it will be open 2.30pm-4.00pm only).
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