

Welcome to
St Mary's
Church
Wimbledon

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Rector
The Rev'd Mary Bide
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The Rev'd Canon Hilary Johnson
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Hon. Asst. Curate
The Rev'd Bruce Rickards
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Sunday 24th 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 Revd Bruce Rickards</i>
9:30 a.m. Sung Eucharist	<i>president & preacher The Rector</i>
11:15 a.m. Family Service	<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) 443, 345, 296, 302, 352
Anthem: O thou the central orb *Wood*

Hymns for Informal Worship 11.15am (HON) 235, 454, 560, 81

**Hymns for Evensong 6.30pm (NEH) 376, 415 (tune 346), 332 (omit *),
psalm 147 v 1-12**
Anthem: Ascendit Deus *Philips*

Services next Sunday 31st May Pentecost

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion	<i>president The Rector</i>
9:30 a.m. Sung Eucharist	<i>president & preacher Bishop Richard</i>
11:15 a.m. Family Service	<i>officiant & talk The Rector</i>
6.30p.m. Sung Evensong	<i>officiant & preacher The Rector</i>

St Mary's News

HOLY BAPTISM please remember in your prayers **Lewis Otter** who was baptised yesterday and **Bruno Tall** and **Emily Pannell** who will be baptised today. We offer them and their families our very best wishes.

TUESDAY LUNCH on **26th May** will be at the home of **Shara Leonard, 5 Montana Road, SW20**. This session they will be raising funds for the local Parkinson's Disease Society. Enquiries to Jenny on **8879 4951**. If you need a lift please leave a message there by the preceding Friday.

GRAPEVINE the next issue comes out in mid-June. Any contributions, ideas and suggestions should be emailed to andriannamaimaris@hotmail.com or leave hard copy at the Parish Office. Please send text and photos as separate files. Deadline is **Sunday 31st May**.

WIMBLEDON FAIR on **Saturday 20th June**. The Parish has a stall at the Fair. We need volunteers to man the stall, help set up, take down and to do face painting. If you are able to help for an hour or so, please contact Revd Richard Sewell, sewell4321@btinternet.com

ROSEMARY CHADDER has completed her 3 years as Church Warden at St Mary's and we are hugely thankful to her for all she has done. In her place Alice Fookes was 'sworn in' on 14th May and we wish her and Robert MacDonald Watson every success in this demanding role. If anyone wishes to contact either Warden please do so through the Parish Office.

CONGREGATION BREAKFAST will be held on **7th June at approx. 8.30am** in Garden Hall. Members of ALL congregations are welcome, so please do come and join us for orange juice, coffee, rolls and hot sausages!

BISHOP GILPIN SPONSORED BIKE RIDE The 250th celebrations this term are looking to the future. On **June 6th** there will be a 40 mile sponsored bike ride to raise money to set up a cycle club at the school to promote healthy exercise and sustainable transport. The aim is to purchase bikes and train teachers to conduct Safe Cycling training. **Elizabeth Broad**, Chair of Governors will be taking part and would be delighted if anyone felt able to sponsor her. There is a form at the cross aisles.

A LIFE OF CRIME is the title of a talk to be given in Garden Hall on **Friday 12th June** by **His Honour Judge Anthony Leonard (QC)** (yes – it's true!). He is speaking in aid of the Prisoners Education Trust. Applications for tickets are available at the cross aisles or contact **Roger Chadder on 8946 8953**.

CHRISTIAN AID house to house collection has raised **£4372** so far. Some envelopes still awaited. Thanks to all concerned.

UNITED NATIONS ASSOCIATION are holding a car boot sale on **Saturday 20th June** in St Mary's Church field. If anyone would like to help for a couple of hours that morning please contact **Juliet Boyd** julietboyd@doctors.org.uk or **8946 2514**

SUNDAY SCHOOL OUTING to the beach at West Wittering on **Saturday 22nd August**. Details to follow.

WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER we are delighted to announce that **Mary Ann Turnbull** kindly agreed to be our representative in place of Alice Fookes. Anyone who is interested in supporting or finding out more about Women's World Day of Prayer should contact Mary Ann through the Parish Office.

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

Latin Jazz with the **Katriona Taylor Quintet** at St Mary's Garden Hall on **Saturday 20th June at 8.00pm**. We are pleased to announce that after last year's successful performance, Katriona Taylor is returning for another evening of Latin Jazz. Tickets are **£25** (£10 for under 16s) on sales at Sunday morning coffee or from John Bush **07850 205949**, email john@thebushes.net The ticket will include wine and light refreshments. Money raised will go to the charity **Crisis** and to the **Renewal Fund**.

Occasional evening car drivers to the Strand are needed by Food for the Homeless, the soup and sandwich run set by the Revd Robin Stephens some years ago. The rota operates on Monday evenings only: could you ferry 4 or 5 passengers? If so, please contact the organizer, **Donnie Farago** on **01304 379466** mob. **07762821828**

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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