Sunday 27th March
Lent IV & Mothering Sunday

8.00am BCP Eucharist
President & Preacher: The Associate Vicar

9.30am Sung Eucharist
President: The Rector
Preacher: The Associate Vicar

Readings for the Morning
Joshua 5, 9-12
Psalms: 32
2 Corinthians 5, 16-end
Luke 15, 1-3, 11b-end

11.15am The Service @
Minister & Preacher: The Associate Vicar
Luke 15, 1-3, 11b-end

12.30pm Holy Baptism
Sibyl Alice Lane Farnell

6.30pm Choral Evensong
Minister: The Associate Vicar
Preacher: Team The Rector
Psalms 30
Prayer of Manasseh
2 Timothy 4, 1-18

Please pray for
The Sick
Paul Nightingale, Susan Mayo, Rachel Leng, Anita Wilson, Jodie & John Butters, Jenny Bakker, Doris Turck, Betty Packham

Those who have died recently
Peter Totty, Edward James Bulman, Hilary Tait, Roy Jacklin, Teddy Clarke, Ursula Hill

Weekday services in other Team churches

| St Matthew’s | Morning Prayer: Mon 9.30am | Tues-Fri 8.30am |
| St Mark’s | Morning Prayer: Mon 9.30am | Tues-Fri 8.30am |
| Evening Prayer: Mon-Fri 5.00pm |

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Safeguarding Officer
If you have any safeguarding concerns please contact either the Rector or Pauline Bakker,
safeguarding@stmaryswimbledon.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 safe-
guarding contact number is 0203 874 6743

Please email news items by Wednesday: each week to
parish.office@stmaryswimbledon.org

For all the latest news and events www.stmaryswimbledon.org or follow us on
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Welcome to
St Mary’s Church

SUNDAY NEWSLETTER 20 MARCH 2022

SERVICES THIS SUNDAY
Lent III

8.00am BCP Eucharist
President & Preacher: The Rector

9.30am Sung Eucharist, Sunday School & Creche
President: & Preacher The Rector
Hymns: HON 372, 54, 188
Reading: Luke 13, 1-9
Voluntary: Elégie Vienne

11.15am The Service @
Minister & Preacher: The Rector
Hymns: HON 374, 54, 188
Reading: Luke 13, 1-9
Voluntary: Élégie Vienne

6.30pm Choral Evensong
Minister: The Rector
Preacher: Team Vicar of St Matthew’s
Hymns: NEH 374, 416, 486
Reading: Genesis 28, 10-19a
Canticles: Short Service Orlando Gibbons
Reading John 1 35-end
Anthem: Ach, Herr Bach
Voluntary: O Lamm Gottes, unschuldig J.S. Bach BWV 618

The 9.30am and 6.30pm services streamed via Zoom & YouTube. See this newsletter for full details.

CHURCH DIARY THIS WEEK

Sunday 20th March
9.30am Sunday School & Creche
3.00pm No WOC Choir
6.00pmrafters in Garden Hall

Monday 21st March
8.45am Morning Prayer
9.30am Church Playgroup
11.15am Bible Study at Rose & Crown

Tuesday 22nd March
8.45am Morning Prayer
5.00pm Evening Prayer

Wednesday 23rd March
8.45am Morning Prayer
9.30am Toddler Praise
5.00pm Evening Prayer
8.00pm Lent Group Garden Hall (no Zoom due to team availability)
8.00pm Bell Ringing Practise venue tbc

Thursday 24th March
8.45am Morning Prayer
10.30am Said Eucharist
2.00pm Team Prayers at St Mark’s
8.00pm Church Committee Meeting

Friday 25th March
8.45am Morning Prayer
9.30am Church Playgroup
5.30pm Choristers Practice in Garden Hall
7.45pm Choir Practice

Saturday 26th March
11.30am Baptism Rehearsal
12.00pm Morning Prayer
2.00pm Daffodils for Mothering Sunday in Fellowship
**St Mary's and Parish News**

**THIS WEEK’S EVENTS**

**NO WOC Sunday 20th March**
Anyone requiring a lift to Anthea’s concert in Kingston to be at the church at 2pm

**Climate Action Saturday 26 March**
Talk by John Remedios, professor of Earth Observational Science at Leicester University at 7.30pm in Trinity URC, Mansel Road SW19 4AA.
All welcome. Free entry. Enquiries: julietboyd@doctors.org.uk

**Streaming Sunday Services 9.30am & 6.30pm**
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86241783844?pwd=RjhlK1Z6UHJiNjVSREIMMHVQnIhZQT09
Meeting ID: 86241783844
Password: 006594

**FUTURE EVENTS AND NEWS**

**Mothering Sunday 27th March**
We will be making daffodil posies at 2pm 26th March for Mothering Sunday. All help gratefully received, please email Catherine Linsley to volunteer cathenne@stmaryswimbledon.org

**Sponsor an Easter Egg for Christian Care**
Thank you very much to those that have already donated. We are partnering again with Christian Care to distribute an Easter Egg to thirty children who will otherwise not receive one. We will be giving the children a Real Easter Egg from the Meaningful Chocolate Company. They'll receive an egg and an activity book telling the Easter Story. It costs £4.50, extra money raised will be go to Christian Care and their work. Please put your donation of £5 or more into a named envelope in the green box outside the Parish Office. Contact: catherine@stmaryswimbledon.org or 07970 969143

**Parish Office Closed**
Mon 28th-Weds 30th March inclusive

**Seven Last Words from the Cross Sunday 10th April**
Max Barley, Sarah Colley & our choir have commissioned seven local composers, including Owain Park, Ken Burton, David Bednall, and our very own Esther Bersweden & Andrew Lenon to produce a beautiful collection of new choral music reflecting on Christ’s Seven Last Words from the Cross. The world premiere will be sung in a special Palm Sunday service at 6.30pm on Sunday 10th April accompanied by music, readings & congregational singing. There will be a retiring collection. We will be holding a Bring & Share Supper after the service, details to be confirmed in this newsletter.

**Good Friday 15th April Children’s Service 11.30am**
Children’s Easter workshop Friday 15th April, at 10.30am in Garden Hall, followed by a service in church 11.30 - 12 noon. All children welcome, details of how to sign up will follow in this newsletter at the end of March. Children of all ages welcome; under 5s please to be accompanied by parent/carer.

**Calling all cookbook lovers!**
Due to demand, we are reprinting a small number of our St Mary’s at Home cookbook to sell at events & hopefully local bookshops. We expect a limited number of copies to be available to buy in the Parish Office from early-mid April; we will let you know via this newsletter when they are in stock and how to pay. Please note, this time we will be operating a first come, first serve basis and will not be taking pre-orders. With very best wishes, the Cookbook Team

**HELP WANTED**

**Intercessions at 11.15am Sundays**
We are seeking volunteers to join our intercessions team at 11.15am on Sundays. This is to join a rota and will not be every Sunday. For further information please email The Associate Vicar, Nils Bersweden
nils.bersweden@stmaryswimbledon.org

**Urgent Help Needed**
Can you spare an hour a month on a Friday morning? Join one of our friendly teams to help keep St Mary’s an inviting and beautiful place for all of us. Dusting and tidying once a week between four teams ensures that our church remains spick and span. Contact anita.wilson@talktalk.net

**Volunteers for Gardening**
The gardening group are seeking new volunteers to join them maintain the beauty of our gardens. Options for volunteering:
A) First Saturday of the month 9am-12pm.
B) Weekdays
No experience necessary, tools will be provided. Please contact Richard Pelly with your preference of Saturdays or weekdays: richard.pelly@btinternet.com

**ANTHEM TEXTS**

**9.30am Anthem**
The tree of life my soul hath seen, Laden with fruit and always green: The trees of nature fruitless be Compared with Christ the apple tree.

**6.30pm Anthem**
Ach Herr,lass dein lieb Engelein am letzten End die Seele mein in Abrahams SchoB tragen. den Leib in sein’m Schlaßkämmerlein gar sanft, ohn einge Qual und Pein, ruhn bis am jüngsten Tage.

**Give a Little**
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 mobile phone.