

Welcome to
St Mary's
Church
Wimbledon

Sunday 19th February 2012
St Mary's News

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.

WINTER FUEL CAMPAIGN –Donate your fuel allowance and help someone in Merton. Wimbledon Guild will receive your donations to help local people with food, clothing and heating bills. You can pick up a leaflet to do this at the cross aisles, see the web site wimbledonguild.co.uk or call Jane Platts on **8946 0735** to find out more details.

TUESDAY LUNCH will be on **Tuesday 21st February** hosted by **Jan Levett-Yeats with Dee Robertson at Garden Hall, St Mary's Church, SW19**. From **12.00pm to 1.30pm**. All welcome. **£3.00** in aid of the Bishop's Lent Appeal.

LENT LECTURES in Garden Hall at **8.00pm: February 29th** Dying with Christ- the death of Jesus in Paul, Dr Paula Gooder; **March 7th** Rising with Christ- the resurrection of Jesus in Paul, Dr Paula Gooder; **March 14th** Heaven and the revelation of St John, Revd Dr Marilyn Parry; **March 21st** Life after death in the bible, Revd Dr Keith Ward

LENT GROUP a look at the New Testament Book of Hebrews at 8, Leopold Terrace, Dora Road, SW19 on Wednesdays at **2.30pm** beginning from **29th February**. All welcome.

FUNDRAISING Ben Reville is running the London Marathon on **22nd April** for the Childhood Eye Cancer Trust, a UK charity which has 3 aims: 1. Supporting families affected, in emotional

and practical ways 2. Funding key projects into this potentially fatal disease 3. Raising awareness with health professionals and the public. This disease has directly affected members of our congregation and was a St Mary's chosen charity for the tennis proceeds last year. Please visit justgiving.com/Ben-Revill or to donate by SMS, text **BENS47** and **£amount** to **700070**

CONGREGATION BREAKFAST The next Congregation Breakfast will be at **8.30am** on **Sunday 4th March**. Please do come and join us in Garden Hall either after the 8.00am Communion or before the 9.30am Eucharist.

DO YOU REMEMBER ARTHUR 'ARCHIE' THORNE? BBC programme Heir Hunters are seeking information about him. He was born in 1911, lived for a time in Arthur Road and was a regular at the church in the 50s and 60s. He was keen singer and possibly sang in the choir. He walked with a pronounced limp. He lived laterally in Cambridge Road and died in 2003. If you do have any information please contact the Parish Office.

WINTER WALK the Sunday school's Winter walk is on **Saturday 25th February**. Meet at 2pm outside the White Horse pub in Shere. All welcome.

WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER on Friday **2nd March**. Please join one of the services at St Mark's at **11.00am** or Raynes Park Methodist Church at **8.00pm** as mentioned in Parish News. We particularly hope to find singers to augment the choir at the morning service. Are you free? Also we need two more readers for the evening service, if you would be prepared to take part please contact Mary Ann Turnbull **8947 6550** or maturnbull@aol.com

MAX BARLEY: PIANO / ORGAN TEACHING AND ACCOMPANIMENT Professional piano and organ tuition to students of all ages from beginner level to **ABRSM Grade 8**. Available to accompany ABRSM and Guildhall/ Trinity Grade exams and to offer aural and sight-reading preparation. Lessons in schools, homes or church (organ must be in church) **£20 for 30 mins. £30 for 60 mins.** Weekdays, weekends or evenings. Email max.barley89@gmail.com or t: **07581497335**

LOW CARBON SUNDAYS will continue to be held on the last Sunday of every month. Please note the following dates: **26th February, 25th March, 29th April, 27th May**

GRAPEVINE The deadline for the next issue is **26th February**. All contributions should be in by this date. Would you like to 'Share a Prayer' or a St Mary's anecdote? Any other ideas or suggestions gratefully received. Please send your articles and photos to andriannamaimaris@hotmail.com

ST MARYS MOTHER AND TODDLER GROUP Every Monday during term time 9.30am-11.15 in Garden Hall. Lots of play time, singing and refreshments for pre-school children and parents/ carers.

MERTON SHELTER Many thanks to all the volunteers and caterers who have helped to make the shelter such a success. The shelter was certainly appreciated by all the guests we looked after. Many thanks also for all the donations of clothes and financial contributions. If you would still like to contribute please, make a cheque payable to St Mary's Church clearly marked Night Shelter and leave it at the Parish Office. No more clothing donations please.

LOCAL ACCOMMODATION SOUGHT for a brother and sister aged 18 and 20 during the Tennis Championships. Working nightshifts. Willing to pay. For further information contact Jeanette.davey1@btinternet.com or **01789299145**

Services this Sunday next before Lent

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion	<i>president The Rector</i>
9:30 a.m. Sung Eucharist	<i>president Rev Martin Booth</i> <i>preacher The Rector</i>
11:15 a.m. Family Service	<i>officiant The Rector</i> <i>talk Miss Catherine Parkes</i>
6.30 p.m. Sung Evensong	<i>officiant & preacher The Rector</i>

Hymns for Sung Eucharist 9.30am (HON) 531, 56, 242, 53, 335
Anthem: Ubi Caritas *Durufle*

Hymns for Family Service 11.15am (HON) 275, 53, 398, 335

Hymns for Sung Evensong 6.30pm (NEH) 353, 367, 443, psalm 2
Anthem: God be in my head *Walford Davis*

Readings 1 Kings 19.1-16, 2 Peter 1.16- end

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Contact

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Team Ministry

Weekday Services in the Team

Daily Prayer is said at:

St Mary's at 8.45am –Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri

St Matthew's at 8.30am –Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri

The Eucharist is celebrated at:

St Matthew's at 10.00am – Wednesday

St Mark's at 12.30pm – Wednesday

St Mary's at 10.30am – Thursday

Toddler Praise is at:

St Mary's at 9.15am - Wednesday

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Mozart Requiem by The Ariel Consort of London, conductor Douglas Lee in aid of Marie Curie Cancer Care and St Matthew's Church. On **Saturday 25th February at 7.30pm** at St Matthew's Church. Tickets are **£10** each and can be purchased from : **justgiving.com/douglasleemozartrequiem** or ask Alice Child **8942 9050**. Tickets from Janet McDonough **8946 8478**.

Friday 2nd March is Women's World Day of Prayer This year with the theme Let Justice Prevail, as prepared by Christian women from Malaysia. The services are at St Mark's at **11.00am** and at Raynes Park Methodist Church at **8.00pm** with refreshments after both. There will be a crèche at the St Mark's service. Helpers are still required so if you plan to attend in the morning please contact **Paula Thorvaldsen-Brits 8947 4348**.

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'The End of the Line' An award winning film raising awareness about the crisis in fishing and how fish can be sourced sustainably. Free screening on Thursday **March 15th at Mansel Road Centre, SW19 4AA at 7.30pm**. Enquiries to julietboyd@doctors.org.uk

Items for inclusion on this page should reach the Parish Office
(preferably by email) by Wednesday of each week

The Parish Office, Fellowship House, 30 St Mary's Road, SW19 7BP. Tel: **8946 2605** 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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