

St Paul's Church, Parkside



Sunday 3rd February 2019 Presentation of Christ in the Temple (Candlemas)

Welcome to St Paul's If you are here for the first time, please introduce yourself to one of the people at the door before the service and join us afterwards for coffee or juice in the community centre. Children are very welcome here. If you have come with very young children and they need a break, then please make use of the toys & books in the coffee lounge. The service is relayed there so you won't miss anything – come and go as you like. Members of **all** churches are welcome to receive communion.

10:00	All-age Communion	Revd Dr Nicky von Fraunhofer
Hymns	450 Morning has broken (sheet) When candles are lighted on Candlemas Day 333 It is a thing most wonderful 399 Like a candle flame (choir) 819 He's got the whole world in his hands	
Readings	Luke 2.22-40	Junior Church
Intercessions	Pauline Wright	
Offertory	Junior Church	
Collect	Lord Jesus Christ, light of the nations and glory of Israel: make your home among us, and present us pure and holy to your heavenly Father, your God, and our God. Amen.	
Post Communion Prayer	Lord, you fulfilled the hope of Simeon and Anna, who lived to welcome the Messiah: may we, who have received these gifts beyond words, prepare to meet Christ Jesus when he comes to bring us to eternal life; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. Amen.	
18.00	Evening Prayer	Nicky von Fraunhofer

Schedule of Services

Sundays at 8.00 am: Currently no service during the interregnum.

Sundays at 10.00 am: Sung Communion with All-age Communion on the first Sunday of the month (and mattins on any 5th Sunday in a month).

Celebrants/preachers for Sunday 10.00 am communion:

February 10th: Revd Susan Bolen

Sundays at 6.00 pm: This will be led each week by a small group of volunteers.

Tuesdays at 9.00 am: Morning Prayer, usually led by Norman Allen, followed by Bible study group at 9.20.

Wednesdays at 10.00 am (from February 6th): Eucharist, held in the Lady Chapel and led by Revd Susan Bolen

Thursdays at 9.00 am: Morning Prayer, usually led by Elizabeth Burgess or Margaret Brown.

Saturdays at 9.00 am: Morning Prayer, usually led by Norman Allen.

Please pray for:

Ossie, Muru Thiru, Sue, David Peck, Phyllis, Paula, Helen, MT, RK, ES, Andrew, Enid Webb, Sheila Bain, David, David and Liz Sippy, Pat G

In Memoriam for the month of February:

Alexander Rumbol (1st); Tom Foster (2nd); Amanda Baldock, Muriel Alden (4th); Denys Jones (6th); Pearl Saxby (13th); Lilian Burgess (16th); Rev Herbert Jones, Charles Speare (17th); Sydney Lodge (19th); Peter Heron (20th); Ian Tucker (22nd); Charles Burgess (27th)

Birthdays in the month of February:

1 st	Ruth Williams	23 rd	Soyeon Park
2 nd	Joan Wilson	24 th	David Gooderson
6 th	John Hewitt		Nicholas Childs
7 th	Jamie Johnson	25 th	Josephine Mulaki
8 th	Chris Wright		Geoff Hargreaves
9 th	Charlotte Lee		Bob Essert

Welcome

We welcome **Noah** and his parents Genevieve and Nicholas, together with his Godparents, Alexander, Demi, Shannon and Jennifer, for Noah's baptism today.

Music today

Organ & piano

Organ before the service: *Prestissimo* from *Sonata in B flat* by J. C. Bach (1735-1782) [... *falling and rising* ... Luke 2:34].

Piano end of the service: "*We are family*" (N. Rogers & B. Edwards / Sister Sledge).

For your diary

Induction celebration for Rev Susan Bolen

The Induction of our new Priest-in-Charge, Rev Susan Bolen, by the Bishop of Kingston will take place at **7.30 pm on Tuesday 5th February 2019**. It will be followed by a bring-and-share supper in the Community Centre. Please come and bring friends to help us lay on a great welcome for Susan. A photo and short biography are on the noticeboard at the back of church and can be viewed on the website at w: <http://www.stpaulsparkside.org.uk/wordpress/rev-susan-bolen-appointed-next-priest-in-charge-of-st-pauls/>

The funeral of Bill Major, member of St Paul's church congregation and the choir, will take place on **Wednesday 6th February** at **2.00 pm** in church.

Willington School Choir will perform choral evensong in church on **Thursday 14th February** at **6pm**.

Royal Hospital for Neuro-disability Sponsored Walk, Saturday

16th February, 10.00 am – 3.00 pm. The RHN is organising a five-mile sponsored winter walk across Wimbledon Common, starting and finishing at the Royal Hospital on West Hill. More details: t: 020 8780 4560, e: events@rhn.org.uk or w: <https://www.rhn.org.uk/events/winterwalk/>

World Day of Prayer Service at St Paul's on Friday 1st March at 12 noon.

(World Day of Prayer is still organised by women but now has a unisex title so as to make it clear that men are welcome!) It has not been held here since 2013, so it would be great if we could have a strong welcome for visiting members of other Southfields / Wimbledon Park churches of all denominations. Susan will lead, Kevin will play, but people from other churches will also contribute. This year the service is written by the women of Slovenia and the theme for readings and music is on welcoming all to the table. It's usually a very friendly occasion. Refreshments will be served afterwards in the Community Centre. I'd be grateful for offers of sandwiches and cakes and help with serving (see sign-up sheet at the back).
Margaret

'The Greatest Story Ever Toured', Thursday 7th March at St Barnabas, Southfields. Join comedian Paul Kerensa and The Bible Course creator, Dr Andrew Ollerton, for a night of laughter and learning as the big story of the Bible is unfolded in 'The Greatest Story Ever Toured'. Doors open 7.00 pm for 7.30 pm start. Tickets £5.00 including refreshments are available from the Bible Society at w: <https://www.biblesociety.org.uk/explore-the-bible/the-bible-course/the-bible-course-on-tour>

Our Annual Report and Parochial Church Meeting: Our Annual Parochial Church Meeting will be held earlier than usual, on Sunday 7th April at 12.00 noon in the Community Centre Lounge (refreshments provided). Contributors to the **Annual Report 2018** are asked to submit texts to Guy by **1st March** please.

Notices

Wednesday Eucharist

We will be reverting to holding a midweek Eucharist on Wednesdays at 10.00 am in the Lady Chapel, replacing Morning Prayer. This will start from this **Wednesday 6th February**, and will therefore be Susan's first service! Do come if you can!

Induction Service bring and share supper, Tuesday 5th February 7.30 pm:

Joan will be in the Community Centre **from 5.00 pm onwards** on the day to set up and to receive food. All offers of help with setting and clearing up will be gratefully received. Any queries to Joan Endean on t: 020 8870 4836. Thank you.

Please note that **church bookings** are now managed by Guy Booth, Parish Administrator, who has taken over this role from Chris Wright. We thank Chris for his dedicated hard work over the years and his continued support in this area.

Heathrow Airspace and Future Operations Consultation

Heathrow is running a consultation on its plans for redesigning its airspace, including altered flight paths in advance of a possible third runway. One likely consequence is to have 'planes flying directly over Southfields. More information is available on the consultation website at w: www.heathrowconsultation.com There are various events where all the information will be presented, including at the Antoinette Hotel, Broadway, Wimbledon SW19 1SD on Tuesday 14th February, 2-8 pm. The deadline for responses is **Monday 4th March**.

St Paul's is in an **interregnum** until 5th February, when our new Priest-in-Charge will be licensed.

Until further notice, please contact:

Guy Booth, Parish Administrator, at e: stpaulsparkside@gmail.com
or m: **07533 652695** Parish Office hours: Weds-Fri 09.30-12.30

For urgent enquiries outside office hours, or pastoral assistance, please contact:

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or t: 020 8789 4344

or

Norman Allen, Reader, at e: norman.homantin@gmail.com
or t: **020 8333 2461**

Our Parish website <http://www.stpaulsparkside.org.uk>

Pew sheet contributions **by Thursday 10 am** to:
stpaulsparkside@gmail.com

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