

St Paul's Church, Parkside



Sunday 3rd March 2019 The Sunday next before Lent

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	314, On holy ground (sheet), 67, (choir: Christus Jesus), 357 (tune 354)	
Readings	Luke 9.28-36 [37-43a]	Junior Church
Intercessions	Norman Allen	
Offertory	Junior Church	
Collect	Almighty Father, whose Son was revealed in majesty before he suffered death upon the cross: give us grace to perceive his glory, that we may be strengthened to suffer with him and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.	
Post Communion Prayer	Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ: may we who are partakers at his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.	
18.00	Evening Prayer	Andrew Keat

Schedule of Services

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).

A message from Revd Susan:

We will be discerning our way forward together as a parish and as a church; a review of our services will be part of that process.

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 March:

Marian (Marilyn) Goldstone (1st); Geoffrey Gill (7th); Sibella Bonham-Carter (12th); Jeanne Lacau (16th); Rachel Booth, Martin Pares (24th); Cecil Dickenson (28th)

Birthdays in the month of March:

2 nd	Pam Saxby	17 th	Louise McNamara
3 rd	Tom Heycock	18 th	Norman Allen
4 th	Benedict Hazel	19 th	Rosemary Booth
6 th	Phyllis Jessop	20 th	Sally Keat
8 th	Elaine Sutherland	21 st	Deirdre Gooderson
9 th	Deborah Barratt		Charlie Stoneham
10 th	Alice Parkin	24 th	Rachel Gooderson
11 th	Tilly Grattrick	29 th	David Leyland
13 th	Imogen Wright		Aaron Vallance

Welcome

We warmly welcome **Ava**, her mother Charlotte, father Christian and Godparents, Murray, Perrine and Alex for Ava's baptism at St Paul's today.

Music today

Organ

Before the service: *Mountain Song* by Gaston Borch (1871-1926)

End of the service: *Sinfonia* from *The Lord is my light* by G. F. Handel (1685-1759)

For your diary

Lenten Course with Revd Susan and Revd Nicky: An introduction to Christian Spirituality, that will look briefly at Desert, Benedictine, Franciscan, Ignatian and Carmelite spiritualities. We will also aim to offer experiences of prayer that engage with these traditions.

Dates: Sundays 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st March and 14th April from 6.00-7:30pm in church, followed by refreshments. All most welcome!

'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>

Academy Choir Concert: Saturday 9th March 7.30 at St Johns Church Spencer Hill SW19 4NZ. The programme is based on great Germanic choral pieces of the 19th century, including Bruckner's E Minor Mass and pieces by Brahms and Mendelssohn. Ticket prices on the handbills at the back of church, or at w: www.academychoirwimbledon.co.uk Or contact Julia Raeburn m: 07798 863 967

Our Annual Report and Parochial Church Meeting: Our Annual Parochial Church Meeting will be held on **Sunday 7th April at 12.00 noon** in the Community Centre Lounge (refreshments provided). As the deadline has now passed, can all those who are contributors to the **Annual Report 2018** please submit their reports to Guy **without further delay**, please?

Bach's St John Passion. Holy Saturday, 20th April, 7:30pm, at St John's, SW19 4NZ: the acclaimed London chamber choir, Choir of the 21st Century, under the direction of Wimbledon conductor Max Barley, perform one of J.S. Bach's choral masterpieces, St John Passion, alongside distinguished soloists and players, as part of Wimbledon's marking of Passiontide. Tickets £24/16 (plus small booking fee): <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/bachs-st-john-passion-tickets-55758480115> . Also available at the door if not sold out.

Notices

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 The 'No 3rd Runway Coalition' has provided a document (copies at the back of the church) with its own advice on ways of responding to the consultation, for those who are interested. The deadline for responses is **Monday 4th March**.

Meet with Revd Susan

As part of the process of discerning our way forward as a church and as a community, **Revd Susan** would like to hear from anyone who would welcome a private opportunity to meet her in a relaxed and informal way. Please find sign-up sheets with times at the back of the church. Do feel free to come and discuss any topics of interest. Thank you to those who have already met up.

Prayers for Discernment: The Way Ahead

Revd Susan will be leading parishioners in a series of prayer sessions to seek God's guidance for our vision as a church. These will be held **every Tuesday at 7.30 pm from 12th March**, and **every Wednesday at 11.00 am from 13th March** until further notice, for a half-hour in church. It is an opportunity for quiet prayer and reflection to discern our path forward. All are very much welcome.

Revision of the church Electoral Roll

A reminder, if you have not yet done so, to please re-apply for membership of the Electoral Roll by completing and returning the form contained in the envelope addressed to you at the back of the church. If you are not on the church Electoral Roll, are over 16 years old, baptised, and have been regularly worshipping here for six months or live in the parish, please fill in a form at the back of the church. Please place all completed forms in the box at the back of the church **by Sunday 17th March 2019**. Any questions please speak to Joan Endean.

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

Pew sheet contributions **by Thursday 10 am** to:
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