


# St Paul's Church, Parkside



<b>Sunday 9th February 2020</b> <b>Third Sunday before Lent</b>	
<b>Welcome to St Paul's.</b> If you are here for the first time, we are delighted you have joined us. You are most welcome to come afterwards for coffee or juice in the community centre. Children are very welcome; please feel free to make use of the toys & books in the children's corner to the side of the nave. Members of <b>all</b> churches are welcome to receive communion.	
<b>10:00</b>	<b>Sung Communion</b>
<b>Music before the service</b>	<i>Gnossienne No. 1 - très luisant (shining)</i> by Erik Satie (1866-1925)
<b>Opening Hymn</b>	<b>57</b> Awake, awake: fling off the night
<b>OT reading</b>	Isaiah 58:1-9a [False and true worship]
<b>Psalm response</b>	 <p style="text-align: center;">Hap - py are those, those who fear the Lord.</p>
<b>Epistle</b>	1 Corinthians 2:1-12 [Proclaiming Christ crucified: true wisdom and spirituality]
<b>Gospel Hymn</b>	<b>367</b> Jesus, where'er thy people meet
<b>Gospel</b>	Matthew 5:13-20 [Salt and light, the city on a hill; let your light shine; the law and the prophets]
<b>Offertory hymn</b>	<b>540</b> O thou, who at thy Eucharist didst pray
<b>Communion Hymn</b>	<b>417</b> Lord of our life, and God of our salvation
<b>Final Hymn</b>	<b>171</b> Fill thou my life, O Lord my God
<b>Music at the end of the service</b>	<i>You are the light of the world</i> from <i>Godspell</i> by Stephen Schwartz

<b>Collect</b>	Almighty God, who alone can bring order to the unruly wills and passions of sinful humanity: give your people grace so to love what you command and to desire what you promise, that, among the many changes of this world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. <b>Amen</b>
<b>Post Communion Prayer</b>	Merciful Father, who gave Jesus Christ to be for us the bread of life, that those who come to him should never hunger: draw us to the Lord in faith and love, that we may eat and drink with him at his table in the kingdom, where he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. <b>Amen</b>
<b>18:00</b>	Evening Prayer

### Birthdays in the month of February:

2 <sup>nd</sup>	Joan Wilson	24 <sup>th</sup>	Nicholas Childs
6 <sup>th</sup>	John Hewitt	25 <sup>th</sup>	Josephine Mulaki
7 <sup>th</sup>	Jamie Johnson	25 <sup>th</sup>	Bob Essert
18 <sup>th</sup>	Kay Woolgar	28 <sup>th</sup>	Geoff Hargreaves
24 <sup>th</sup>	David Gooderson		

### Notices

#### Events for babies and toddlers – as well as parents and carers



**Bible Story Time:** a session for **pre-school infants every third Sunday**, in the lounge from **10.00–10.30 a.m.** Parents and carers are invited to bring their new-born to 4-year-olds for some reading, singing and rattle shaking. Next session is next Sunday, **16<sup>th</sup> February**. Stay for coffee and a chat. Contact **Claudia Porter** for more details.

**Tea and Toys – Tuesdays from 9:30–10:45 a.m.,** a time for parents and carers to enjoy a cup of tea or coffee in church while babies and toddlers have fun with toys, followed by a story and singing. If you can help with serving tea and squash, please contact **Revd Susan Bolen** or **Katie Gilbert**.

**Faith & Ferment: Theologians in Context.** Lent Course with simple suppers on Sunday evenings starting on **1<sup>st</sup> March at 6 p.m. in church.** The evenings will begin with a short service of Evening Prayer, followed by a 30-minute talk/discussion about a particular theologian, led by members of our staff or congregation, and finishing with a light lenten supper. The first talk on **1<sup>st</sup> March** will be by **Katie** and **Mark Gilbert** on **Hildegard of Bingen.** Full programme available next week.

**Important – Proposed change to Council Ward Boundaries in St Paul’s Parish:** You may already have heard about the proposed boundary changes in Wandsworth Wards. If implemented, these changes would, for the first time, divide St Paul’s parish between two council wards; details of the division are currently shown on the **Notice Board** at the back of the church. The PCC will be raising objections to these changes on the grounds that they will impact on our ability to represent local matters of interest to our community to the council. The deadline for objections is **17<sup>th</sup> February.** If you would like to input into the objections the PCC are raising, or would like support in sending your own objections, please contact **Margaret Brown** 020 8789 4344/ [margaret.brown@kcl.ac.uk](mailto:margaret.brown@kcl.ac.uk)

**Thursday morning Community Café** is looking for a couple of people to run the café from 10.30–12.30 during term time as part of a rota (approx. once a month). For more information contact **Amanda Gould** on 0208 789 8888 / email: [amanda@gouldzone.co.uk](mailto:amanda@gouldzone.co.uk) or speak to **Sam Egan.**

**Update on Co-op donations to St Paul’s Lunch Club:** Many thanks to you who have joined the Co-op on Inner Park Road and nominated our Lunch Club as your local cause for Co-op donations. To date this has resulted in a donation of **£154.43** to the Lunch Club, with **over £50** being collected in the last month.

**A Date for the Summer: The International Anglican Conference,** which is a conference for Anglican churches all over the world, is being held very close to us this year, in **Whitelands College in Roehampton,** during the week **30<sup>th</sup> June to 4<sup>th</sup> July.** The theme of this year’s conference is ‘*The Promise and Danger of Technology for Christian Higher Education*’. Members of local churches are invited to attend the conference sessions, as well as the opening **Eucharist** where the preacher will be the **Archbishop of Canterbury** and the **Bishop of Southwark** will preside; more details are shown in documents on the **Noticeboard** and on the table at the back of the church.

**Collection:** During this service we will take a collection to support the work of the Church. Donations can also be made via the contactless payment system at the back of church. You can also contribute by direct debit or make a direct bank donation to St. Paul's Church PCC, Sort Code 60 20 09, Account No. 41649990. If you are a UK taxpayer, Gift Aid will augment your contribution by 25% with no additional cost to you. For more information, please speak with our Treasurer, **Philip Warner**.

**The pew sheet:** The **deadline** for new entries for the **Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> February** pew sheet is **3 p.m., Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February**. Please submit entries to [pewsheet@stpaulsparkside.org.uk](mailto:pewsheet@stpaulsparkside.org.uk). Please do take your copy of the pew sheet with you for personal use.

### **Future Services**

**16 February 10 a.m.** Second Sunday before Lent

**23 February 10 a.m.** Sunday next before Lent

**Ash Wednesday 26th February at 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.** Services of Holy Communion with Ashing

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**Our Parish Website**

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