



*Our vision is to be a growing community
where God is found in the beauty and joy of our worship, the warmth of our welcome,
the breadth of our outreach and our love for our neighbour.*

Sunday 28th June 2026

St Peter and St Paul

Welcome to St Paul's as we celebrate our Patronal Festival - and a special welcome to Revd John Shepherd, former vicar of this parish, to preach for us this morning! You can join today's live service online at 10.00 a.m. on our YouTube channel 'St Paul's Wimbledon Parkside' via this direct link: [St Paul's Wimbledon Parkside on YouTube](#), or via one of the links to the YouTube Channel on the St Paul's website: www.stpaulsparkside.org.uk. To receive regular communications from St Paul's by email and text, please update your contact details (email and mobile phone) by sending an email to the Parish Administrator at: office@stpaulsparkside.org.uk

Music before service	<i>Aurea Luce (Light of Dawn)</i> for the Feast of St Peter & St Paul by J. B. Fasolo (1598-1680)
Opening hymn	97 <i>Christ is made the sure foundation</i>
Acts reading	Acts 12.1-11 [An angel rescues Peter from prison]
Gradual hymn	359 <i>Jesus shall reign</i>
Gospel	Matthew 16.13-19 [Peter is the rock]
Preparation hymn	233 <i>God the source and goal of being</i>
Communion anthem	<i>Janitor caeli, doctor orbis pariter</i> (<i>The heavens' porter, and earth's sage</i>) traditional plainsong with English words set to the music of Orlando Gibbons (1583-1625) - see insert sheet
Communion hymn	625 <i>Take my life and let it be</i>
Final hymn	525 <i>One more step along the world I go</i>
Final Music	<i>When the saints go marching in</i> - traditional arr. Kevin Jones

Peter obeys, but that obedience must take flight with the Holy Spirit into an uncharted world where the distinctions between holy and unholy, clean and unclean have been fundamentally upended.

Willie James Jennings

Thank you for your generosity! St Paul's depends on your prayers, and your gifts of time, talents and resources to enable all that we do together in mission. If you'd like to make a one-off financial donation today, please scan the QR code.



Collect	Almighty God, whose blessed apostles Peter and Paul glorified you in their death as in their life: grant that your Church, inspired by their teaching and example, and made one by your Spirit, may ever stand firm upon the one foundation, 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. Amen
Post Communion Prayer	Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Readings: William Fairbarns, John Hewitt. **Intercessions:** David Gooderson.

Coffee after the service: Please join us for coffee in the lounge after this morning's service. Lunch will be served in the hall at 12 noon.

Birthdays in the month of June

3rd

Andrew Nicholson

16th

Josh Nicholson

8th

Hannah Stoneham

Notices



If you would be interested in becoming involved in the ministry of "church-sitting" in pairs to welcome guests, there is a signup sheet for **Saturday mornings only, 10 a.m. - 12 noon**, on the noticeboard at the back of church, if you can help on an occasional basis.

Other days are also possible. Please have a word with Revd Jack or the churchwardens.

Services this week

Evening prayers will be held at **6 p.m. this evening**. Join Revd Jack for **Morning and Evening Prayer** on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m., and **Midday Eucharist** on Wednesdays.

St Paul's Pantry: Next opening is **Thursday 2nd July**.



Tea and Toys



Tea and Toys Playgroup for babies, toddlers and their parents and carers runs on **Tuesdays** during term time from **9-30 - 10.30 a.m.**

Church Notices



Messy Church on Wimbledon Common, Sunday 5th July, 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.:

Please join us for our usual all-age fun, but this month taking the form of a scavenger hunt and a bring-and-share picnic near the Windmill on the Common (to allow for the YMIC Summer Party). Further details of where we'll meet and what to bring will be shared via our mailing list. Please email Revd Jack or Caroline at youth@stpaulsparkside.org.uk to ensure that you're on it.

Please note that there will also be **no Evening Prayer next Sunday 5th July** to allow for the YMIC event.

Summer Fair, Saturday 11th July, 11 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.: We are looking for donations of key items (mainly food and drink) to enable this important event for our Community Centre, as well as for volunteers to help with different activities on the day. Please see the noticeboard at the back of church to sign up - and please come along and invite friends!

Fundraising Wine-tasting, Saturday 25th July, 7:30 p.m. Publicity will be out shortly for this evening of tasting, learning and quizzing with laughs, the proceeds of which will go to **Youth Work at St Paul's** - please spread the word to ensure this is a successful event!

In-person Safeguarding Training, Saturday 5th September, 10 a.m. - 12 noon: There will be an opportunity for those who wish to take foundation-level training in safe-guarding in-person (rather than online) led by members of the Diocesan team. Claire Neate will contact those for whom attendance is required due to volunteering responsibilities - but anybody is welcome to attend, as part of our collective commitment to making St Paul's a safe and trusting environment for everyone. A sign-up sheet is now available on the church noticeboard. Further details TBC, but please keep the date and time in your diary.

St Paul's Pantry Our fundraising sale at Southfields Library went well, with a steady trickle of visitors during the morning and a good atmosphere. We made **£477.90** for the Pantry fund to help us to buy supplies so that we can help those in our community who are struggling with the cost of living. Warm thanks to all who helped on the day, contributed items for the sale, or came and bought something!

We still need your help to keep the Pantry well stocked and particularly need the following at the moment: Sardines in brine/spring water; Mackerel fillets in tomato sauce; Meatballs in tomato sauce; Hot dogs (tins or jars); Long-life milk (1 litre); Tinned sweetcorn (325 g); Mayonnaise; Tomato ketchup; Peach slices; Pineapple chunks; Orange marmalade; Strawberry jam; Tinned custard; Tinned rice pudding; Wheat biscuits ('Weetabix'); Cornflakes (500g); Rice Pops; Washing up liquid

Please bring your contributions and place them on the table on your right as you enter the church. Thank you very much!

Coffee Rota - new volunteers needed! We all enjoy the chance to meet each other and chat over a hot drink after morning service at St Paul's; however, we are short of volunteers! Would you consider joining the rota? It's a great way to get to know other people at St Paul's better. It's not difficult to learn the ropes and we will be happy to go through things with you, should you want to find out more. Please speak to Juliet Childs if you think you could help with this important aspect of our fellowship.

Youth and Children Notices

YMIC Summer Party at St Paul's, next Sunday 5th July, 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. We're delighted to be hosting this Summer Party for young people from Years 6 to 13 (aged 10-18) across South London. Come along to have hours of fun on giant inflatables, including an obstacle course and total wipeout style competitions. Or perhaps gaming, food and crafts are more your thing... To sign up please scan the QR Code on the flyer or poster at the back of church, or speak to a member of the clergy.

YMIC Youth Camp, 26th-29th October Sign-up is now also open for this activity-packed and exciting youth residential in the October half-term for school years 7+ (that includes current Y6s!) It is a 4-day (3 night) trip, packed with exciting activities - think high ropes, mountain biking, archery and crate stacking. It will also provide more information please follow the link below to our website: <https://www.ymic-southwark.org/youth-camp-2026>

The pew sheet: Please send notices to pewsheet@stpaulsparkside.org.uk. The deadline for next Sunday's pew sheet is midday **Tuesday 30th June**.

Future Services		In church and online
28th June 6:00 p.m. Evening Prayer		
1st July 12 noon Midweek Communion		
5th July 10:00 a.m. Holy Communion for Fifth Sunday after Trinity		
5th July 4:00 p.m. Messy Church on Wimbledon Common		
5th July 5:00 p.m. Youth Ministry in Communion Summer Party		
Contacts at St Paul's		
Guy Booth, Parish Administrator Office hours: Weds-Fri, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. office@stpaulsparkside.org.uk t: 020 8785 2341 m: 07533 652 695 Sam Egan, Community Centre Manager Office hours: Tues and Thurs, 9 a.m.-6 p.m. communitycentre@stpaulsparkside.org.uk t: 020 8785 6327 m: 07483 162573 Pew sheet entries pewsheet@stpaulsparkside.org.uk		For urgent enquiries outside office hours, or pastoral assistance, please contact: The Revd Susan Bolen, Vicar revsusan@stpaulsparkside.org.uk t: 0208 788 2024 m: 07540 383 081 Day off: Friday Or to chat with our Curate: The Revd Jack Belloli revjack@stpaulsparkside.org.uk Day off: Friday; Study Day: Monday Norman Allen, Reader norman.homantin@gmail.com