

*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 27th April 2025 Second Sunday of Easter	
<p>Welcome to St Paul's. 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</p>	
Organ before service	Prelude on the Easter hymn <i>Frühmorgens da die sonn aufgeht</i> (Early morning as the sun arises) by P. Blumenthal (1843 – 1930)
Opening hymn	475 <i>Now the green blade riseth</i>
Acts reading	Acts 5:27-32 [Peter defends himself before the high priest; he follows God who raised up Jesus]
Gradual hymn	67 <i>Be still for the presence of the Lord</i>
Gospel	John 20:19-31 [Jesus appears in the upper room and disproves Thomas' doubts]
Preparation hymn	637 <i>The day of resurrection</i>
Communion anthem	<i>Happy Morning</i> trad. African-American arr. K. Jones 1. <i>Doubt no more, Thomas. Jesus rise from de dead, happy morning, glorious morning.</i> <i>My saviour rise from de dead, happy morning.</i> 2. <i>Weep no more, Mary. Jesus rise from de dead ...</i> 3. <i>Fear no more, brothers. Fear no more, sisters.</i> <i>Jesus rise from de dead ...</i>
Communion hymn	361 <i>Jesus stand among us at the meeting of our lives</i>
Final hymn	672 <i>Thine be the glory</i>
Final voluntary	<i>Quia vidisti me, Thoma</i> (Because you have seen me, Thomas) by Hans Leo Hassler (1564-1612)

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Please take this copy of the pew sheet with you for your personal use

Collect	Almighty Father, you have given your only Son to die for our sins and to rise again for our justification: grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and wickedness that we may always serve you in pureness of living and truth; through the merits of your Son Jesus Christ 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	God of Life, who for our redemption gave your only-begotten Son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection have delivered us from the power of our enemy: grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his risen life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Readings: Caroline Keat, Jacqueline Johnson. **Intercessions:** Pauline Wright.

Coffee after the service: Please join us for coffee in the lounge after this morning's service.

Birthdays in the month of April

1 st	Joan Endean	9 th	Lois Allen	13 th	Simon Childs
4 th	Sue Chick	9 th	Sebastiaan Bolen	19 th	Elizabeth Simon
4 th	Eve Speare	11 th	Anne Minors	24 th	Paula Williams

Notices

The church is also open during the week for **private prayer**. *There are vacancies to be filled on Fridays*. If you can help out to expand these hours, please contact **Terry Woolgar** at telkay42@gmail.com or 01737 362 270. Please note the times of opening may vary.

OPENING TIMES		
Mondays	2 pm -	4 pm
Tuesdays	10 am -	12 am
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Wednesday	11:30 am -	12:30 pm
Thursdays	10 am -	12 am
Saturdays	10 am -	12 am
Sundays	9 am -	10 am
	6 pm -	7 pm

Services this week

Evening prayers will be held at **6 p.m. this evening**. Join Rev'd Susan and Rev'd Jack for **Morning and Evening Prayer** at **9:00 a.m.** and **6:00 p.m.** in the Lady Chapel Monday to Thursday, and **Midday Eucharist** on **Wednesdays**.

St Paul's Pantry: Next Opening is **Thursday 8th May, 6:30-7:30 p.m.**



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 Events

A huge thank you to all those who have contributed to making last week's services so special - especially to those who have contributed through music, reading or leading prayers, serving, cleaning and decorating, arranging or sponsoring flowers, and helping with refreshments.



Messy Church 4th May at 4:00 p.m.! Please join us for stories, craft, games, food and lots of fun. Remember - it's not just for kids. Everyone is welcome!

Annual Parochial Church Meeting: Please plan to stay after the service and coffee on **Sunday 11th May** for our APCM - an opportunity to celebrate our ministry and mission over the last year, to thank everyone who has contributed to it, and to elect new members of the PCC. The reports should be available to read next week.

Celebration Service for the Kingston-Matabeleland Link, next Tuesday 29th April, 7:00 p.m. at St Mark's Kennington: Everyone is invited for this celebration service with Bishop Cleophas from our link diocese, followed by a delicious Zimbabwean meal. Please see the poster at the back of church for details of how to sign up.

"Re-imagining Church", Tuesday 6th May, 7:30 p.m. at St Barnabas, Southfields: An interview with Lamorna Ash about her new book *Don't Forget We're Here Forever: A New Generation's Search for Religion*, followed by a discussion with Bishop Martin about how the Church should respond to people questioning their faith today. Free drink and nibbles.

Community Hub: We host an intergenerational "warm space" in our Community Centre every Thursday morning from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. - an opportunity to meet others and make connections over free refreshments, puzzles, conversation and other activities. Pre-school children and their parents/carers are very welcome. Please consider joining us, or recommending it to those who might benefit - and if you'd like to explore becoming a host to facilitate the space, please speak to Rev'd Susan or Rev'd Jack.

Further dates for your diary:

Wednesday 2nd July, time tbc: Garden party for St Paul's hosted by Bishop Martin in Albert Drive.

Saturday 12th July, 11:00 a.m. - 3 p.m.: Summer Fete in the Community Centre.

Saturday 19th July, 7 for 7:30 p.m.: Fundraising Quiz Night in the Community Centre.

Saturday 20th September, all day: Kingston Area Episcopal lay conference on "Confident Faith in a Changing World" at St Cecilia's School (Keynote speaker: Rowan Williams).

Giving: Your giving is what enables St Paul's in all its services and work in the community. Everything that happens here is carried by the prayers, volunteering and generous giving of our congregation and guests. Giving - in gifts and acts of service - is at the heart of all we do as a church, but all the gifts we receive are hugely appreciated and make a difference. You can give using the card reader at the door; cash or cheque using a giving envelope can be dropped in the box near the door. If you are a UK taxpayer, please consider filling in the Gift Aid declaration on the envelope to make your gift go even further. You can also give a one-off donation using this QR code.



The pew sheet: Please send notices to pewsheet@stpaulsparkside.org.uk. The deadline for next Sunday's pew sheet is midday **Tuesday 29th April**.

Future Services		In church and online
27 th April, 6:00 p.m.: Evening Prayer		
30 th April, 12 noon: Midweek Communion		
4 th May, 10:00 a.m.: Holy Communion for Third Sunday of Easter		
4 th May, 4:00 p.m.: Messy Church		
Contacts at St Paul's		
<p>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</p> <p>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 62573</p> <p>Pew sheet entries pewsheet@stpaulsparkside.org.uk</p>		<p>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</p> <p>Or to chat with our Curate: The Revd Jack Belloli revjack@stpaulsparkside.org.uk Day off: Friday; Study Day: Monday</p> <p>Norman Allen, Reader norman.homantin@gmail.com</p>