

*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.*

<b>Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2025</b> <b>Seventh Sunday of Easter</b>	
<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: <a href="#">St Paul's Wimbledon Parkside on YouTube</a>, or via one of the links to the YouTube Channel on the St Paul's website: <a href="http://www.stpaulsparkside.org.uk">www.stpaulsparkside.org.uk</a> 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: <a href="mailto:office@stpaulsparkside.org.uk">office@stpaulsparkside.org.uk</a></p>	
<b>Organ before service</b>	<i>So God loved the world</i> by Orlando Gibbons (1583-1625)
<b>Opening hymn</b>	<b>217</b> <i>God is love! let heaven adore him</i>
<b>Acts reading</b>	Acts 16:16-34 [Paul and Silas are flogged and imprisoned, but escape after an earthquake; the jailer is converted]
<b>Gradual hymn</b>	<b>364</b> <i>Jesus, the name high over all</i>
<b>Gospel</b>	John 17:20-26 [Jesus prays for the disciples that they may be one, and that the world may believe]
<b>Preparation hymn</b>	<b>12</b> <i>Alleluia, sing to Jesus</i>
<b>Communion hymns</b>	<b>540</b> <i>O thou who at thy eucharist didst pray</i>
<b>Final hymn</b>	<b>186</b> <i>For the healing of the nations</i>
<b>Final voluntary</b>	<i>Chorus of the freed prisoners</i> from the cantata <i>Paul and Silas in Macedonia</i> by Francis Gladstone (1845-1928)

*The Church is not a gathering of the like-minded. It is not a club or a political party. It is the assembly of those whom God has called, from every corner of life, to be transformed by the love of Christ and to live in that love together.*

Rowan Williams

**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.



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

<b>Collect</b>	O God the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: we beseech you, leave us not comfortless, but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen
<b>Post Communion Prayer</b>	Eternal God, giver of love and power, your Son Jesus Christ has sent us into all the world to preach the gospel of his kingdom: confirm us in this mission, and help us to live the good news we proclaim; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

**Readings:** Sue Chick, Guy Booth. **Intercessions:** Sue Chick.

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

### **Birthdays in the month of June**

3 <sup>rd</sup>	Andrew Nicholson	16 <sup>th</sup>	Josh Nicholson
8 <sup>th</sup>	Hannah Stoneham		

### **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](mailto: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 5<sup>th</sup> June, 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



**Messy Church today 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! **It is preceded at 3:30 p.m. by the first rehearsal of our revived Junior Choir.**

**Altar Serving:** We are always delighted to hear from anyone who'd be interested in joining our serving team, who carry a cross or candles in procession and help to prepare the communion table. Adults and children are equally welcome; training is provided, and no experience is necessary. Please speak to Rev'd Susan, Rev'd Jack or Claire Neate for more information.

**Confirmation:** We are hoping to begin classes for adults interested in learning more about the Christian faith and exploring being confirmed. If you would like to find out more, please speak to Rev'd Susan or Rev'd Jack.

**Pentecost, Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> June:** One of our customs at the 10:00 a.m. Pentecost service is for lines from the Lord's Prayer to be recited in some of the different languages spoken by members of our congregation. If you'd like to offer a line in a language you know (especially if you'd like to try for the first time!), please speak to Rev'd Jack.

**"Thy Kingdom Come" Family Service for Pentecost, Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> June, 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. at Southwark Cathedral:** We'd love our families to join this afternoon of fun, creativity and interaction for all ages to celebrate the joy of Pentecost. You'd be welcome to travel up with Rev'd Jack from Southfields station at **1:30 p.m.** or to meet us at the cathedral: in either case, please let us know if we should expect you and book a place at [bit.ly/PentecostTKC](http://bit.ly/PentecostTKC)

**Eco-Pilgrimage for Green Week, 8<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> June:** Everyone is very welcome to join Bishop Martin and a group of pilgrims on one or more days of their walking pilgrimage through the Diocese. For further details and a QR code for the website, see the green poster at the back of church. As part of the pilgrimage, there will be an Eco-outreach evening event, aimed at people in our local area, at St Barnabas Southfields on **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> June, 7:30 - 9:00 p.m.**

**Churchwardens' Service, Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June, 8:00 p.m. at St John the Divine, Richmond:** Everyone is invited to come and support Gill and Mike as they renew their commitments as our churchwardens!

**Bishop Martin's Garden Tea Party for St Paul's, Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July, 4 - 6 p.m.:** Bishop Martin is delighted to invite members of his parish to his home in Albert Drive, for a celebration with tea and cake. Please sign up on the list on the noticeboard, with dietary requirements and names of all attending by **22<sup>nd</sup> June.**



**Christians at Pride in London, Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> July:** Rev'd Susan and Rev'd Jack are currently exploring opportunities to be involved with the Christian presence at this year's Pride festival, potentially joining a group from Southwark Cathedral on the march. If you are interested in being part of this, please speak to one of them as soon as possible and we will keep you informed.

### Further dates for your diary:

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

**Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> July, 7 for 7:30 p.m.:** Fundraising Quiz Night in the Community Centre.

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

### Interfaith events

**Ahmadiyya Muslim Women's Association's National Peace Symposium, Baitul Futuh Mosque in Morden, Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June from 4:30 p.m.:** All women from the parish are very welcome to this symposium, to include tours of the mosque and dinner. For more information and to book, visit: [www.WomenAmbassadorsForPeace.eventbrite.co.uk](http://www.WomenAmbassadorsForPeace.eventbrite.co.uk)

**Council for Christians and Jews Summer Social, Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> June, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.:** Please book online at [bit.ly/ccjgarden25](http://bit.ly/ccjgarden25) or by emailing [ccj.swlondon@gmail.com](mailto:ccj.swlondon@gmail.com). Location (in Wimbledon) will be provided upon booking; £5 contribution requested on the door.

**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 in 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](mailto:pewsheet@stpaulsparkside.org.uk). The deadline for next Sunday's pew sheet is midday **Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June**.

Future Services		In church and online
1 <sup>st</sup> June, 4:00 p.m.: Messy Church		
1 <sup>st</sup> June, 6:00 p.m.: Evening Prayer		
4 <sup>th</sup> June, 12 noon: Midweek Communion		
8 <sup>th</sup> June, 10:00 a.m.: Holy Communion for Pentecost		
Contacts at St Paul's		
<p><b>Guy Booth</b>, Parish Administrator Office hours: Weds-Fri, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. <a href="mailto:office@stpaulsparkside.org.uk">office@stpaulsparkside.org.uk</a> t: 020 8785 2341 m: 07533 652 695</p> <p><b>Sam Egan</b>, Community Centre Manager Office hours: Tues and Thurs, 9 a.m.-6 p.m. <a href="mailto:communitycentre@stpaulsparkside.org.uk">communitycentre@stpaulsparkside.org.uk</a> t: 020 8785 6327 m: 07483 62573</p> <p><b>Pew sheet entries</b> <a href="mailto:pewsheet@stpaulsparkside.org.uk">pewsheet@stpaulsparkside.org.uk</a></p>	<p>For urgent enquiries outside office hours, or pastoral assistance, please contact: <b>The Revd Susan Bolen</b>, Vicar <a href="mailto:revsusan@stpaulsparkside.org.uk">revsusan@stpaulsparkside.org.uk</a> t: 0208 788 2024 m: 07540 383 081 Day off: Friday</p> <p>Or to chat with our Curate: <b>The Revd Jack Belloli</b> <a href="mailto:revjack@stpaulsparkside.org.uk">revjack@stpaulsparkside.org.uk</a> Day off: Friday; Study Day: Monday</p> <p><b>Norman Allen</b>, Reader <a href="mailto:norman.homantin@gmail.com">norman.homantin@gmail.com</a></p>	