

**St Paul's Church,
Parkside**



**Sunday 28th February 2016
Lent 3**

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 are here 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 – and come and go as you like. Members of **all** churches are welcome to receive communion.

8:00	Holy Communion (CW) Heinz Toller	
10:00	Sung Communion C: Heinz Toller D: Nicky von Fraunhofer	
Hymns	598, 310, 156, 429, 252.	
Readings	Isaiah 55.1-9 1 Corinthians 10.1-13 Luke 13.1-9	John Hewitt John Hewitt Rosemary Booth
Intercessions	Nicky von Fraunhofer	
Offertory	John & Rosemary	
Collect	Living Mystery, whose way is not ours, whose name cannot be bought or sold: lead us from justice without compassion and sacrifice without mercy to a love which nurtures and a grace without price; through Jesus Christ, the true Bread. Amen.	
Post Communion Prayer	Merciful Lord, grant your people grace to withstand the temptations of the world, the flesh and the devil, and with pure hearts and minds to follow you, the only God; through Jesus Christ our Lord.	
18:00	Evening Prayer Norman Allen	

For your Diary:

Women's World Day of Prayer on Friday March 4th at 2pm

The service this year is at St Barnabas Church at the corner of Merton Road and Lavenham Road. The service has been contributed by representatives of Christian women of Cuba on a theme of the place of children in the church. The Women's World Day of Prayer is associated with International Women's Day and is celebrated by Christian churches throughout the world. Our service is organised by a group of local women from the Southfields Churches, and will involve some of St Paul's congregation. It is usually a pleasant occasion with about 60 people attending, including men, who are welcome. There will be refreshments afterwards to allow people from different local churches to meet. Please come and support if you can!

The Awkward Squad – St Paul's Men's Group

An evening of home cooked food, followed by intelligent conversation. **Friday, March 18th from 7pm** in the coffee lounge of St Paul's Community Centre. **BREXIT - yes, no, or (still) undecided?** (Subject to be confirmed)

FLOWER FESTIVAL – 17-19 June 2016 – HELP NEEDED.

We are looking for the following to use for displays during the Flower Festival:

- Photo's (in hard copy please) of any Baptisms, First Communion's, Confirmations* or Weddings to have taken place here.
- Information on The Music Marathon, magazine article, programme, photo's etc from the 1980's.
- Information, written or verbal, on Jessie Manning's visit to Westminster Abbey in 1973 for the Royal Maundy Service.
- Christening robes, outfits used here.

* to include photos of members of St Paul's congregation prepared for confirmation here but services held in other churches.

If you could let me know as soon as possible whether you have any materials you would be willing to lend, that would be most helpful. I would be looking to collect items from mid-May.
Doreen Hewitt

Learning opportunities at St Paul's

We have started a new **Preparation for Admission to Communion** for our 6-10 year olds on Sundays in lent (after the morning service 11.30am – 12.15pm). You are not too late to join in, but need to act quickly ...

Prayer Calendar for this week

Mon 29	9:00	No Service (staff day off)
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Weydown Close, Princes Way
Tue 1	09:00 09:25	Morning Prayer Bible Study (in the Vicarage)
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Wimbledon Park Court, Wimbledon Park Road (251-381, 250-418)
Wed 2	9:00 10:00	Silent Morning Prayer Communion Service
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Pam Saxby, Gerard Bonham-Carter Winterfold Close, Albert Drive
Thu 3	9:00	Morning Prayer
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Tom Heycock Woodspring Road
Fri 4	9:00	Silent Morning Prayer
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Benedict Hazel Acorns, Augustus Road
Sat 5	09:00	Morning Prayer
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Albemarle, Parkside
Sun 6	8:00 10:00 18:00	Holy Communion (1662) Heinz Toller All-age Communion C: Heinz Toller P: Nicky von Fraunhofer Evening Prayer Heinz Toller

Please pray for: Ossie, Muru Thiru, Sue, David Peck, John T, Phyllis, Paula, Helen, MT, Jeanne, Yvette, Andrew, RK, Lisa, Bridget, Margaret, John, Marian Goldstone, Maria Goldstone.

Music for today:

Organ before service: *Beside the still waters* by Gary Bachlund (2015)
Between readings: *Heaven and Earth* attrib. Francis Tregian (1574-1618)

Piano after service: *Hard to say I'm sorry* by Peter Cetera and David Foster (1982)

We are also running an "**Exploring the Christian Faith**" group for those who want to be confirmed (young adults / adults) or just want to know more about the Christian faith on three Sunday afternoons in Lent (28 Feb, 6 & 13 March, 2-4 in the Vicarage). Please tell me if you are interested ... or tell someone who might like to join in.

The "**4ChurchesGroup**" are holding a joint training / support event for all involved with children at our church on **Saturday, 16th April 2016**. We are meeting at St Barnabas between 9.30am and 1pm for a conference style programme with a facilitator / speaker from outside.

And finally, **Godly Play** training opportunity – if you are interested, speak to Heinz (you could still go on the waiting list for this event).

FAIR TRADE STALL

The new Traidcraft catalogues are here, with some new grocery products in stock. Please take one to see if there is anything you buy regularly, that you could switch to buying fairly traded!

Lunch Club

If you would like a good meal and good company, why not come along and join us - price £4 - **every Tuesday at 12.15 pm** in the Coffee Lounge. Call Judy for more details and to book (0208 789 4493).

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Our Parish website

<http://www.stpaulswimbledonpark.org.uk>
You can access the site directly by scanning the code on the left with your smartphone.

PCC info: <http://sp2.forkgen.com/category/pcc-documents/>

Pew sheet contributions **by Wednesday 6pm** to:
tamwilson01@yahoo.co.uk

**St Paul's is a registered charity – No 1142917
We can benefit from GiftAid if you use the envelopes provided**

Food Bank needs supplies by the end of the month so donations, especially of the following would be much appreciated: Teabags, coffee, long- life milk, fruit juice, sugar, cereal (Weetabix type, cornflakes, muesli (not the sugary ones), tinned fish (if possible in oil not water) tinned meat, including corned beef, biscuits. Hopefully there will be a box for donations at the back of the church.