

**St Paul's Church,  
Parkside**



**Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2017  
Mothering Sunday/ Lent 4**

**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.

<b>8:00 Holy Communion (CW)</b>	Heinz Toller
<b>10:00 All-age Communion</b>	Heinz Toller/Margery Toller
<b>Hymns</b>	57, 184, 72, 29.
<b>Readings</b>	1 Samuel 1.20-28 Isabel Heycock Luke 2.33-35* Junior Church
<b>Intercessions</b>	Norman Allen
<b>Offertory</b>	Isabel & Lois
<b>Collect</b>	God made known in the strength and vulnerability of birth, the joy and pain of motherhood, in nights of sleepless love, and inner ocean's flow, in demands without number and questions without answer: give us gratitude for the women who carried us, for the carers who nurture us and for the chance to pass on life to others; through Jesus Christ, Mary's Child. Amen.
<b>Post Communion Prayer</b>	Lord God, whose blessed Son our Saviour gave his back to the smiters and did not hide his face from shame: give us grace to endure the sufferings of this present time with sure confidence in the glory that shall be revealed; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.
<b>18:00 Evening Prayer</b>	Heinz Toller

*Refrain:* Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love, show us how to serve the neighbours we have from you.

1. Kneels at the feet of his friends, silently washes their feet, master who acts as a slave to them.
2. Neighbours are rich folk and poor, neighbours are black, brown and white, neighbours are nearby and far away.
3. These are the ones we should serve, these are the ones we should love; all these are neighbours to us and you.
4. Loving puts us on our knees, serving as though we are slaves; this is the way we should live with you.

Adults and children during communion: *Under his wings* words: Kevin Jones (from Psalm 91) music: *Ombra mai fu* from *Xerxes* by G. F. Handel (1685-1759) arr. Kevin Jones

Under his wings, cradled by God above, shielding embrace of love, sweet comfort brings. Safe in his arms of love, under his wings, sheltered by God above, shielding embrace of love, sweet comfort brings.

**For your Diary:**

**Lent 2017**

In our **Sunday 10am Service**, instead of the sermon, we will be having Gospel Conversations between two biblical characters:

**TODAY** Conversation with Mary

**2nd April** Conversation with Lazarus

and an opportunity to enter that conversation with each other after the service (about **11.45 in the Studio of the Community Centre**).

The **vestry will be spring cleaned** this week following. If you have left anything of yours in it, please take it away, unless it is something that is used regularly in church, in which case please label it with a Post-it note indicating that. You have been warned...!

**The Gospel of Matthew by Candlelight** performed by George Dillon **1st April 2017, 7pm** St Barnabas £10 (Concessions £5)

**Sunday 2 April at 7.15pm (after Evensong)** Stuart Raeburn (Tenor) and David Elwin (Piano) will be presenting a recital of music for Voice and Piano which will include music by two Twentieth Century English Composers: Songs by Roger Quilter who was born in 1877 and Piano Solos by John Ireland (texts will be supplied!).

It is not anticipated that the recital will exceed 50 minutes and some refreshments will be available. There will be no charge for admission, and a **retiring collection** will be made for the **Disaster Emergencies Committee Appeal for East Africa**.

**Prayer Calendar for this week**

<b>Mon</b> 27	9:00	No Service (staff day off)
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Florys Court, Augustus Road
<b>Tue</b> 28	09:00 09:25	Morning Prayer Bible Study (in the Vicarage)
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Frimley Close, Victoria Drive
<b>Wed</b> 29	9:00 10:00	Silent Morning Prayer <b>Holy Communion Service</b>
Birthdays		
Intercessions		David Leyland, Aaron Vallance
<b>Thu</b> 30	9:00	Morning Prayer
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Galgate Close, Augustus Road
<b>Fri</b> 31	9:00	Silent Morning Prayer
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Preethika Chandran
<b>Sat</b> 1	9:00	Morning Prayer
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Glen Albyn Road
<b>Sun</b> 2	08:00 10:00 18:00	<b>Holy Communion (1662)</b> Margery Toller <b>Sung Communion and Baptism</b> Margery Toller /Heinz Toller <b>Evening Prayer</b> Norman Allen

**In Memoriam:** Cecil Dickenson

**Please pray for:** Ossie, Muru Thiru, Sue, David Peck, Phyllis, Paula, Helen, MT, Jeanne, Yvette, Andrew, RK, Lisa, Bridget, Margaret, John, Sheila Baines.

**Today's music:** Before the service: *Jak zpívala matinka za noci chorému děcku* (How mother used to sing at night to her sick child) by Josef Suk (1874-1935); After the service: *Grandmother's Minuet* by Edvard Grieg (1843-1907)

Children before gospel: *Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love* words: Tom Colvin, music: Ghanaian melody arr. Kevin Jones

**Churches Joint Sponsored Walk** for the Bishop's Lent Appeal followed by lunch (£5) in the Community Centre. **Palm Sunday 9th April, 11.45am.** Sponsor forms will be available soon.

**APCM 23rd April 2017 12noon in the Community Centre** If you're leading any activity in the church, please send your annual report to htoller@gmail.com **Subject line: APCM Report 2017** – please use this exact subject line so your report can be easily retrieved. If you are interested in being a member of **St Paul's PCC**, please speak to Margaret Brown, Nicky von Fraunhofer or Heinz Toller. We will also be looking for a new member or two of **Wandsworth Deanery Synod**

**Christian Aid Week: 14th-20th May**, with Southfields tube station collection on Friday 19th May

**Garden party with and for the local community 17th June 2017, 4-7pm** Tea, coffee and cakes, plant sales, music and fun in the Vicarage Garden (ending with a mid-summer bonfire and BBQ).

**Iona abbey pilgrimage Sat 26 Aug – Fri 1st September.** For more information, please speak to Margery Toller. 0208 788 2024

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**Our Parish website**

<http://www.stpaulswimbletonpark.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**

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