

**St Paul's Church,
Parkside**



**Sunday 14th May 2017
The Fifth Sunday of Easter**

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)	Nicky von Fraunhofer
10:00	Sung Communion	Nicky von Fraunhofer
Hymns	346, Psalm 31, Honduran Alleluia (sheet), 514, 297, 217.	
Readings	Acts 7.55-60 1 Peter 2.2-10 John 14.1-14	Alison Hunt Alison Hunt Jacqueline Johnson
Antiphon	I trust in you, O Lord, for you are my God (see inside)	
Intercessions	Daphne Foster	
Offertory	Alison & Jacqueline	
Collect	Generous God, whose way is love, whose truth is searching, whose life is freely given in Jesus Christ our Lord: as you have opened for us your house of many rooms, so may we make a place for the rejected and unloved, and share the work of peace; through Jesus Christ, the image of God. Amen.	
Post Communion Prayer	Eternal God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life: grant us to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who is alive and reigns, now and forever. Amen.	
18:00	NO Healing Service	

Psalm 31 - Antiphon



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For your Diary:

Christian Aid week starts this week. Please check for spare rounds if you have capacity.

We have permission to collect at Southfields tube station on Friday May 19th. Please sign up on the sheet on the noticeboard at the back if you can help with this.

There is also a **sponsored walk** for individuals and families on the afternoon of Sunday 21st May strolling around the City churches (either 8km or 5km). On the route there will be family-friendly activities. Details on the poster at the back. *Margaret Brown*

Awkward Squad – St Paul's men's group – **Friday 26th May from 7pm** in the Community Centre; please let Norman know you're coming.

Joint Evensong with the 4churches Group 11th June 2017 6pm at St Barnabas Church

The Bishop of Kingston invites all lay people in the Kingston Area to a Day Conference on **Saturday June 17th 2017. Arrive at 9.15am for a 9.30am start; ends at 2.30pm - St Cecilia's Church of England School, Sutherland Grove, London SW18 5JR**

The Conference will offer a choice from ten workshops which are designed to support participants in deepening their Christian lives. There will be encouragement to develop confidence as disciples, opportunities for fellowship and prayer, and sessions on particular ways in which lay people can support the growth of their church. The event will include practical training for churchwardens, and I shall be talking about the nature of the relationship between religion and science, one of the great challenges in the 21st Century. I hope that participants will go away renewed, challenged and equipped, with their hearts on fire to follow Jesus.

Garden party with and for the local community **17th June 2017**
Tea, coffee and cakes, BBQ, music and fun in the Vicarage Garden.

Prayer Calendar for this week

Mon 15	9:00	No Service (staff day off)	
Birthdays			
Intercessions		Plowman House, Limpsfield Avenue	
Tue 16	09:00 09:25	Morning Prayer Bible Study (in the Vicarage)	
Birthdays		William Keat	
Intercessions		Princes Way (59-79, 64-100)	
Wed 17	9:00 10:00	Silent Morning Prayer No Holy Communion Service	
Birthdays			
Intercessions		Queensmere Road (odds)	
Thu 18	9:00	Morning Prayer	
Birthdays			
Intercessions		Radley Lodge, Inner Park Road	
Fri 19	9:00	Silent Morning Prayer	
Birthdays		Nazarene Sutherland	
Intercessions		Roundacre, Inner Park Road	
Sat 20	9:00	Morning Prayer	
Birthdays		Martin Kirvan	
Intercessions		Sarjant Path, Queensmere Road	
Sun 21	08:00 10:00 10:00 18:00	Holy Communion (1662) Mustard Seed Sung Communion No Evening Prayer	Nicky von Fraunhofer Nicky von Fraunhofer

Today's Birthday: Victoria Simon

In Memoriam: George Thompson

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

Music for today: Organ before the service: *Variations on a Gaelic Air* (music to hymn 346) Piano after the service: *Dance of the precious stones* from *The tale of the stone flower* by Sergei Prokofiev (1891-1953)

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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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APPLICATIONS TO THE JEAN GARLING FUND for 2017-8

The fund is used to make "small grants to assist with the training or spiritual development of regular communicant lay members of St Paul's Church". Applications are invited for 2017-8. Examples of grants which have been made are:- payment for a day's course on Godly Play for a Junior Church Leader; contribution for the expenses of attending a retreat; another towards the fees for a Diploma Course in Pastoral Counselling; others for book grants. **Application forms are available from Elizabeth Burgess or Doreen Hewitt.**

Retirement As I will hopefully complete the 65th year of my life at the end of this year and reach what has traditionally been retirement age, I have been thinking about my own future – as well as the future of the church – and I have come to the conclusion that it's time for me to retire. Not today or tomorrow, but at the end of January 2018. I'm telling you this today so that we can all get used to the idea and so that the PCC and the Churchwardens have got plenty of time to get into gear and prepare all the necessary for the search for a new vicar.

Heinz Toller