

**St Paul's Church,
Parkside**



**Sunday 25th June 2017
Trinity 2**

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	Heinz Toller
Hymns	565, 450, 756, 30, 60.	
Readings	Genesis 21.8-21 Romans 6.1b-11 Matthew 10.24-39	Rosemary Booth Rosemary Booth Richard Simon
Intercessions	Sue Chick	
Offertory	Rosemary & Richard	
Collect	God of truth uncovered, you trace the sparrow's flight, and plumb the secret places of the heart: bring our fear and conflict into the light of your presence; help us to lose our hollow life and find our way to you; through Jesus Christ, the master and the slave. Amen.	
Post Communion Prayer	Loving Father, we thank you for feeding us at the supper of your Son: sustain us with your Spirit, that we may serve you here on earth until our joy is complete in heaven, and we share in the eternal banquet with Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen	
18:00	NO Evening Prayer	

Prayer Calendar for this week		
Mon 26	9:00	No Service (staff day off)
Birthdays		Victoria Grattrick
Intercessions		Boddicott Close, Queensmere Road
Tue 27	09:00 09:25	Morning Prayer Bible Study (in the Vicarage)
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Briardale, Wimbledon Park Road
Wed 28	9:00 10:00	Silent Morning Prayer Holy Communion Service
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Broadheath, Parkside
Thu 29	9:00	Morning Prayer
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Cameron Court, Princes Way
Fri 30	9:00	Silent Morning Prayer
Birthdays		Nile Sutherland
Intercessions		Campen Close, Victoria Drive
Sat 1	9:00	Morning Prayer
Birthdays		
Intercessions		Chapman Square, Inner Park Road
Sun 2	08:00 10:00 18:00	Holy Communion (1662) All-age Communion Evening Prayer
		Nicky von Fraunhofer Nicky von Fraunhofer Heinz Toller

In Memoriam: Mariegold Heron, Phyllis Woolgar

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

MUSIC for today: Organ before: Es ist das Heil uns kommen her (Now is salvation come to us) by Friedrich Zachow (1663-1712); Piano between readings: Hagars Klage (Hagar's Lament) by Franz Schubert (1797-1828) Piano duet after: Die Spatzen auf dem Dache (Sparrows on the rooftops) by Ede Poldini (1869-1957)

For your Diary:

The next **FUSION Youth Group meeting is TODAY 25th June 6-7.45pm at St Barnabas' Church.** We are having a barbeque and some sports in the garden, we thought a rounders match might be good. Please let us know if you are coming so we know how many burgers and sausages etc to buy. If you have other suggestions for the sports, please send us an email: joy@redzonecommunications.com (Last meeting of this school year will be on 16th July 2017, 6 pm)

Other News:

Sponsorship for Young People on Iona Pilgrimage – if you feel able to sponsor the travel expenses for our five youngsters, please make a donation to the Jean Garling Fund – this can increase the value of your gift through a tax refund. Thank you!

Minutes of the APCM (provisional) **and the PCC** can be found on the notice boards.

WANTED: Bookings secretary and "care taker" for St Paul's – this is a voluntary position for a person who takes bookings for the church, welcomes and supports groups who are using it and arranges seating in the church for larger events (this is remunerated by the users) – must be able to handle chairs.

FAIR TRADE STALL

Fair trade continues to be a straightforward way we can all contribute to greater justice for some of the poorest people in the world.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

'Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace, but a sword.' Matthew 10, 34.

God of the shining sword,
Of the Angels of ethical war
God of conflict and division
Of the Matyrs and saints

We come today full of contrition
For the conflicts we have avoided
The days we have saved our own skin
Put our own family first, justified ourselves.

We lay before you the troubled conscience
The worried mind, the anxious heart
Which is the fruit of such self-preservation
The high cost of valuing others less than sparrows.

Making peace a God, we have bought only self-delusion.
Where conflict is needed to cry your kingdom
From the rooftops, we have instead whispered
In the dark corridors of power, brokered
Compromises and dissatisfaction in the corners of the night.

Forgive us the stale air of conflict without conviction,
The tired campaign, the heartless hope extended without
Proper thought or care. The shallow commitment, easily
Seen through, the expressed desire to follow
Christ which fails in denial or in lack of action.

Forgive us, for we are truly sorry
Forgive us for we long to be worthy of your Household
Forgive us, for we wish to work for the economy of the Gospel.

Thanks be to you, merciful God, who counts each hair
Upon our heads, and loves each one,
Who values each of us and welcomes us home
To your Household. AMEN.

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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/>

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