

## In Our Prayers This Week

### Alternative Collect

God of truth, help us to keep your law of love and to walk in ways of wisdom, that we may find true life in Jesus Christ your Son. **Amen**

### Prayer for those in pain

Lord God, whose Son, Jesus Christ, understood people's fear and pain before they spoke of them, we pray for those in hospital; surround the frightened with your tenderness; give strength to those in pain; hold the weak in your arms of love, and give hope and patience to those who are recovering; we ask this through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**



Icon of Barnabas the Apostle, wordpress

*Please remember before God those who have asked for our prayers*

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|----------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| <i>Those in acute need</i> | Anna Messim       | <i>Those in long-term need</i> |
| Lily Cameron               | Fr David Michaels | Vincenzo Blandini              |
| James Clark                | Suze Murray       | Theo Bulkai                    |
| Isabella Cory              | Mary Reeve        | John Cantlie                   |
| George El Khoury           | June Scully       | Rev. Geoffrey Connor           |
| Gina Hrela                 | David Strong      | Joan Davies                    |
| Joan Jackson               | Edward            | Leo Koymans                    |
| Hally Marnock              | Michael           | Fr David Michaels              |
|                            | Stephanie         | Annie Redmile                  |
|                            | Yves              | James Worsley                  |

*and for all who have died recently*

|               |                           |                |
|---------------|---------------------------|----------------|
| Frieda Bilger | David Gibson              | Margaret Glass |
| Joan Porter   | Michael Alexander Schultz |                |

*and for all those whose anniversary of death falls at this time*

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| Allan Hamilton, 10 <sup>th</sup> June   | Penelope Hawkes, 12 <sup>th</sup> June |
| Bess Chamberlain, 13 <sup>th</sup> June |  |

## St MARY ABBOTS CHURCH CONTACTS

Church Website: [www.smaw8.org](http://www.smaw8.org)

The Parish and Vicarage offices are open from 10am – 5pm

|   |  |               |
|---|--|---------------|
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## ST MARY ABBOTS PARISH CHURCH NEWSLETTER

6<sup>th</sup> June 2021

Keeping the church open is dependent upon our maintenance of good practice so when in church please:

- Wear a mask in the church and cloister
- Maintain a 2-metre distance from others
- Sanitise your hands at the entrance
- Fill in a Covid Track and Trace form at the main door or use the NHS app which can be found on the notice board in the cloister. For Sunday services please book online.
- Follow the one-way system

### SUNDAY 6<sup>th</sup> June – 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Trinity

|          |  |
|----------|--|
| 8.00 am  | <b>Holy Eucharist</b> (BCP)  |
| 9.30 am  | <b>Family Eucharist</b> but no under 5's provision.                                    |
| 11.15 am | Matins   |
|          | Preacher: Canon Professor Peter Galloway,<br>Deputy Priest in Ordinary to HM The Queen |
| 5.30 pm  | Evening Prayer on Zoom   |

**To avoid having to fill in track and trace forms at the door please reserve a seat on our website: [www.smaw8.org/services](http://www.smaw8.org/services).**

### MONDAY 7<sup>th</sup> June

|            |   |
|------------|---|
| 9 am       | Morning Prayer via Zoom                       |
| 9.30 am    | Bible Study via Zoom (straight after prayers) |
| 10 am- 2pm | Church open for Private Prayer                |
| 12 noon    | Midday Prayer in the nave                     |

### TUESDAY 8<sup>th</sup> June – Thomas Ken, Bishop & hymn writer

|            |   |
|------------|---|
| 9 am       | Morning Prayer via Zoom                               |
| 10 am- 2pm | Church open for Private Prayer                        |
| 12 noon    | Midday Prayer followed by <b>Holy Eucharist</b> (BCP) |

### WEDNESDAY 9<sup>th</sup> June – Columba, Abbot & Missionary

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|------------|--------------------------------|
| 9 am       | Morning Prayer via Zoom        |
| 10 am- 2pm | Church open for Private Prayer |
| 12 noon    | Midday Prayer in the nave      |

### THURSDAY 10<sup>th</sup> June

|            |   |
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| 9 am       | Morning Prayer via Zoom                         |
| 10 am- 2pm | Church open for Private Prayer                  |
| 12 noon    | Midday Prayer followed by <b>Holy Eucharist</b> |

### FRIDAY 11<sup>th</sup> June – Barnabas the Apostle

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| 9 am        | Morning Prayer via Zoom  |
| 9.30 – 11am | Mini Abbots baby and toddler group<br><a href="http://www.smaw8.org/children-and-groups">www.smaw8.org/children-and-groups</a> |
| 10 am- 2pm  | Church open for Private Prayer   |
| 12 noon     | Midday Prayer in the nave  |

### SATURDAY 12<sup>th</sup> June

|            |                                |
|------------|--------------------------------|
| 10 am- 2pm | Church open for Private Prayer |
| 12 noon    | Midday Prayer in the nave      |

### SUNDAY 13<sup>th</sup> June – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Trinity

|          |                                    |
|----------|------------------------------------|
| 8.00 am  | <b>Holy Eucharist</b> (BCP)        |
| 9.30 am  | <b>Holy Eucharist</b> with Baptism |
| 11.15 am | Matins                             |
| 5.30 pm  | Evening Prayer on Zoom             |

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## Message from Mother Emma

I do hope you have been able to enjoy some of the glorious sunshine.

This coming week, I am delighted to say that Fr Christopher Rogers, our new Associate Vicar, will be joining the clergy team from Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> June. Fr Christopher will be licensed to the parish that day by the Archdeacon of Middlesex in a small service at St Mary's, Twickenham and will then be with us from then on. He will be present at the services next Sunday, but we are postponing his full Welcome Service until Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> July, in the hope that we may be able to offer parish refreshments by then! He is joining at a very good time, as we begin to look hopefully ahead to restoring some of our parish events in the months ahead and is much looking forward to meeting you all.

As you will see in this newsletter we are asking you to Save the Date on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> June, as we hope to be offering a series of tea-parties/events in the Vicarage Garden, as a version of our Summer Fete within Covid limits. It would be wonderful to see you at one of them, and all times and details for booking will be sent out next week. Please also see the newsletter for ways in which you might be able to contribute to these community gatherings.

This coming Sunday is the first in the long season of Sundays after Trinity, sometimes known as Ordinary Time; the colour of the altar and vestments will be green throughout this season, as we give thanks together for the beauty and joy of Creation and our readings touch on the events of Jesus' ministry as he went about on earth. I look forward to seeing you all as we slowly increase what we are able to do in church, following any new guidelines put out over the next month or two.

*How generous is your goodness, O God, how great is your salvation, how faithful is your love; help us to trust you in trial and praise you in deliverance, through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen* [Common Worship: Daily Prayer]

With my love and prayers, Mother Emma



## Tea Party at the Vicarage – Save the date Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2021, times TBC

This year we will be holding a children's picnic and two tea parties in the Vicarage Garden instead of our usual Church Fair – with cakes, scones, strawberries and cream, tea and prosecco in the Vicar's garden. Some entertainment will be provided for children, as well as music, cake baking competition and a raffle – more details to follow. If you would be willing to help make cakes or provide ingredients for the cream teas, or would be willing to help pour tea or prosecco on the day please email Leonora [pa@stmaryabbots.org.uk](mailto:pa@stmaryabbots.org.uk). With current regulations numbers are limited to 30 so tickets to both 'sittings' will be available on our website from next week.

## Friends of St Mary Abbots – Renewals & Events

Last week we mentioned that Membership renewals are due for many Friends of St Mary Abbots. Membership fees are as follows:- Ten Year Membership £100, One year (Couple) £25 One Year (Single) £15. Please feel free to add any donation if you wish. Please send cheques, payable to "Friends of St Mary Abbots Church Kensington" to Mrs Ruth Barker, Membership Secretary, Friends of St Mary Abbots, 58 Westbourne Terrace, London W2 3UJ or to arrange online payment please email Ruth Barker at [ruthabarker@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:ruthabarker@yahoo.co.uk)

## Stile Antico – “Towards the Dawn” Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> June, 6.30 – 7.45

Tickets are still available for our first 2021 concert with Stile Antico, one of the world's most accomplished and innovative vocal ensembles. Performed without a conductor, its twelve members have thrilled audiences on four continents with their fresh, vibrant and moving performances of Renaissance polyphony. Don't miss out! Tickets are from £10 to £20 depending on where you chose to sit and can be bought on [www.stileantico.co.uk/events/2021/06/19/toward-the-dawn-2](http://www.stileantico.co.uk/events/2021/06/19/toward-the-dawn-2)

## PARISH & OTHER NEWS

### Food Bank

Thank you for all your donations and please do keep them coming! A full list of items can be found on our food bank page [www.smaw8.org/food-bank-support.html](http://www.smaw8.org/food-bank-support.html) however please remember **not to bring ready meals or fresh food as we have no way to store it.** Should you prefer to donate financially you can send a cheque, made payable to 'Dalgarno Neighbourhood Trust' and marked 'foodbank' on the reverse to: The Dalgarno Trust, 1 Webb Close Dalgarno Way, London, W10 5QB or you can donate directly on their website: [www.dalgarnotrust.org.uk](http://www.dalgarnotrust.org.uk)

### Covid Vaccinations and Testing

**Book a Covid vaccination:** If you are **30** or over you can book your covid vaccination by logging onto the NHS website: [www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-vaccination/book-coronavirus-vaccination/](http://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-vaccination/book-coronavirus-vaccination/)

**Testing:** You can pick up a rapid community home testing kits at the walk-in clinic in Kensington Town Hall, Hornton Street from 8.30 am to 6 pm Monday to Friday and 10am – 4pm at the weekend.



Please pray for those to be ordained this Petertide,  
among them:

**Alice Elizabeth Ormondroyd**

to be ordained Priest by  
Ric, Bishop of Islington  
at 3pm on 19<sup>th</sup> June 2021  
at St Barnabas Church, Kensington

Please pray too for Cain, Arthur and Robin  
for the Revd Emma Dinwiddy Smith  
and for the people of  
St Mary Abbots, Kensington  
among whom Alice will continue to serve as  
Assistant Curate

Alice will preside at the Eucharist for the first time  
at a Family Eucharist on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2021 at  
9.30 am at St Mary Abbots, Kensington

*“My grace is sufficient for you,  
for my power is made perfect in weakness.”  
2 Corinthians 12:9*