

## In Our Prayers This Week

### Alternative Collect

Faithful Creator, whose mercy never fails: deepen our faithfulness to you and to your living Word, Jesus Christ our Lord.

### Prayer for Grenfell Tower

Holy Trinity, Three Persons in One God, may we learn to listen; help us to love; bless and uphold the people of North Kensington and all who have been traumatized by the Grenfell Tower fire, and grant them your healing and peace. **Amen** CoffE Prayer.



Icon of Barnabas the Apostle, wordpress

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

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

*and for all who have died recently*

Frieda Bilger David Gibson  
Joan Porter Michael Alexander Schultz

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

Sylvia Scott, 17<sup>th</sup> June Richard Costley-White, 17<sup>th</sup> June

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## ST MARY ABBOTS PARISH CHURCH NEWSLETTER

13<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 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 <i>Blythe Hewlett, Otto Humphries, Jamie Whitby</i>
11.15 am	Matins Fr Christopher Rogers
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 14<sup>th</sup> June - Richard Baxter, Puritan

9 am	Morning Prayer via Zoom
10 am- 2pm	Church open for Private Prayer
12 noon	Midday Prayer in the nave
7pm	The bells will be rung 72 times to mark the 4 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Grenfell Tower Fire.

### TUESDAY 15<sup>th</sup> June – Evelyn Underhill, spiritual 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 16<sup>th</sup> June – Richard, Bishop

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

### THURSDAY 17<sup>th</sup> June – Samuel and Henrietta Barnett

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 18<sup>th</sup> June – Bernard Mizeki, martyr

9 am	Morning Prayer via Zoom
9.30 – 11am	Mini Abbots baby and toddler group <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 19<sup>th</sup> June – Sundar Singh, Sadhu

10 am- 2pm	Church open for Private Prayer
12 noon	Midday Prayer in the nave
3 pm	Alice Ormondroyd priested at St Barnabas
6.30am	Stile Antico's concert <a href="http://www.smaw8.org/what-is-on.html">www.smaw8.org/what-is-on.html</a>

### SUNDAY 20<sup>th</sup> June – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Trinity

8.00 am	<b>Holy Eucharist</b> (BCP)
9.30 am	<b>Family Eucharist</b> Mother Alice with preside at her first Holy Eucharist and preach
11.15 am	Matins
5.30 pm	Evening Prayer on Zoom

## Message from Mother Emma

As the summer intensifies, so does the number of significant events approaching at St Mary Abbots during June. Please read on – with your diary to hand! Links for booking services and events are shown at the bottom of the page



This Sunday (13<sup>th</sup>) we rejoice together over the baptisms of Blythe, Otto and Jamie during the 9.30 am Eucharist, as we welcome Fr Christopher and the return of Simon the virger.

On Monday 14<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm, our bellringers (together with other churches across London) will be tolling a St Mary Abbots bell 72 times, in memory of all those who died in the Grenfell Tower fire four years ago. Our Bishop asks us to keep in our prayers those who died, all who continue to suffer trauma and loss following the events of that night, those who still live in buildings with similar cladding issues and all who carry responsibility for housing decisions and policy going forward.

On Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> at 6.30pm our first concert since lockdown will be held in the church. Many of you will know Cara, the alto in our professional choir, whose other choir, Stile Antico will be performing "Towards the dawn", a mixture of chansons and madrigals. Tickets for this event are on sale (details below), and I encourage you to share in this wonderful, uplifting evening.

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> will see Mother Alice, newly priested, presiding at her First Eucharist – a Family Eucharist at 9.30 am. This is a huge event in the life of a priest, and we do hope that many of you (even if you generally attend other services) will be able to join us to share in the celebration. If you would like to contribute to Mother Alice's priesting gift, there will be dedicated collection baskets after all services at church this Sunday, or to give online, please contact Petter in the parish office: [parishmanager@stmaryabbots.org.uk](mailto:parishmanager@stmaryabbots.org.uk).

Finally, on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> June, our Summer Community Event this year will take the form of three smaller events, more details can be found below. If you are able to contribute scones or cakes for the teas, or help on the day, please contact Leonora: [pa@stmaryabbots.org.uk](mailto:pa@stmaryabbots.org.uk). We very much hope to see as many of you as possible at one of the events that day, as our community comes back together after fifteen months of at least partial separation, to raise much-needed funds for the church's mission and ministry in the months ahead, and to rejoice in each other's company.



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

## Grenfell Tower Fire Commemoration Bells

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2021, 7pm

We will be joining other churches in Kensington on Monday Evening with a commutation ringing of the bells to mark the Grenville Tower fire four years ago. There will be 72 tolls, one for each of the victims killed or lost in the fire. We ask you to join us in praying for the victims of the fire and for the survivors who are still battling to have their questions answered. The Bishop Graham writes: *"I know that this national act of remembrance was greatly valued last year by the Grenfell bereaved and survivors, and they have asked if it might be repeated this year. There is a sense that until some measure of justice and closure has been achieved through the Grenfell Public Inquiry, and particularly bearing in mind those who continue to be affected by the Cladding Crisis, it is important to keep the memory of Grenfell in the public consciousness, particularly as public acts of remembrance are still limited this year due to the restrictions on gathering due to the pandemic."*



## Tea Party at the Vicarage

Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2021, times below

We would like to welcome you to the churches summer event in the vicarage garden. As numbers are currently limited to 30, separate sittings are available with a children's picnic at 12 noon, an all age picnic & tea at 2.30 pm and a pre-paid grown up Tea Party with Prosecco or G&T at 4.30pm. We will be asking for donations for entrance which together with money raised at the Tea tents will be used for the work and upkeep of the church. Please come along and bring the family – tickets can be bought via our website [www.smaw8.org/what-is-on.html](http://www.smaw8.org/what-is-on.html)

## 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

### 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.