

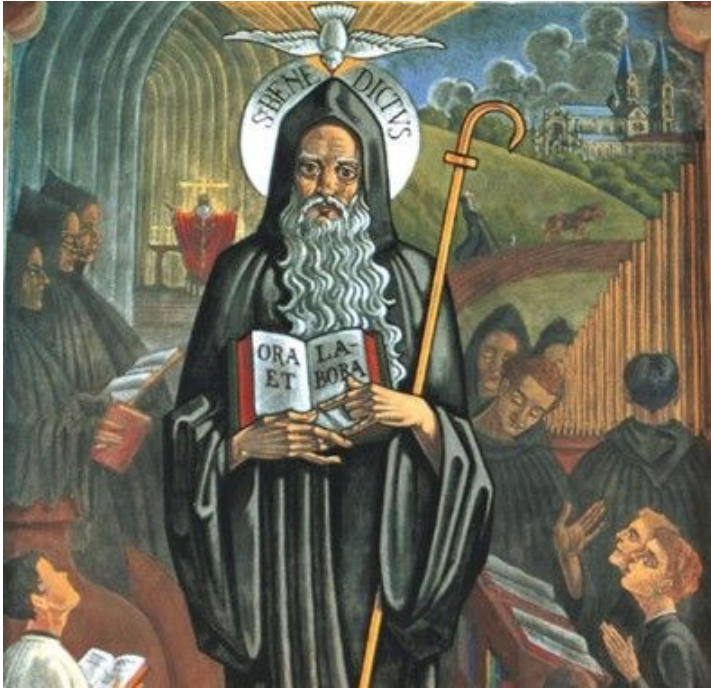
In our Prayers this week

Collect for 5th Sunday after Trinity

Almighty God, send down upon your Church the riches of your Spirit, and kindle in all who minister the gospel your countless gifts of grace. Amen

Prayer of St Benedict

Gracious and Holy Father, give us the wisdom to discover You, the intelligence to understand You, the diligence to seek after You, the patience to wait for You, eyes to behold You, a heart to meditate upon You, and a life to proclaim You, through the power of the Spirit of Jesus, our Lord. Amen.



St Benedict 'Pray and Work' by Fr Gregory de Wit, Mont Cesar Abbey Belgium, Pintrest

Those in acute need

Martin Carroll
Evelyn Ellison
Paul Fitch
Jill Traynor
Luke Thomas
Buyile Phiri
James Philpot
Lucille Simpson
Janneke Mulder

Adam

Gillie
Jeremy
Luke
Nichola
Olive
Stephanie
Talia

Those in long-term need

Hillary Bardsley
Christopher Browne
Fiona Paine
Paul Proudman
Mary Roberts
Michael Turner
James Worsley
Conor

and for all who have died recently

Iris Michelle Bennie Mark Lengyel Frances Martin
Josephine Nyabunze Patrick Tuft, Priest

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

Reef Hogg, 14th July

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

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ST MARY ABBOTS PARISH CHURCH

KENSINGTON

Sunday 9th July 2023

Welcome to St Mary Abbots

The Church is open daily from 8.30am to 6pm and from 10am - 6pm on Saturdays and Bank Holidays

SUNDAY 9th July – 5th Sunday after Trinity

8 am **Holy Communion** (BCP)
9.30 am **Holy Eucharist with Baptism**
Preacher: Rev'd Liz Brown, Pioneer Priest, Becontree South
11.15 am **Choral Matins**
5 – 8pm **YMIC Summer Festival**
5.30 pm **Sung Evensong with Voluntary Choir**

MONDAY 10th July

8 am Morning Prayer via Zoom
8.30 am Bible Study via Zoom
9 am Parents Prayer Group in church
12 noon **Informal Eucharist** (Sunday on Monday)
5.30 pm Evening Prayer in church

TUESDAY 11th July – Benedict of Nursia, Abbot

8 am Morning Prayer via Zoom
12 noon **Holy Communion** (BCP)
5.30 pm Evening Prayer in church

WEDNESDAY 12th July

8 am Morning Prayer via Zoom
8.35 am Bitesize Bible Group for Children
12 noon **Holy Eucharist**
5.30 pm Evening Prayer in church

THURSDAY 13th July

8 am Morning Prayer via Zoom
9.30 am **School Eucharist – all are welcome**
5.30 pm Evening Prayer

FRIDAY 14th July – John Keble, Priest

8 am Morning Prayer via Zoom
9.30 **No** Mini Abbots (resume 8th Sept)
12 noon **Holy Eucharist**
1.05 pm **No** Royal College Music (resume 22nd Sept)
5.30 pm Evening Prayer in church

SATURDAY 15th July – Swithun, Bishop

12 noon **Holy Communion** (BCP)
2 pm **Wedding of Ellecia and Jonathan**
5.30 pm Evening Prayer in church

SUNDAY 16th July – 6th Sunday after Trinity

8 am **Holy Communion** (BCP)
9.30 am **Parish Eucharist**
11.15 am **Choral Matins**
12.30 pm **Father Christopher's Farewell Party**
5.30 pm **Taizé Eucharist**

Message from Mother Emma

We are looking forward to seeing you for our Sunday services this week. At the 9.30 am Eucharist, we welcome the family and friends of Frances, who is to be baptized during the service, and I also look forward very much to introducing our guest preacher, Mother Liz Brown, Pioneer Minister at the South Becontree Team Ministry. Mother Liz was Youth Worker at the parish where I served as a curate, and then went on to train for ordination. She completed her curacy in North London before moving to the Chelmsford Diocese. The service of Choral Matins will be led by Canon Peter Galloway, who will both officiate and preach. The 5.30 Evensong will once again be encouraged by our voluntary choir – please do contact Mother Alice or just come along at 5 pm if you would like to take part. During the afternoon, there will be the Summer Festival held by YMIC (Youth Ministry in Communion) in the Vicarage Garden, attended by the Bishop of Kensington. This is for those in Years 6 and 7 – please contact Martina if you know of someone who would like to attend.



Next Sunday (16th July) we shall be holding Fr Christopher's Farewell Services and party. Although Fr Christopher will not be leaving the parish until late August, we wanted to have the chance to mark his departure as a community before the dispersal of the summer holidays begins. After the 9.30 Eucharist (at which he will both preach and preside, families are invited to join Martina and Silva Ace for some street dance in the Vicarage garden, until Matins is over, and we will come together at the Vicarage for a farewell lunch. Contributions to the meal would be very welcome so please contact Leonora and let her know what you will be bringing, so we have a variety of things on offer! Do join us as we remember Fr Christopher's time with us and give thanks for what he has brought us. If you would like to donate towards his leaving present please contact Petter.

God our shepherd, in all our wanderings and temptations, teach us to rest in your mercy and trust in your defence, through him who laid down his life for us, Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen
[Response to Psalm 78, Common Worship Daily Prayer]

With my love and prayers,

Mother Emma

Praying for St Mary Abbots at St Paul's Cathedral Thursday 13th July 2023

St Mary Abbots will be prayed for in the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer on Thursday 13th July at all 3 daily services. If anyone would like to go to Evensong at 5pm please let Leonora know and she will inform the Chaplain, who will reserve seats for our group in the Quire.

YOUTH MINISTRY
IN COMMUNION

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SUMMER FESTIVAL

SUNDAY 9 JULY | 5-8PM
@ THE ST MARY ABBOTS CENTRE (W8 4HN)

INFLATABLES / SILENT DISCO /
BBQ / ICE CREAM VAN AND MORE!

TO SIGN UP:
COMPLETE THE REGISTRATION FORM
SPEAK TO YOUR VICAR, YOUTH LEADER FOR THE FORM
OR SCAN THE QR CODE

Save the dates

8th September

Laudonia Ensemble Concert

10th September

Patronal Festival

President and Preacher: The Bishop of London

Mother Alice Half Marathon for Royal Parks

Sunday 8th October 2023

Mother Alice is raising money to support the work of The Royal Parks charity who maintains our local park, Kensington Gardens and Hyde Park. If you would like to support her, please visit this link: [ALICE ORMONDROYD is fundraising for The Royal Parks \(Limited\) \(justgiving.com\)](https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/alice-ormondroyd)

Food Bank

Thank you for all your donations to the food bank and please keep the steam of wonderful donations coming in! Donation boxes can be found at each entrance to in the church. Please remember not to bring any fresh food or ready meals as we have no way of storing them. Should you wish to find out what they are short of or to donate financially you can visit their website here: www.dalgarnotrust.org.uk