

## In Our Prayers This Week

All-powerful God, you are present in the whole universe and in the smallest of your creatures. You embrace with your tenderness all that exists. Pour out upon us the power of your love, that we may protect life and beauty. Fill us with peace, that we may live as brothers and sisters, harming no one. O God of the poor, help us to rescue the abandoned and forgotten of this earth, so precious in your eyes. Bring healing to our lives, that we may protect the world and not prey on it, that we may sow beauty, not pollution and destruction. Touch the hearts of those who look only for gain at the expense of the poor and the earth. Teach us to discover the worth of each thing, to be filled with awe and contemplation, to recognize that we are profoundly united with every creature as we journey towards your infinite light. We thank you for being with us each day. Encourage us, we pray, in our struggle for justice, love and peace.



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

<i>Those in acute need</i>		<i>Those in long-term need</i>
Katie Aston	Maria Reis	Sergio Avanzi
Frieda Bilger	June Scully	Vincenzo Blandini
Theo Bulkai	Sue Spicer	John Cantlie
Sarah Deal	Becky Tinsley	Joan Davies
Angela Fielding	Gohar	Leo Koymans
Tony Gordon	Roger	Simon Portal
Joan Jackson	Rosie	Annie Redmile
Peta Jenson	Tara	James Worsley
Barbara Longford	Roxana	Carl-Fredrik
Michael North	Alma	
	Mikhail	

*Please pray for all who have died recently*  
Grace Eaton

*and all those whose anniversary of death falls at this time*  
Wilfred Ulrich 25<sup>th</sup> August Ade Adefuye 26<sup>th</sup> August  
Walter Ulrich 31<sup>st</sup> August

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## ST MARY ABBOTS PARISH CHURCH



# NEWSLETTER

25<sup>th</sup> August 2019



### Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> August Tenth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Holy Eucharist (Book of Common Prayer)

9.30am Sung Eucharist with  
Preschool Children on Sundays Groups  
Preacher: Rev'd Adrian May

11.15am Sung Matins with Solo Cantor  
Jubilate Deo: CHILD in D  
Anthem: Ich liege und schlafe – SCHUTZ  
Preacher: Rev'd Jonathan MacNeaney

12.30pm Holy Eucharist

6.15pm Organ Prelude

6.30pm Sung Evensong followed by Holy Eucharist  
Preacher Rev'd Jonathan MacNeaney

### Monday 26<sup>th</sup> August Church shut all day except services

8.00am Morning Prayer

**NB 8.15am Holy Eucharist**

5.30pm Evening Prayer

### Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> August Monica

8.00am Morning Prayer

**NB 11.30pm Holy Eucharist (BCP) – Usual timing**

5.30pm Evening Prayer

### Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> August Augustine of Hippo

8.00am Morning Prayer

8.15am **Holy Eucharist**

1.05pm Meditation Group

5.30pm Evening Prayer

### Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> August Beheading of John the Baptist

8.00am Morning Prayer

**NB 8.15am Holy Eucharist – Holiday Service Timing**

5.30pm Evening Prayer

### Friday 30<sup>th</sup> August John Bunyan

8.00am Morning Prayer

8.15am **Holy Eucharist**

5.30pm Evening Prayer

### Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> August Aidan

9.40am Morning Prayer

10.00am **Holy Eucharist**

**3.00pm Holy Matrimony** Simon Fitter and Margy Wheeler

5.30pm Evening Prayer

### Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> September Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Holy Eucharist (Book of Common Prayer)

9.30am Sung Eucharist with Preschool Children on  
Sundays Groups  
Preacher: Revd Jonathan MacNeaney

11.15am Choral Matins  
Benedictus: GRAY in G  
Anthem: Expectans expectavi - WOOD  
Preacher: Revd Dr Daphne Green

12.30pm Holy Eucharist

6.30pm Taize Worship with Holy Eucharist

### A Virger's Wedding

Our virger Simon Fitter will be marrying Margy Wheeler on **31<sup>st</sup> August at 3pm**. All worshippers at St Mary Abbots Church are most welcome to join them for the service.

### Notting Hill Carnival

Please keep in your prayers the carnival goers that they may know great joy in their singing and dancing. Pray for those who do not enjoy the weekend especially for those who live along the route and for the police and emergency services in their role of support and order.

Please remember too that the church will be closed between 9am and 5.15pm. It opens only for morning prayer at 8am followed by the Holy Eucharist at 8.15am and then again for evening prayer at 5.30pm-6.00pm

### Quiet day

Ancestors in the Faith

A Quiet Day Led by Fr Jonathan  
Addresses, Silence, Eucharist, Delicious Lunch

9.30-3.00 Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September  
St Mary's Convent, Burlington Lane, Chiswick. W4 2QE  
(no 190 bus from central Hammersmith stops nearby)

Suggested voluntary donation to cover expenses: £10ish

To book: email [sg@smaw8.org](mailto:sg@smaw8.org)  
or sign the list in church (nb - limited numbers)

### Save the date

The Churchwardens and  
Parochial Church Council  
invite you to the Collation and  
Induction of

### The Revd Emma Dinwiddy Smith

as Vicar of the Parish of St  
Mary Abbots by The Rt Revd  
Dr Graham Tomlin, Bishop of  
Kensington and

The Ven Stephan Welch,  
Archdeacon of Middlesex at St  
Mary Abbots Church,  
Kensington High Street,  
London W8 4LA on our

Patronal Festival,  
**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2019,**  
**at 3.00 pm**

and afterwards for tea in the  
Vicarage Garden

RSVP to [rspv@smaw8.org](mailto:rspv@smaw8.org)

This service is also our  
patronal festival on which we  
celebrate the ministry and life  
of our church and commit  
ourselves to the year ahead.

There will be a rich offering by  
the St Mary Abbots choir as  
well as the Word of God  
preached to us by our bishop.

Come early for the good  
seats.



### Summer Garden Picnic

What better way to return to the Kensington grind after your summer holidays than by a picnic in the (new) vicar's garden. **15<sup>th</sup> September from 12.30pm** come along with your hamper or Tesco's bags and enjoy the Autumn sunshine with friends. Plenty of space for children to run around. Picnic blankets provided for those who like the ground and chairs for those who like to remain elevated above the dirt.

### St Mary Abbots Pilgrimage

A date for our annual Autumn Pilgrimage has been set. **Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> September at 10.45am**. We will be leaving after the 9.30am service and walking to St Paul's Cathedral. After lunch in the cafeteria we will be being shown around the cathedral by one of the canons. Everyone is welcome. The journey is about 5 miles and can be covered on foot, scooter, wheelchair or horseback. If you want to take public transport and meet us there then aim to arrive for 1pm.

### Food Bank

There is additional need over the summer please continue to support the work of the foodbank.

A typical food donation includes:

Food Items: Cereal; Soup; Pasta; Rice; Tinned tomatoes/pasta sauce; Lentils, beans and pulses; Tinned meat; Tinned vegetables; Tea/coffee; Tinned fruit; Biscuits; UHT milk; Fruit juice;

Non-food items:

- Toiletries – deodorant, toilet paper, shower gel, shaving gel, shampoo, soap, toothbrushes, tooth paste, hand wipes
- Household items –detergent, laundry powder, washing up liquid
- Feminine products – sanitary towels and tampons
- Baby supplies – nappies, baby wipes and baby food.

### Healing Concert

On September 14 and 15 [O/Modernt](#) is co-curating the opening of the [Wigmore season](#)

The director of O Modernt, Hugo Ticciati, has kindly offered free tickets to our congregation. It will be a very special concert centered around the idea of healing in the works of Bach, Beethoven, Schoenberg and John Cage.

The concert takes place on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> at 16.30 at the Wigmore Hall.

If you would like to go then please contact Hugo on [ticciati@gmail.com](mailto:ticciati@gmail.com) to reserve a ticket.

### Deanery Synod

For members of deanery synod the next meeting is 7pm Tuesday 10 September 2019 at St Georges, Campden Hill 28 Aubrey Walk, Kensington, London W8 7JG

The Theme is: Equip and commission ambassadors representing Jesus Christ in daily life. And the session will be led by Bishop Graham Tomlin

### An opportunity for Christian service welcoming new children and new parents

We will soon be welcoming a new cohort into our school. For the first few days of term we offer coffee and pastries in the morning and immediately after lunch to welcome all the new parents. If you would be available between roughly 8.45am-9.45am or 12.45pm-1.45pm and would like to set up and serve coffee then please let Fr Jonathan know.  
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