

Please pray for: Those who are sick or frail including Colin Johnson, Sandra Johnson, Lynne and Gordon Wenham: and for the family and friends of those who died recently, among them Jim Downes. Sheila Hayden and Elizabeth Brain. We also remember Barbara Bowd, Yvonne Brawn, Fred Packer and Doreen Aylott whose year's mind falls around this time of year.

WEDDING AND BAPTISM ENQUIRIES -

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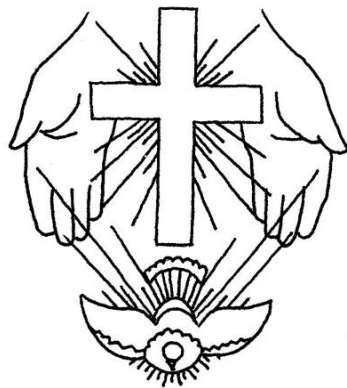
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Items for inclusion in the Notices need to be emailed to
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St Mary's Church, Charlton Kings 23rd June - The Fourth Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to St Mary's whether you are here in person or joining us online. Information about services today is below while details of our regular weekday services will be found overleaf. Everyone is welcome at any of our services. If you are new to St Mary's please make yourself known to one of our Welcomers who will be pleased to answer any questions you may have about St Mary's.

SERVICES

8.00 am Holy Communion

10:00am Parish Communion

Readings: 1 Samuel 17. 32 - 49
2 Corinthians 6. 1 - 13
Mark 4. 35 - 41

Hymns

- 1. 496** Lead us, Heavenly Father,
lead us
 - 2. 621** Who would true valour see
 - 3. 501** Light of the minds that know
him
- Communion: 573** Son of God,
eternal Saviour (**omit v 3**)
- 4. 413** Eternal Father, strong to save

Choir Anthem: Sibelius
Be still my soul

Please stay and join together for refreshments and fellowship after our 10 o'clock service.

5.30 pm Music and Readings

Collect

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that with you as our ruler and guide we may so pass through things temporal that we lose not our hold on things eternal; grant this, heavenly Father, for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Post Communion Prayer

Eternal God, comfort of the afflicted and healer of the broken, you have fed us at the table of life and hope: teach us the ways of gentleness and peace, that all the world may acknowledge the kingdom of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Regular Services in Church

Sundays: 8:00am Holy Communion (CW Order 2— Traditional language)
 10:00am 1st Sunday All Age Service with Communion
 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays Parish Communion (CW Order 1)
 3rd Sunday A Service of the Breaking of Bread (Communion)
 5:30pm 1st Sunday Choral Evensong (BCP)
 2nd Sunday Taizé style service
 3rd Sunday Choral Evensong (BCP)
 4th Sunday Evening Worship (no choir)
 5th Sunday Choral Evensong (BCP)

Thursdays: 11:00am Holy Communion (CW Order 2 - Traditional language)

Last Friday of each month: 11.00 am Memory Lane Service

Monday to Friday: 9:00am Morning Prayer; 5:30pm Evening Prayer

The 10:00am service every Sunday is also 'live streamed' and available to watch online on St Mary's website during the week.

Parish Diary This Week

Monday 24th

7.30 pm Choir Practice Vestry

Tuesday 25th

7.30 pm Bell Ringers Practice Church Tower

Wednesday 26th

12 noon Open The Book C/K Junior School

Thursday 27th

10.15 am Little Fishes Parish Centre

10.30 am Open the Book Glenfall Community School

11.00 am Holy Communion Church

Friday 28th

9.30 am Church Flowers Church

11.00 am Memory Lane Service Church

12.15 am Soup Lunch Special All welcome Parish Centre

Saturday 29th

11.00 am Interment of the Ashes of Alan Marshall Churchyard

Services Next Sunday 30th June - The Fifth after Trinity

8.00 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Parish Communion

12 noon Baptism of Oscar James Filmer

12 noon Interment of Ashes of Alan Smith rip

5.30 pm Choral Evensong

Theology Book Group. We were delighted to welcome two new members, Rachel and Geoffrey, to our last meeting which brings our current membership up to eight – still room for a few more! The ultimate measurement of success would be growing to the point where we need to split into two groups, perhaps meeting at different times or on different days. However, this move isn't possible until we reach a membership of twelve thus enabling the formation of two viable groups each with six members. If you are interested in finding out more, please contact Jean – email jlh11444@gmail.com.

Our **next meeting** will be on **Monday, 15th July** at 7:30pm in St David's Chapel when we will begin discussing 'The Bible Book: a User's Guide' by Nick Page. Nick Page is a favourite author within the group but this particular book cannot be covered in one session since it is a mine of very readable information about the background and content of each of the sixty-six books in the Bible. We therefore agreed to take it in stages, beginning with the Introduction and The Books of the Law (Pentateuch) – the first 78 pages of the 2016 'New and Revised' edition, which is available from used book websites for around £4.00. We will then have a break by reading 'The Hidden Years' by Neil Boyd (author of the 'Bless me Father' books). Why not join us? With interesting books, informal discussion, questioning and exchange of ideas, we offer tea, coffee and biscuits – what more could anyone desire?

Christian Aid. The envelopes totalled **£1,316.33** - a good increase on last year. Andrew Smith of Cheltenham CA says: "Thank you so much for all that you and everyone in Charlton Kings did to support the work of Christian Aid. Yours was the largest single contribution in Cheltenham. It's no longer possible to keep track of all the donations made in the town, but we do know of a total of over £7,200. I was glad to see that so many people filled in the gift aid slips. Well over half of the donations from Charlton Kings (£814 to be exact) were gift aided."

The **monthly Soup Lunch** is this coming Friday 28th June from 12.15 pm. On the menu are two types of home made soup, fresh artisan bread with butter, fresh fruit, home made cake and tea or coffee. All for £5 or a donation. No need to book.

If you have access to the internet you can view the pew sheet online at <https://www.stmarysck.org.uk/WP/pew-sheet/> and also download and print.