



WELCOME

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11TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY 23RD August 2020

FOR OUR PRAYERS:

Bud & family, June, Mary Ann, Brenda

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN

BAPTISED: Mariella

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY

DIED: Anne Woodland

IN REMEMBRANCE:

Winifred Burnhams, Edward Turpin,

John Williams



COLLECT

God of glory, the end of our searching,
help us to lay aside
all that prevents us from seeking your
kingdom,
and to give all that we have to gain the
pearl beyond all price,
through our Saviour Jesus Christ.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Lord of all mercy,
we your faithful people have celebrated
that one true sacrifice
which takes away our sins and brings
pardon and peace:
by our communion
keep us firm on the foundation of the
gospel and preserve us from all sin;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.



ST GEORGE'S SERVICES

Now that lockdown has eased a little we have started services at **St George's** and these will be as follows:

Tuesday

09:30 - Morning Prayer

10:30 - Eucharist

Saturday

09:30 - Morning Prayer

Sunday

10:00 - Eucharist

(PLEASE SEE NOTICE BELOW)



ATTENDING ST GEORGE'S SUNDAY EUCHARIST

If you want to attend a Sunday service at St George's, **you must contact Richard by the Friday before,**

by email: richard.lane

@stgeorgeandstmichael.org.uk. There is a strictly limited capacity and people will be turned away if we cannot accommodate them safely.

Please don't 'reply' to Welcome Sheet emails to let us know you're attending—these go straight to the parish office and are not picked up after the administrator finishes work so will not necessarily get through to Richard in time!

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday 24 August

St George's church: 18:45 - Meditation Group

Tuesday 25 August

St George's church: 09:30 - Morning Prayer

St George's church: 10:30 - Eucharist

Wednesday 26 August

St George's Church: 19:00-21:00 New Life

Friday 28 August

St George's Church: 19:00-21:00 New Life

Saturday 29 August

St George's church: 09:30 - Morning Prayer

Sunday 30 August

St George's: 10:00 - Eucharist

St Michael's: 10:00 - Zoom service

ONLINE SERVICES

St George's Sunday Eucharist will be streamed live at 10:00 and can be seen on <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLG3BXYMIrivOW0wZVkrqfSfHm6o3JseCX>. It will later be also available on facebook.com/stgeorgeandstmichael/

St Michael's: are holding their 10:00 Sunday service on Zoom. The liturgy is sent out weekly on email but you can also get it each week on the website with all the details of how to join:

<https://>

www.stgeorgeandstmichael.org.uk/st-michaels-online-services/



NOTICES

LEWISHAM FOODBANK

One way to find out what the foodbank needs is to go to their Facebook page which you can find here: <https://www.facebook.com/LewishamFoodbank> They usually put up a picture of all their latest needs along with other stories about their volunteers and clients. Do have a look. If you want to contact them through other means then you can email: info@lewisham.foodbank.org.uk or call them: 07938 071854 or even go their own website: <https://lewisham.foodbank.org.uk/give-help/donate-food/>



ADMINISTRATOR BACK IN OFFICE!

I will be back in the office on **Monday 24 August**.



WALSINGHAM 2020

Sadly, because of the Covid-19 pandemic, the Shrine has closed all accommodation until further notice and our weekend booked for the 20/22 November has been cancelled. Hopefully we will be able to look forward to booking again for next year.

GIVING

Good morning everybody - I hope we are all staying safe. Just a few words to say thank you to everybody for supporting the church at this difficult time. There has been much generosity since the lockdown began and it is really appreciated, given that some of us may face their own financial uncertainties. Our congregation's generosity, and the fact that some expenditure has reduced is definitely helping our position and I and Richard are very grateful. There will obviously be financial challenges over the coming months, but so far we are meeting them.

Cash, envelopes, cash or cheques can be delivered through the vicarage letterbox in Vancouver Road. If you would like to contribute electronically, you can pay into the church account our details are:
St George with St Michaels & All Angels
PCC National Westminster Bank plc
61 Sydenham Road London SE26 5HW
Sort Code 60 21 12
Account 37302337.

If you'd like to set up or amend a standing order with your bank, then email me at simont388@gmail.com and I can provide a form. I can also provide a Gift Aid form / advise if we hold one already (for income tax payers this enables the church to get an extra 25%). Thank you once again for your support. Simon

OT: Exodus 1:8 – 2:10



NT: Romans 8:26—end

²⁶ Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words.

²⁷ And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

²⁸ We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose. ²⁹ For

those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn within a large family. ³⁰ And those whom he predestined he also called; and those whom he called he also justified; and those whom he justified he also glorified.

³¹ What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us?

³² He who did not withhold his own Son, but gave him up for all of us, will he not with him also give us everything else?

³³ Who will bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. ³⁴ Who is to condemn? It is Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us. ³⁵ Who will separate us from the love of Christ?

Will hardship, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? ³⁶ As it is written,

'For your sake we are being killed all day

long;

we are accounted as sheep to be slaughtered.'

³⁷ No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us.

³⁸ For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, ³⁹ nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.



GOSPEL: Matthew 16:13 -20

¹³ Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, 'Who do people say that the Son of Man is?'

¹⁴ And they said, 'Some say John the Baptist, but others Elijah, and still others Jeremiah or one of the prophets.' ¹⁵ He said to them, 'But who do you say that I am?'

¹⁶ Simon Peter answered, 'You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God.' ¹⁷ And Jesus answered him, 'Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father in heaven. ¹⁸ And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not prevail against it. ¹⁹ I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.' ²⁰ Then he sternly ordered the disciples not to tell anyone that he was the Messiah.