



Welcome to St Mary's Church

Following Christ, serving you

SUNDAY SERVICES 12th JUNE 2022

8.00am	HOLY COMMUNION
10.15am	PARISH COMMUNION Hymns: 202, 474, 200, 267
12 noon	Baptism Lily Johnston
6pm	Evening Prayer

TRINITY SUNDAY

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity: keep us steadfast in this faith, that we may evermore be defended from all adversities; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

First Reading – Proverbs 8:1-4,22-31

Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice? On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand; beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she cries out: 'To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all that live.

The Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of long ago. Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth. When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water. Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth— when he had not yet made earth and fields, or the world's first bits of soil. When he established the heavens, I was there, when he drew a circle on the face of the deep, when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep, when he assigned to the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command, when he marked out the foundations of the earth, then I was beside him, like a master worker; and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always, rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the human race.

Second Reading – Romans 5: 1-5

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

Gospel Reading – John 16: 12-15

'I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

Post Communion Prayer

Almighty and eternal God, you have revealed yourself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and live and reign in the perfect unity of love: hold us firm in this faith, that we may know you in all your ways and evermore rejoice in your eternal glory, who are three Persons yet one God, now and for ever.

Please pray for all preparing for baptism and marriage, those who are sick or in hospital, and those who have died, and all who mourn.

Church Diary

NEXT WEEK'S SERVICES

Monday 9:15am - Morning Prayer

Monday 11am - Funeral Geoff Webb RIP

Wednesday 10am Holy Communion

Wednesday 7:30pm - BookBox

Thursday 2pm - Funeral Dorothy Goodier RIP

Friday 12 noon - Funeral Pamela Webb RIP

Sunday 19th June 2022
8am Holy Communion
10:15am Parish Communion
12 noon Baptism Tom & Paul Dale
6pm Platinum Jubilee Service

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

to help you prepare to worship next Sunday

1 Corinthians 13 | 1 John 4: 7-12 | Luke 6: 27-36

Parish news and notices

BOOKBOX

Our monthly **BookBox series** has two more events before we take a break in August. Our June session is on **Wednesday 15th June**, when we meet to talk about 'Airhead' by Emily Maitlis (news presenter). If you have not yet read this there are free copies for all at the back of church. Alison will be joined by Professor Helen Laville, newly appointed Provost (deputy vice chancellor) of Kingston University. Helen will talk about the Big Read within the context of Kingston's wider role within the community. To attend, please book a ticket via Eventbrite or on our church website – or you can pay on the door (£7 per ticket, which includes refreshments). On **Wednesday 13th July** we will be listening to cookery writer and demonstrator Kate McBain talk about cookery books and illustrate her comments with sample cakes to eat. If you want to think about what to read over the summer, then Chris Cleave will be our September author on **Wednesday 14th September** and the book he has chosen to concentrate on is 'Everyone brave is forgiven'. If you buy a copy of the book and a ticket from our local independent bookstore (Regency Bookshop in Surbiton) you save money.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK

Thank you to all who contributed to the Christian Aid Week collection St Mary's raised £702.50 this year.

FRIENDSHIP LUNCH

Our next Friendship Lunch will be held on Friday the 1st July and if you would like to join us, or perhaps bring a friend along, please contact either Diana 020 83981184 or Florence 020 83983182. Please also let us know if you have any special dietary needs and we will try to cater for them. We Look forward very much to welcoming you.

St Mary's Church Long Ditton

PET BLESSING SERVICE

Sunday 26th June

4pm

ALL WELCOME!



If your pet is too shy or you are worried about bringing them to church, then please come along with a photo of your pet.