

# **Fourth Sunday after Trinity**

To inspire hearts and minds to serve the mission of God

Welcome to St Mary's. We hope you enjoy worshipping with us. If you are here for the first time please make yourself known to one of the clergy or sidespeople. Do take this sheet home with you.

## Prayer for the week

Lord Jesus Christ you have said that you are the Way, the Truth and the Life. Do not allow us to stray from you, who are the Way, nor to distrust you who are the Truth nor to rest in anything other than you who are the Life. Amen.

(Prayer of Desiderius Erasmus)

The Retreat: Families with young children may like to use the Melvill Room (door beside the organ) as a Retreat space for young children who are getting restless. The service is relayed into there and there are toys and books for children. There is also coffee available for adults.

Services on 24th June

Holy Communion BCP 8am President & preacher: Rev'd Richard Sewell

8.45am Parish Breakfast In the Melvill Room

President: Rev'd Richard Sewell, preacher: Geoffrey Barnett Parish Eucharist 10am

Officiant: Rev'd Richard Sewell 11.30am Pet Service

Officiant & preacher: Rev'd Richard Sewell 6pm Healing & Wholeness

## Collect for 24<sup>th</sup> June

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.

First Reading: 2 Cor 6 vvl-13 Gospel: Mark 4 vv35-end 10am hymns: 610, 679, 635, 42 **I I.30am hymns:** printed in the service sheet

> If you have, or know of anyone who has a pastoral concern, please let one of the clergy or Fiona Barnett know.

#### **Special Prayers:**

#### St Mary's outward giving projects:

Castelnau Centre, for the community who use it and the staff who make it happen

The sick, including Anne White, Shelagh Mitchell, Annie Bond

Anniversaries of death: Georgina Hughes; Gerald O'Connell; Margaret Summers

This week				
Mon to Fri	9.05am	Morning Prayer		
Mondays	2.30pm	Sewing group (contact Rosie on 8876 5338)		
Thurs 28 <sup>th</sup> June	II.I5am	Quiet Time		
	12 noon	Holy Communion (BCP): Rev'd Adam Rylett		
Sat 30 <sup>th</sup> June	30 <sup>th</sup> June 10.30am Coffee Shop in the Melvill Room			
Sun I <sup>st</sup> July	8am	Holy Communion BCP: President & preacher: Rev'd Richard Sewell		
5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	Sunday I Oam Parish Eucharist: President: Rev'd Richard Sewell			
<b>after Trinity</b> Preacher: Bishop Richard Har		Preacher: Bishop Richard Harries		
_	11.30am	Informal Service with baptisms: Officiant: Rev'd Richard Sewell		
	6pm	Evensong: Officiant: Christabel Gairdner		

## **Castelnau Community Centre**

How do things happen at the Centre? It is much more difficult these days to get funds from big grant making trusts, so we depend a lot on volunteers to lead our activities. We are hugely thankful to our committed group of volunteers who are making a difference every day' Our Adult Programme Manager, Sarah Chapman, gives an example. 'At the turn of the year I was approached by a woman who is a lone parent and was completely new to the area. Her daughter had started at Lowther Primary and another parent had suggested that in order to get to know people, she might want to come in to the community centre. She immediately volunteered to help with the community café, and then she helped with art projects. She got a strong sense of achievement and made relationships with a number of people locally. And all of this culminated in a recent employment offer. She still volunteers one day a week because of the enjoyment that she has taken from it." If you can't volunteer, we still need more funds from Barnes to make things happen. Might you start a modest standing order? See castelnaucentreproject.co.uk

Peter Boyling - Chair of Trustees

## Sunday 15th July St Mary's BBQ Brunch

following the 10am Parish Eucharist at 11.15am Tickets are available at £2.50 per person – (adult and child the same) for a burger or sausage roll. Join us for a lovely social occasion for the whole church. There are activities in the churchyard for children.

**Every Thursday at 12pm** there is a short Eucharist held in the Langton Chapel. Numbers have rather dwindled in the past few months and this service will have to cease if we don't attract a few more people. It's a wonderful oasis of peace in the middle of the week and it would be a shame if it had to stop. Please consider carefully if you might fit in coming to the Thursday Communion as a part of your weekly pattern.

**Bell Tower Land Drain:** the North wall of the tower has been affected by rising damp for some time and some render has been removed to allow the wall to dry out. To eliminate the damp, a land drain will be dug alongside the outside facade of the North side of the tower, across the courtyard from the Melvill Room. Work will start on Tuesday 26th June and last about two weeks. Access to the Melvill Room will be disrupted for short periods, when users may be asked to approach it via the church. There will also be brief periods of noisy works, which will be done when the Melvill Room and church are not being used or at least when no one is being unduly disturbed.

If you have any queries, please contact William Heller on williamheller77@gmail.com or on his mobile 07968 237627

**Ringing Remembers:** 1,400 bellringers died during the First World War. Honour their memory by becoming one of 1,400 new bellringers this year and be part of a nationwide moment by ringing on the centenary of the Armistice on 11<sup>th</sup> November 2018. Find out how to take part by emailing bells@big-ideas.org or by talking to Trisha Hawkins, our Tower Captain





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## **BARNES FAIR on Sat 14th July**

It will once again be a busy day for St Mary's and so it is all hands-on deck please!

The Charity Bike Sale will be open from 9am-2pm. Then, there will be the usual and very welcome teas, coffees and cakes all day, the Tower will be open, and the Jazz band will be playing. New this year, the Pimm's tent will also be offering Berry Bros & Rudd No3 Gin and Fevertree tonic! So, on top of your prayers for fine weather, we need lots of help: baking cakes, making sandwiches, selling coffee/tea etc, manning the Tower and clearing up afterwards.

In advance of the Bike Sale, we need help please on Sat morning 30th June and 7th July, Thurs afternoon 12th July and Fri 13th July (all day). The mechanics team do a great job with the bike repairs, but we need people to wash the bikes, serve tea and help on the desk, logging in all the new bikes. Please let Judy Gowing (judygowing@gmail.com) know if you can help with the Bikes Sale and Claire Boyling (claire.boyling@gmail.com) for the teas etc. If we have enough offers, no-one will have to do too much! There will be a special Children's Bike Sale Tea Party on Fri 13 July 3.30-5pm. Do spread the word! Finally, there is a pile of Bike Sale posters at the back of church for you to take and display prominently please – in your car, your window, your gatepost. **THANK YOU.** 

#### Barnes Charity Bike Sale Children's Bike Sale – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July 3.30-5pm with free tea and cake

#### Adult's Bike Sale - Sat 14th July 9am -2pm

Want to sell your bike? St Mary's will sell your bike on 13<sup>th</sup> July (children's) or 14<sup>th</sup> July (adults) in return for a share of the proceeds (for bikes over £40) or you can donate your bike.

Bring your bike to St Mary's Church on:

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> June 10am to 12noon Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> July 10am to 12noon Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> July 1pm to 6pm To get in touch:

Email: bikes@stmarybarnes.org Twitter: @barnesbikesale Facebook: barnescharitybike sale Tel: 020 8876 6353

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