



Pews News

St Paul's Church, Wokingham St Nicholas' Church, Emmbrook

Welcome in the name of Jesus Christ to this house of prayer, especially if you are with us for the first time.

Anybody, of any age, who has been baptised in any Christian Church, is warmly invited to receive the Eucharist here. You are welcome to receive the bread and the wine, or, if you prefer, to take the bread only.

Come forward down the central aisle and then return to your seat down the side aisle. Please tell the priest if you need a gluten-free wafer. If you'd prefer to receive a prayer of blessing please come forward with everyone else and keep your head bowed at the rail.

We are a Church family committed to welcoming all those who come as God's precious and beloved child, whatever their age or race, sexuality or experience, background or confidence in Church. We only become the Church God is calling us to be when everybody is made welcome and everybody is freed to contribute and join in.
Welcome home.

7th May: Fifth Sunday of Easter

9.30am	St Paul's	Parish Mass	Fr Richard
		Readings: Proverbs 8:1-16 and Luke 22:24-30	
		Hymns: 368, 436, 431, 413	
		Anthem: O taste and see (Vaughan Williams)	
		Old Hundredth (Vaughan Williams)	
		Voluntary: <i>Fugue on the English National Anthem</i> , by Max Reger	
11am	St Nick's	Community Eucharist	Rev'd Judi Hattaway
5.15pm	St Paul's	Coronation Celebration Service	Fr Richard

Collect Risen Christ, your wounds declare your love for the world and the wonder of your risen life: give us compassion and courage to risk ourselves for those we serve, to the glory of God the Father. **Amen**

Post Communion Eternal God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life: grant us to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Week Ahead 8th – 12th May

Monday	8.30am	Zoom	Morning Prayer
		Meeting ID 753 2006 4518	Passcode 024453
Tuesday	9am	St Paul's	Morning Prayer
	1.15pm	St Paul's	Meditation Group
	7.15pm	Zoom	Bible Study
		Meeting ID 838 7693 1293	Passcode 254711
Wednesday	8.30am	Zoom	Morning Prayer
		Meeting ID 753 2006 4518	Passcode 024453
	10.30am	17 Martins Drive	House Mass
	6.30pm	Parish Rooms	5678 Youth Club
		Upstairs	
Thursday	8.30am	Zoom	Morning Prayer
		Meeting ID 753 2006 4518	Passcode 024453
Friday	9am	St Paul's	Morning Prayer
	11.30am	Alexandra Grange	Communion
		Care Home	
	1.45pm	Parish Rooms	Coffee and Chat
		<i>Come along to chat, and relax with others</i>	

14th May: Sixth Sunday of Easter

8am	St Paul's	Low Mass	Fr Richard
9.30am	St Paul's	Parish Mass	Fr Richard
		Hymns: 206, 485, 306, 443	
		Voluntary: For Bell Sunday: <i>Carillon</i> , by Herbert Murrill	
11am	St Nick's	Community Eucharist	Rev'd Jane Kraft



White Gift Aid envelopes are available in each pew for visitors. If you're a UK tax payer we can reclaim the tax on the amount you donate, but please remember to fill in your name and address on the envelope. Our QR code can be used for making donations, with the option of Gift Aid. Thank you.

Notices

Coronation Celebrations Today!

**3-5pm Tea and cake in the Parish Rooms next to the church and
Mouse Hunt round the church & churchyard for the children**

5.15pm Evening Service—with royal music and lots of singing!

Also being livestreamed

We're hoping people will dress in red, white & blue for the afternoon events.



The beautiful pane of glass sitting in front of the altar was acquired by Betty Arnold from an annexe erected at the West end of Westminster Abbey for the 1953 Coronation.

Meditation Group Tuesday 9th May,
St Paul's Church.

Arrive from 1pm for 1.15pm start.

Susannah meditationgroup@spauls.org.uk

The Churches Together in Wokingham

Service to mark the beginning of Christian Aid Week will be held on Sunday 14th May, 6pm at Wokingham Baptist Church. This will be followed by Churches Together in Wokingham AGM at about 7pm.

Christian Aid Coffee Morning

There will be a Christian Aid Coffee Morning on **Saturday 20th May, 10.45am** in the Parish Rooms. There will be stalls selling various items and tea/coffee and cake. Please collect your spare books and jigsaws and either leave in the Parish Office with Louise on Tuesday 16th, Thursday 18th or Friday 19th May from - 9.30am - 12.00 noon, pass to Lynne Paine, or bring on the day. Tombola prizes to Liz Gallagher or leave in the office on the above dates. Plants to Teri Austen, preferably on the day in the Parish Rooms but, if necessary, may be delivered to Teri's home a couple of days before. *Please put the date in your diary and come along and support Christian Aid.*



Prayers

The sick: Cara Smart, Gordon Barker, John Woodhams

The Recently Departed: James Earls, Angela Smith, Phillip Evans, Clifford Barnett, Gerald Burrett

Year's Mind: (7th) Margaret Chandler, Evelyn Luker, Annie Moxon, John Bingham;
(8th) Mary Biddle; (9th) Charles Marley, Mollie Taylor; (10th) Frank Lake;
(11th) William Biddle, Jack Connell; (12th) Robert Cross, Mavis Gladwyn,
(baby) Evangelyn Lacey-Webster; (13th) Venetia Salter, Rev'd Leslie Sturman,
Peggy Terry

Almighty God, the fountain of all goodness,
bless our Sovereign Lord, King Charles,
and all who are in authority under him;
that they may order all things
in wisdom and equity, righteousness and peace,
to the honour of your name,
and the good of your Church and people;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Live streaming

Please note that most acts of worship at St Paul's are now live streamed. Although cameras are focused on those leading worship, please be aware that your image may be captured and streamed. If you would like further information on where to sit, please ask the sidespeople as you arrive.

Clergy

Fr Richard Lamey	0118 327 9116	rector@spauls.co.uk	Rest Day Sat
Mthr Cara Smart	0118 901 4365	cara.smart@spauls.co.uk	Rest Day Sat
Rev'd Jane Kraft	01276 36402	revd.janekraft@btinternet.com	Rest Day Fri
Rev'd Judi Hattaway	0118 976 1197	judihattaway@mac.com	Rest Day Fri

Churchwarden

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The office in the Parish Rooms is open on Tuesday, from 9.30am to 12.30pm