

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.

25th June: Feast of SS Peter & Paul

8am	St Paul's	Low Mass	Fr Richard
9.30am	St Paul's	Parish Mass Readings: Romans 6.1b-11, Matthew 10.24-39 Hymns: 155, 478, 382, Lord for the years Voluntary: <i>Vivace from Variation on Lasst uns erfreuen</i> , by Denis Bédard	Fr Richard
11am	St Nick's	Community Eucharist	Rev'd Judi Hattaway & Fr Richard

Collect Almighty God, whose blessed apostles Peter and Paul glorified you in their death as in their life: grant that your Church, inspired by their teaching and example, and made one by your Spirit, may ever stand firm upon the one foundation, 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. **Amen**

Post Communion Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Week Ahead 26th – 30th June

Monday	8.30am	Zoom	Morning Prayer
		Meeting ID 753 2006 4518	Passcode 024453
Tuesday	9am	St Paul's	Morning Prayer
	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	10 Ashton Road	Morning Worship & Prayer
Thursday	8.30am	Zoom	Morning Prayer
		Meeting ID 753 2006 4518	Passcode 024453
Friday	9am	St Paul's	Morning Prayer
	1.45pm	Parish Rooms	Coffee and Chat
		<i>Come along to chat, and relax with others</i>	

2nd July: Fourth Sunday after Trinity

9.30am	St Paul's	Parish Mass	Fr Richard
11am	St Nick's	Community Eucharist	Rev'd Judi Hattaway

Our 19yo son James and his friend Jamie are going to be cycling more than 500km home from university at the end of this term from Durham, about 30km south of Newcastle, to Reading in Berkshire. All in under 48hrs, starting early on 25th June. This project is all to raise money for @spectrum0gaming , a charity which provides an otherwise scarce social network for autistic young people. All money donated will make a huge difference to the lives of many individuals, who without this support can find their mental health a real issue. The links for donations and to follow his progress can be obtained from the office. *Susannah & Vernon Riley*



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

PARISH BBQ SUNDAY 9th JULY AT 1:00 PM

We need an Assistant Chef, a number of desserts, gazebos and lots of help to set up and to dismantle and put away.

Sign up sheets will be at the back of church **Cost:** Adult £12, Child £6, Family £30

Payment: Online - PCC St. Paul account, Ref: BBQ, sort code 20-11-74, account no: 80683752 or by cash.

Enquiries and replies to: Trish Gatland trishgatland@hotmail.co.uk or Alan Harrison (al_harrison@hotmail.co.uk)

We're looking at creating some liturgical elements in the children's area to accompany worship for the youngest members of our congregation. Starting with some peg doll priests with matching chasubles in liturgical colours. If anyone has some felt or fabric suitable to donate, or fancies having a go at making some, please get in touch with Cara.



48 Hour Concert

From 5pm on Friday 30th June until 5pm on Sunday 2nd July at St Mary's Winnersh, Peter Lewis, ex Welsh Guards musician and musicians around the local area will be performing a 48 hour concert in aid of First Days and the local parish churches. Please feel free to attend the concert – bring your singing voice and any instruments you have!

From Quench:

We are delighted to be welcoming Anna Townsend, author of *Come With Me to Kathmandu*, to Holme Grange Craft Village on Weds 28th June. Come and join us at The Chocolate Cafe from 6pm to meet and hear from Anna about the amazing work God is doing in Nepal. There will be a nominal charge of £4 for this (cash preferred) to cover the cafe costs, but this will also entitle you to a hot drink and a cake! Please email admin@quenchshops.com if you wish to reserve a place, or call the shop on 0118 9776715, or drop into the shop and let us know.

Also please note that from 3rd July, our revised opening hours will be Mon-Sat 10.30am-4.30pm

Summer musical recital

'Sketches of Home', Saturday 29th July, 6.30pm at St Paul's by Hannah Harding (bassoon) & Luke Tyrrell (guitar), both from Trinity Laban Conservatoire. Free admission & refreshments, donations welcome.

Prayers

The sick: Gordon Barker, Phil, Mike Dyer, Siew Yin, Neil Harman

The Recently Departed: Valerie Tidball, Pam Sayer, Ron Stagg, Alaister MacLennan, Colin Nightingale, Tessa Frewin, Joy Herman

Year’s Mind: (25th) Colin Clark; (26th) Ian Pateman, Norman Stillman, Tommy Corcoran; (28th) Richard Buck; (29th) Fr Ivor Hancock; (1st) David MacDonald, Joy Hooton

Heavenly Father,
we pray for all people who have been tricked or coerced into slavery;
suffering physical, emotional, and sexual abuse.
We know that nothing is hidden from You,
and we cry out to You for justice, freedom and mercy. Amen

Live streaming

Please note that most acts of worship at St Paul’s are 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, 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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Parish Rooms Administrator

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The office in the Parish Rooms is open on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday
from 9.30am to 12 noon