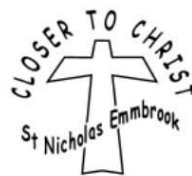


Pews News

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



Welcome to this house of prayer. 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 free to contribute and join in.

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.

Communion can be received either at the altar rail or in your pew. Please tell the priest if you need a gluten-free wafer. If you would prefer to receive a prayer of blessing please come forward with everyone else and keep your head bowed at the rail. If you would like to receive communion or a blessing in the pew, please tell one of the welcomers (the people wearing name badges). Welcome home.

21st September: 14th Sunday after Trinity

8am	St Paul's	Low Mass	Fr Sam
9.30am	St Paul's	Parish Mass	Fr Sam
		Organ Prelude: <i>Vater unser im Himmelreich</i> - Georg Böhm	
		Hymns: 569, 290, 571, 506	
		Readings: Amos 8.4-7, Luke 16.1-13	
		Communion: <i>My eyes for beauty pine</i> - Herbert Howells	
		Voluntary: <i>Praeludium in D (BuxWV 139)</i> - Dietrich Buxtehude	
11am	St Nick's	Community Eucharist	Fr Sam
6.15pm	St Paul's	Choral Evensong & Sermon Series	Fr Sam

Collect Almighty God, whose only Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; 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. **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 22nd – 26th September

Monday	8.30am	Zoom	Morning Prayer
		Meeting ID 967 8096 6787	Passcode 967885
	5.15pm	St Paul's	Evening Prayer
Tuesday	9am	St Paul's	Morning Prayer
	5.15pm	St Paul's	Evening Prayer
	7.15pm	Zoom	Bible Study
		Meeting ID 838 7693 1293	Passcode 254711
Wednesday	8.30am	Zoom	Morning Prayer
		Meeting ID 967 8096 6787	Passcode 967885
	10.30am	10 Ashton Road	Morning Worship
	5.15pm	St Paul's	Evening Prayer
Thursday	8.30am	Zoom	Morning Prayer
		Meeting ID 967 8096 6787	Passcode 967885
	5.15pm	St Paul's	Evening Prayer
Friday	9am	St Paul's	Morning Prayer
	11.30am	Alexandra Grange Care Home	Communion
	1.45pm	Parish Rooms	Coffee and Chat
		<i>Come along to chat, and relax with others</i>	

28th September: St Michael and All Angels

9.30am	St Paul's	Parish Mass	Fr Sam
		Hymns: 445, 246, 247, 595	
		Readings: Revelation 12.7-12, John 1.47-51	
11am	St Nick's	Harvest Service	Fr Sam



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

Choral Evensong at 6.15pm TODAY will see the continuation of our Sermon Series. Our very own Director of Music, Louise Turner, will be preaching about 'mission and local community', so do come along and stay for refreshments afterwards.

Saturday 13th September was **Ride & Stride Day**, to raise money for Berkshire Historic Churches Trust, and for St Paul's. Nigel and I both cycled around to a lot of the churches in the Wokingham area to support this charity.

If you have yet to pass over your promised cash or electronic money to us, Nigel and I will again be at the back of the church after the 9:30 service this week to collect any sponsorship money as cash. If you don't use cash, you can pay by BACS directly to the church account:

Account Name: PCC St Pauls; Sort Code: 20-11-74; Account Number: 80683752; with the reference of "Ride n Stride".

If you would like to support this and missed us before, you can still give some money and sign one of our sponsorship forms! Andrew rideandstride@spauls.org.uk

Harvest Lunch - Sunday 5th October, 12.30pm

We will be serving a selection of yummy hot vegetarian dishes and fruit crumbles. Adults £14 Children £6 Family £35 - proceeds to be shared between our charities and general church funds. **Sign up sheets** will be at the back of church.

Payment: Online - PCC St. Paul account, Ref: HARVEST, sort code 20-11-74, account no: 80683752

Further information from the Social Committee Chairs:

Alan: al_harrison@hotmail.co.uk Trish: trishgatland@hotmail.co.uk

AUTUMN is here, and Mary needs to start compiling new rotas for the coming church year for **readers** of the first lesson at 9.30am and Evensong on Sundays (and at weekday festivals and special services) and for **intercessors** at 9.30am on Sundays (and at weekday festivals and special services).

If you are currently on the St Paul's rota for Readers and Intercessors, please email mary.cassidy@spauls.org.uk (with subject **ROTA**) to **confirm your willingness to remain** on that rota, in which capacity AND to advise me if there are specific dates on which you will **not be available over the next 15 months** or if you are unable to continue (*please not too many of those*).

IF YOU ARE NOT YET on the rota for Readers and Intercessors but would like to become a Reader or Intercessor (or both), please email mary.cassidy@spauls.org.uk (with subject **ROTA**).

The office will be closed w/c 28th September, so please send any items for Pews News on 28th Sept or 5th Oct to Louise by Wednesday 24th Sept.

Prayers

In need of our prayers: Tim, Chloe Zarb, Graham and Pat Reed, Jeff, Una Standen, Michael Taylor, Sylv, Judy MacLennan, Lawrence Doyle, Roland Sore, Harriet and Tom

Recently departed: Rose Antink, baby Caspar, Bob Slade

Year's Mind: (21st) Michael Wells, John Dibb; (23rd) Roger Sawdon; (24th) Philip Short, Margaret Krafft; (26th) Jean Shipperley, Cyril Luxton; (27th) Julia Oakley-Hill, Tony Sayer, Betty Hill, Michael Gallagher

Kate and Jon Slade are sad to share the news of the passing on September 11th of their father, Robert ('Bob') Slade, a long-time parishioner of St. Paul's Church. Particularly after the death of his wife Annette, he found the fellowship of St Paul's Church to be of true help and support.

The funeral will be held in on Wednesday 8th October at 4pm at Easthampstead Park Crematorium. If you would like to make a donation to Alzheimer's Research in Bob's memory, the family would be very grateful.

A small private wake will be held for the immediate family.

Clergy

Fr Sam Tanna-Korn	07440 338056	rector@spauls.co.uk	Rest Day Sat
Rev'd Judi Hattaway (part-time)		judihattaway@mac.com	Rest Day Fri

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Next week, the office in the Parish Rooms is open on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 9.30am to 12 noon

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.