

Sunday 10 September 2023

The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

Welcome! If you are here for the first time please introduce yourself to a member of the welcome team, and/or email us at welcome@spwh.org

Today's services

8am Said Eucharist		9.15am Joyful Noise Eucharist	
Celebrant	Fr Pete Hopkins	Celebrant	Sarah Elkins
Preacher	Fr Pete Hopkins	Preacher	Fr Daniel Sandham
		<i>Texts for this service are on the screen</i>	

10.30am Sung Eucharist	
Celebrant	Fr Daniel Sandham
Preacher	Fr Pete Hopkins
Entrance hymn	676 Immortal, invisible
Anthem	LJ. White— <i>A prayer of St Richard of Chichester.</i>
Offertory hymn	422 Alleluia, sing to Jesus
Communion hymns	696 Jesus, where'er thy people meet 455 My God, and is thy table spread
Recessional hymn	719 Lord, the light of your love is shining
Organ voluntary	Starling Goodwin—Voluntary in D minor (Set 1 No. 12)

1200 Holy Baptism	Alexandra Callaghan
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Today's readings

Joyful Noise

Luke 13.18-21 Jesus said, "What is God's kingdom like? What can I compare it with? God's kingdom is like the seed of the mustard plant. A man plants this seed in his

garden. The seed grows and becomes a tree. The wild birds build nests on its branches."

Jesus said again, "What can I compare God's kingdom with? It is like yeast that a woman mixes into a big bowl of flour. The yeast makes all the dough rise."

Said and Sung Eucharists

Ezekiel 33:7-11 So you, mortal, I have made a sentinel for the house of Israel; whenever you hear a word from my mouth, you shall give them warning from me. If I say to the wicked, 'O wicked ones, you shall surely die', and you do not speak to warn the wicked to turn from their ways, the wicked shall die in their iniquity, but their blood I will require at your hand. But if you warn the wicked to turn from their ways, and they do not turn from their ways, the wicked shall die in their iniquity, but you will have saved your life.

Now you, mortal, say to the house of Israel, Thus you have said: 'Our transgressions and our sins weigh upon us, and we waste away because of them; how then can we live?' Say to them, As I live, says the Lord GOD, I have no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but that the wicked turn from their ways and live; turn back, turn back from your evil ways; for why will you die, O house of Israel?

Psalm 119:33-40



My delight shall be in your commandments.

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Teach me, O Lord, the way of your statutes and I shall keep it to the end. Give me understanding and I shall keep your law; I shall keep it with my whole heart.

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Lead me in the path of your commandments, for therein is my delight. Incline my heart to your testimonies and not to unjust gain. Turn away my eyes lest they gaze on vanities; O give me life in your ways.

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Confirm to your servant your promise, which stands for all who fear you. Turn away the reproach which I dread, because your judgements are good. Behold, I long for your commandments; in your righteousness give me life.

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Matthew 18:15-20 'If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax-collector. Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.'

Notices

MIX & MINGLE Saturday 16 September, 10.30am - 12noon. Come to the Paulin Room and grab a cuppa, a croissant and a chat, at the latest of our Saturday morning coffee meet-ups! If you've just started coming to St Paul's, or you're a more established member of the church, this is a chance to mix and mingle with friends old and new. Children can get stuck into some craft activities and games, and the garden will be open!

TALK ON HYMN TUNES Fr Daniel will be the speaker at the next Mothers' Union meeting on Thursday 21 September, at 2pm in church, followed by tea in the hall. He'll be talking about the history of hymn tunes - with some practical demonstrations! All welcome.

THINGS WE DON'T WANT TO SEE IN CHURCH! We respectfully ask that mobile phones are not used during services, and also that people don't bring hot drinks into church.

HARVEST Our annual celebration of Harvest is just round the corner. We will have an All-Together Eucharist at 10am (no 9.15am and 10.30am services) and everyone is encouraged to bring donations for food needed by North Enfield Foodbank. We have our Harvest Roast afterwards, with proceeds going to this year's annual charity, Christian Aid. Tickets can be bought at Sunday services, or by emailing Sue magazine@spwh.org.

COMMUNITY CONCERT Sign up for the Community Concert on Saturday 4 November using the slips at the back of church, or contact Sue Jeffreys on 020 3231 0049 or 07973 427 799. More details on the poster in church.

MIDWEEK FEASTS As a trial for this month we will be celebrating midweek feasts with a Eucharist at 12.30pm, rather than 9am. So come and celebrate the feasts of the Holy Cross (Thursday 14), St Matthew (Thursday 21) and St Michael and All Angels (Friday 29)!

NEW VICAR FOR HOLY TRINITY Fr Simon Morris will be inducted as the new Vicar of Holy Trinity, Winchmore Hill, on Friday 15 September, at 7pm. All very welcome. As part of the historic link between the parishes, the Vicar of St Paul's is the patron of Holy Trinity, and responsible for presenting a new priest to the bishop. Please pray for Fr Simon and for the parish.

ENFIELD LOCK PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM Our friends at St Peter and St Paul, Enfield Lock, are making a day pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham on Saturday 23 September, and all are welcome! Travel by coach and includes a full pilgrimage programme in Walsingham. £30 adults, £15 under 18s. For more details contact Mark at mrd6264@gmail.com.

"AT THE WATERS OF SILENCE" A Deanery Quiet Day led by Bishop John Ford Saturday 30 September 10am – 4pm at St Luke's Church, Clay Hill. Bring a packed lunch, hot drinks provided. All welcome

DATE FOR YOUR DIARIES .

Sunday 15 October: 6pm Choral Evensong marking the 400th anniversaries of William Byrd and Thomas Weelkes

This week's diary

Morning and Evening Prayer are usually said publicly Monday-Thursday at 9am and 5pm.
The church is open for private prayer Monday-Thursday from 9am to 5.15pm.

Day		Observance	Time	Services/Events	Prayer Intention
Sunday	10	THE FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	8am 9.15am 10.30am 12pm	Said Eucharist Joyful Noise Sung Eucharist Holy Baptism	<i>Our parish and its people</i>
Monday	11				<i>Those who live in poverty</i>
Tuesday	12				<i>Victims of human trafficking</i>
Wednesday	13	St John Chrysostom	12.30pm	Eucharist	<i>Preachers</i>
Thursday	14	Holy Cross	12.30pm	Eucharist	<i>Devotion to the Cross of Christ</i>
Friday	15	St Cyprian			<i>The persecuted Church</i>
Saturday	16	St Ninian			<i>Missionaries</i>
Sunday	17	THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	8am 9.15am 10.30am	Said Eucharist Joyful Noise Eucharist Sung Eucharist	<i>Our parish and its people</i>

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