

Sunday 10 August 2025

EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

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

Today's services

8am Said Eucharist	
Celebrant	Fr Daniel Sandham
Preacher	Fr Daniel Sandham

9.15am Joyful Noise	
Celebrant	Mthr Lyanne Beckerson
Preacher	Sarah Elkins
<i>Texts for this service are on the screen</i>	

10.30am Sung Eucharist	
Celebrant	Fr Daniel Sandham
Preacher	Fr Daniel Sandham
Entrance hymn	676 Immortal, invisible, God only wise
Offertory hymn	683 Jerusalem, the golden
Communion hymn	442 Eat this bread
Recessional hymn	761 Praise the Lord! Ye heavens, adore him
Organ postlude	Scherzoso, Opus 174/2 - Josef Rheinberger (1839-1901)

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Today's readings

Joyful Noise

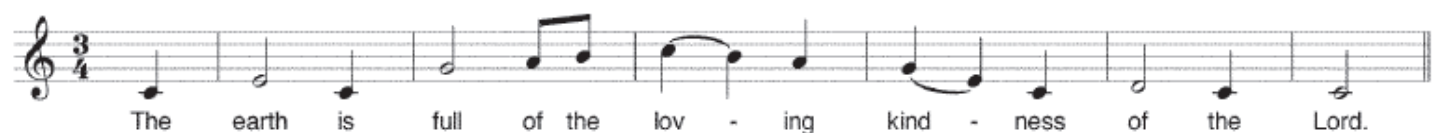
Matthew 6.7-13 Jesus said, "When you pray, don't be like those people who don't know God. They continue saying things that mean nothing. They think that God will hear them because of the many things they say. Don't be like them. Your Father knows the things you need before you ask him. So when you pray, you should pray like this:

'Our Father in heaven, we pray that your name will always be kept holy. We pray that your kingdom will come. We pray that what you want will be done, here on earth as it is in heaven. Give us the food we need for each day. Forgive the sins we have done, just as we have forgiven those who did wrong to us. And do not cause us to be tested; but save us from the Evil One.'

Said and Sung Eucharist

Genesis 15.1-6 The word of the Lord came to Abram in a vision, 'Do not be afraid, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great.' But Abram said, 'O Lord God, what will you give me, for I continue childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?' And Abram said, 'You have given me no offspring, and so a slave born in my house is to be my heir.' But the word of the Lord came to him, 'This man shall not be your heir; no one but your very own issue shall be your heir.' The Lord brought Abraham outside and said, 'Look towards heaven and count the stars, if you are able to count them.' Then he said to him, 'So shall your descendants be.' And he believed the Lord; and the Lord reckoned it to him as righteousness.

Psalm 33.12-end



The earth is full of the loving-kindness of the Lord.

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Happy the nation whose God is the Lord and the people he has chosen for his own. The Lord looks down from heaven and beholds all the children of earth.

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From where he sits enthroned he turns his gaze on all who dwell on the earth. He fashions all the hearts of them and understands all their works.

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No king is saved by the might of his host; no warrior delivered by his great strength. A horse is a vain hope for deliverance; for all its strength it cannot save.

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Luke 12.32-40 Jesus said to his disciples, 'Do not be afraid, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom. Sell your possessions, and give alms. Make purses for yourselves that do not wear out, an unfailing treasure in heaven, where no thief comes near and no moth destroys. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. 'Be dressed for action and have your lamps lit; be like those who are waiting for their master to return from the wedding banquet, so that they may open the door for him as soon as he comes and knocks. Blessed are those slaves whom the master finds alert when he comes; truly I tell you, he will fasten his belt and have them sit down to eat, and he will come and serve them. If he comes during the middle of the night, or near dawn, and finds them so, blessed are those slaves. 'But know this: if the owner of the house had known at what hour the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. You also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour.'

Notices

MTHR LYANNE'S ORDINATION We are very excited about Mthr Lyanne's Ordination to the Priesthood on Sunday 14 September at 10.30am and her First Mass on Monday 15 September at 7pm, both at St Paul's. Please:

- + Put these dates in your diary
- + We need people to help serve drinks and food after the First Mass; contact the Office
- + Contribute to an ordination gift; BACS details below or cash in envelope to Fr Daniel or the churchwardens
- + And pray for Mthr Lyanne!

Account name	St Paul Winchmore Hill PCC
Account number	23119504
Sort code	16-00-15
Reference	Ordination gift

THE ASSUMPTION Friday 15 August is the feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, when we rejoice that Mary, chosen as the Mother of God Incarnate, is reunited with her Son at the end of her earthly life. Our friends at Holy Trinity have a special Evensong on Wednesday at 5pm in honour of Our Lady, and there is a Eucharist on the feast itself at Holy Trinity at midday.

GARDEN OF REST Parts of the Garden of Rest will not be accessible during the summer while essential maintenance to the church roof takes place. We are sorry for any disappointment this will cause. The church is normally open every day between 9am and 5pm for prayer and reflection.

DATES FOR THE AUTUMN There is lots happening at St Paul's in the autumn. Please get these dates in your diaries now:

- Sunday 14 September, 10.30am: Mthr Lyanne's Ordination to the Priesthood
- Monday 15 September, 7pm: Mthr Lyanne's First Mass
- Thursday 25 September: Sycamore Course starts
- Friday 26 September: St Paul's Trust Quiz
- Sunday 5 October: Harvest Festival: 10am All-Together Eucharist, Harvest Roast

- Sunday 19 October: St Paul's Trust AGM and Evensong
- Friday 28 November: The Elevation Fundraising Event

This week's diary

Morning Prayer and Evening Prayer are usually said publicly in church Monday-Thursday at 9.10am and 5pm. Everyone is welcome. The church is normally open every day for prayer, reflection and visitors.

Day		Observance	Time	Service/event	Prayer intention
Sunday	10	EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	8am 9.15am 10.30am	Said Eucharist Joyful Noise Sung Eucharist	<i>Our parish and its people</i>
Monday	11				<i>Carers</i>
Tuesday	12				<i>Racial justice</i>
Wednesday	13		12.30pm	Eucharist	<i>St Michael, Negage</i>
Thursday	14				<i>The environment</i>
Friday	15	The Blessed Virgin Mary	12pm	Eucharist at Holy Trinity	<i>Devotion to Our Lady</i>
Saturday	16				<i>Places of pilgrimage</i>
Sunday	17	NINTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	8am 9.15am 10.30am	Said Eucharist Joyful Noise Sung Eucharist	<i>Our parish and its people</i>