

SJ 9.30am Morning Prayer at St John's

Hymn Numbers 103, 169, 565

HT 10.00am Parish Eucharist with Junior Church at Holy Trinity
followed by the ADCM

CC 11.15am Morning Prayer at Christ Church

Hymn Numbers 137, 216, 16, 756

Collect for Seventh Sunday of Easter:

O God the King of glory,
you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ
with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven:
we beseech you, leave us not comfortless,
but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us
and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

If you wish to follow them, the set Bible readings for today are [Ezekiel 36: 24-28]; Acts 1: 6-14; Psalm 68: 1-10, 32-end [or 68: 1-10]; 1 Peter 4: 12-14, 5: 6-11; John 17: 1-11

Mission Statement

Faithful to God ~ **Sharing** with those in need ~ **Caring** for one another

The Week Ahead

Morning Prayer takes place at 8am on Tues and Thurs at St John's

Evening Prayer takes place at 5pm on Mon (at Holy Trinity), Tues (at St John's) and Thurs (at Holy Trinity)

Monday 18 May

10.45am – 1pm Mencap Café at Holy Trinity

Tuesday 19 May – *Dunstan, archbishop, monastic reformer, 988*

9.45am T3 (Trinity, Tots & Toys) at Holy Trinity

7.30pm Meeting at St John's with Archdeacon Simon

Wednesday 20 May – *Alcuin, deacon, abbot, 804*

10.45am – 1pm Mencap Café at Holy Trinity

4.00pm Prayer Group at Christ Church

6.00pm Meditation Group at Christ Church

Thursday 21 May

12.15pm Eucharist at Holy Trinity

Friday 22 May

Saturday 23 May

Trip to Portsmouth

9.00am Eucharist at Christ Church

10am-2pm Booksale at Christ Church

Sunday 24 May – PENTECOST

9.30am Parish Eucharist at St John's
followed by the ADCM

11.15am Parish Eucharist at Christ Church

12noon Baptism of Kylian O'Brien at Holy Trinity

Upcoming Services: Please note that on Sunday 24 May, there will not be a 10am service at Holy Trinity. Please join the congregations at St John's (9.30am) or Christ Church (11.15am) for their Parish Eucharist service.

Eco-Friendly Tip: Put a plastic bottle filled with water in your toilet tank to reduce the amount of water used per flush, or install a 'Hippo' water saver.

Notices

All We are delighted to announce that **Revd Dr Hannah Swithinbank** has been appointed as our next Team Vicar based at Christ Church subject to the necessary procedures. Hannah is completing her curacy in Kew and will be licensed at Christ Church on Monday 1 June at 7.30pm – all are invited. Please keep Hannah in your prayers as she prepares for this new Ministry.

All Will you help support families escape the grip of urban poverty in Nairobi, Kenya this **Christian Aid Week** (10 – 16 May)? Where hardship means hunger, urban farmers can grow hope. Read more about Fridah's story on the Christian Aid website (www.caw.christianaid.org.uk) where you can also donate directly.

All On Tuesday 19 May at 7.30pm Archdeacon Simon will be talking through a possible **new partnership for St John's** with St Andrew's, which would include starting a new informal service. All welcome to come and hear and ask questions.

All There will be a **book sale on Saturday 23 May** 10-2 at Christ Church. Wonderful variety of books at great prices. If you have any donations please drop them off after services or bring on the day.

All On the 23rd of May there will be an organised **trip to Portsmouth** to see Hala and Chantal who worshipped at Christ Church for two years and recently moved. The trip will include a visit to Portsmouth Cathedral and a bring and share picnic. If you would like to come, please contact Mary.

All The next **Bible study** will be on 28 May at 7:30pm at Holy Trinity and it will be on the theme of grace.

All Mark and Mary are offering **training for intercessors** across the parish on Saturday 13 June at 2pm at Holy Trinity. It is suitable for those who are already involved in leading intercessions and also for those who would like to get involved in this ministry. Please come if you want to learn more about leading prayers.

All **Mary will be ordained priest** on Sat 4 July in a service at 11am at All Saints' Kingston. Please hold her in your prayers. Mary will be celebrating her first eucharist in a Team Service, 10.30am at St John's on Sun 5 July. If you would like to **contribute towards a gift** for Mary, you can make a bank transfer to Merton Priory PCC Account No: 00020829 Sort Code: 40-52-40 using reference "Mary Gift". See any of the Churchwardens to make a cash or contactless contribution.

All The Priory School is seeking a new **Foundation Governor**. Please speak to Mark for more information.

AI The Holy Trinity CofE Primary School PTA would love members of the local community to show support by signing up for an **estate agent board** advertising the upcoming fair on 27 June. Their sponsor, One Move, will donate up to £22 for each board so it makes a big difference to school fundraising. Please enter your details on the google form: <https://forms.gle/C74vgU3WUckZLhXW7>

AI Youth Ministry in Communion (YMIC) will be holding their summer party on Sunday 5 July from 5-8pm and open to all in year 6 and above. Head to St Paul's Wimbledon Parkside for fun on giant inflatables (including an obstacle course), gaming, food and crafts – all free! Something for everyone – food, drinks, fun and young people from across South London joining together for worship. To sign up – follow this link. <https://theparishofputney.churchsuite.com/-/forms/revljpzm>

Annual Meetings

During May, each church will be having its annual meeting (ADCM) before the annual meeting of the whole Parish (APCM) takes place.

Christ Church – Sunday 10 May after the 11.15am service

Holy Trinity– Sunday 17 May after the 10.00am service

St John's – Sunday 24 May after the 9.30am service

APCM – Sunday 31 May after the 10.30am Team service at Holy Trinity

Merton Priory Team Ministry

Christ Church Colliers Wood, Holy Trinity & St Peter South Wimbledon, & St John the Divine Merton
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