

# **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> June, Trinity Sunday**

8.00am Holy Communion

10-00am Festival Eucharist

*This service can be viewed live on St Mary's Facebook page. It will be uploaded to Youtube once the service is finished. Service sheet attached.*

*Subtitles are available on Youtube. If you would find it helpful to read what is being said, click on the button marked CC, in the bottom strip under the picture. NB these are generated automatically and may contain errors. Subtitles might not be available immediately; if not, check again later.*

**Youtube recording** link [here](#)

— Readings: Proverbs 8.1-4, 22-31; Psalm 8; Romans 5.1-5; John 16.12-15

*Junior Church in the Hall this week.*

*Coffee in the Hall after this service*

7pm Zoom Prayers

- See link on Facebook. Service Sheet attached

Visit <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7122984102> [contact Philip for password] OR, take part by phone: 0208 080 6592 (meeting ID: 712 298 4102; password 9124427368)

## **I. SERVICES FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING 12<sup>th</sup> June**

### **Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June**

11-00am Holy Communion (livestreamed)

### **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> June – CORPUS CHRISTI**

7-30am Eucharist

5-00pm Evening Prayer and Benediction

### ***During the week***

*Morning Prayer Monday – Thursday 9am*

*Evening Prayer Monday - Thursday 5pm*

*The church is open for private prayer:*

*Monday - Saturday 9am - 5pm*

- ***Receiving the chalice is entirely optional and if you would rather continue receiving the bread alone for the time being that is perfectly OK. Please do not dip your bread in the chalice. Communion will be administered at the chancel step.***
- *Hand sanitiser is available.*
- *Masks - please consider the vulnerability of those around you when deciding whether to wear a mask or not.*

- *Please respect people's social distance*
- *Please do not come to church if you are feeling unwell*

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## **II. A MESSAGE FROM DEJI MAKANJUOLA**

Our salvation is the justification of our faith. As Christians, our faith is in the Holy Trinity . God the Father created us and the whole world and has always cared and loved his creations. He created man in his image and gave him dominion over all he created . He charged man to be fruitful and multiply

Six days of creation and a seventh day of rest .

Six days of intense labour of love.

Along the way, human beings, from Adam and Eve started disobeying God but he never gave up on us. It got so bad he came down as God the Son for our salvation and redemption . The word made flesh. He came teaching and healing and before his ascension he sent us into the world to do his will and, knowing we could not do it alone, promised to send God the Holy Spirit to strengthen us.

On Ascension into heaven ,God the Holy Spirit came down to reside in each and every one of us, to empower us to do God's will, to comfort and guide us and be our help in times of trouble. With our faith, we defy mathematics in that 1+1+1 remains 1 in the Holy Trinity, the Godhead, coequal, coeternal.

Without the Trinity, we lose the story of Creation ,Redemption ,and the gradual revelation of God to humanity.

This Trinity Sunday, I will implore you to take time to understand the significance and the roles the Trinity plays in our lives. As you understand the grace, mercy, power and justice of God, pray to the Holy Trinity, worship the Trinity and put all your hope in him, for the Trinity is God and he has revealed himself to us in undoubtable manners. The Holy Spirt is our Paraclete, our intercessor and whatever we ask in the name of the Son is granted by the Father .

Our Baptism that qualifies us as Christians is Trinitarian - in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Let us keep the fire of our faith burning.

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## **III. CHURCH NEWS**

### ***~ Collection this Sunday***

*This Sunday is Music Sunday and there will be a retiring collection for the Royal School of Church Music (RSCM).*

### ***~ Jubilee Thank You***

We want to say a big thank you to all who helped with the Jubilee Celebration in the baking, decorating, flower arrangement and setting out the tables . A particular mention to all who worked tirelessly in the kitchen and in serving the superb top class afternoon tea.

People were very generous but also in their praise of the whole afternoon.

When all expenses have been paid we expect to make in the region of £650 which we think is very good.

### **~ Holy Reading**

Our first meeting will be on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June at 10am. Contact the Rector for more details.

### **~ Walking Group**

Evening walk from followed by meal in Whetstone on 14<sup>th</sup> June. Meet at church at 6pm. Contact the Rector or Nick Upton for details.

Future walking dates are

- Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> June (all day walk)
- Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> August (all day walk)
- Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> October (all day walk)

### **~ Concert on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> June at 6pm**

We continue our concert series on Sunday 19th June at 6pm for a 75- minute programme of well-loved choral classics by visiting choirs conducted by Grace Rossiter and Alison Fisher among others, including JS Bach's great motet 'Singet dem Herrn', 'I was Glad' (Parry) and 'Zadok the Priest' (Handel). Refreshments served at the end. The concert is offered in memory of Robin Daniel, former chorister at St Mary's.

Entry is free with a retiring collection for the church and churchyard fund.

### **~ Parish BBQ**

A date for your diary – 3<sup>rd</sup> July in the Rectory Garden.

### **~ St Mary's School Fair**

The school fair will be held on 3<sup>rd</sup> July from 2-5pm. There is plenty of time to come to the BBQ then go on to the fair, that is what the Rector is intending to do!

If you would like to help volunteer at the school fair please contact the Rector.

### **~ Children's Society**

Gladys Vendy thanks everyone who contributes to the Children's Society. She will be pleased to receive any boxes which need emptying and these can be given to her at the 10am service or left in the church office. Alternatively, if you wish to make a donation, this can be either by cash (in a clearly labelled envelope) or by cheque made payable to St Mary's PCC with Children's Society written on the back. This is so that it goes through the parish accounts as part of our mission giving. Gladys Vendy 020 8446 2907'

### **~ Ukraine Barnett Appeal :**

We urgently require the following items to support the Ukraine refugees in Moldova:

- 1) Paracetamol.....or any other type of painkillers.
- 2). Food

Please bring your donations to the church on Sunday.

Or speak to Manny..... Thank you.

### **~ Ordination**

Our new curate, Francesco, will be ordained in St Paul's Cathedral on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> July at 3pm. You can watch the service online by following this link: <https://youtu.be/oWtQU3HQcIE>

### **~ Accommodation required**

A member of the St Mary's community is looking for accommodation as a lodger or in a flat- or house-share. She recently sold her flat in Finchley Central, and does not want to get another place on her own. She would prefer to live where there is someone else in the house. She would be happy to

provide assistance if it is helpful.

She has worked for some years in retailing, particularly as a Charity Shop Manager. When shops shut down in the pandemic, she drew on her earlier training as a nursery nurse, and took a job in a nursery.

If you are interested, please contact the Rector.

### **~ Celtic Wisdom and the Glory of Wild Flowers No 10: Forget-me-not (Myosotis)**

*That blue and bright eyed flowerlet of the brook,  
Hope's gentle gem, the sweet forget-me-not (Samuel Coleridge 21. 10.1772 – 25.7.1834)*

*The month of June is the ideal season to salute Coleridge's "gentle flower".  
Adopted as the symbol of the Alzheimer's Society, it will be honoured all month with a full range of forget me not gifts available on the website. There can be few families who have not been affected by this cruel illness.*

Read Lynn's reflection here: <https://stmaryatfinchley.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2022/06/Celtic-Wisdom-and-the-Glory-of-Wild-Flowers-No-10-Forget-me-not.pdf>

### **—Pastoral issues & resources**

*The pastoral group hope to keep in regular contact with those who have requested it; but anyone who feels the need to talk to someone is welcome to give us a ring. (See the contact details below.)*

### **—Parish prayer list**

*Marilyn, Tony Lewis, Kate Anderson, Joan Airey, Saul Venit, Les Zamit, George Palmer, Simone, Raphael, Naomi, Harry Prescott, Rebecca, Christopher Browne, Mark Harris, Sonia Singham, Janet Mary Whitford, Jill Russell, Robert Reed, Brenda Knight, Paul Heyman, Theresa, David Aprahamian Liddle, Jo Newton, Tom Jamieson, Leon Leonidou, Maria Psaras, Chris Leonidou, Judy Bird, Vera Predich, Faye Connelly, Tricia Crozier, Pam Leahy, Angela Brant, Goldie Graham, Shelley Ibe, Aileen O'Brien, Ellie-Lara, Shena Lee, Francie Simpson, Joyce Piper, Elizabeth Gregson, Andrew Elder, Jenny, Niina Dowuona-Hammond, Stella Okonkwo, the Gordon family,*

*RIP Kathleen Gordon, Mike Hill*

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--Website: <https://stmaryatfinchley.org.uk>

--Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/stmaryatfinchley/>

--YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCoEfGw89pMsshgD7aX5-R3A/>

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### **CONTACT DETAILS**

*If you are concerned about yourself or other people—including requests for practical help—please contact the pastoral group: [pastoralgroup.smaf@gmail.com](mailto:pastoralgroup.smaf@gmail.com)*

*If you wish to speak to a priest:*

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