



MERTON
PRIORY

PARISH
TEAM
MINISTRY



St John the Divine, Merton

Sunday 15th July 2018 Seventh Sunday after Trinity

9.30am

Officiant

Deacon

and preacher

Entrance Hymn

First Reading

Gospel Reading

Offertory Hymn

Final Hymn

Eucharist at St John's

Revd Belemo Alagoa

Nick Mayhew Smith

130 Fill our hearts with joy and gladness

Amos 7: 7-15

Mark 6: 14-29

288 King of glory, King of peace

293 Lead us heav'nly Father lead us

11.15am

Welcome Violet and her family on this her baptism day.

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Entrance Hymn

First Reading

Gospel hymn

Gospel Reading

Offertory Hymn

Communion Hymn

Final Hymn

Eucharist at Christ Church with Baptism

Revd Belemo Alagoa

Nick Mayhew Smith

172 Fill our hearts with joy and gladness

Amos 7: 7-15

375 King of glory, King of peace

Mark 6: 14-29

625 Take my life and let it be

206 Glory be to Jesus (omit 5,6,7)

419 Lord the light of your love is shining

7.00pm

Eucharist & Healing at Holy Trinity

Mission Statement

In Merton Priory parish we aim to be a community

Faithful to God

Sharing with those in need

Caring for one another

We know we don't always get it right but we seek God's grace to fulfil his mission.

The week ahead

Morning Prayer is said Tuesday 7.30am at Holy Trinity; Wednesday 7.30am at Christ Church; Thursday & Friday 7.30am at Holy Trinity; Saturday 9.00am at Christ Church. Evening Prayer is said Tuesday – Friday 5.15pm at St. John's. All welcome!

Monday 16 July

7.15pm Finding Sanctuary at St John's

Tuesday 17 July

9.45am T3 Toddler Group at Holy Trinity

Wednesday 18 July

9.45am Eucharist at St John's

4.00pm Prayer Group at Christ Church

6.15pm 'Office Hour' at Christ church

7.00pm Meditation Group

Thursday 19 July

12.15pm Eucharist at Holy Trinity followed by lunch at the Rosy Lea Café

Friday 20 July

10.00am Colliwobbles toddler group at Christ Church

Saturday 21 July

9.30am Eucharist, at Christ Church

Sunday 22 July St Mary Magdalene

9.30am Eucharist for all ages at St John's

11.15am Eucharist for all ages at Christ Church

7.00pm Contemplative service at Holy Trinity

Prayers

- * For the churchwardens and others taking on extra roles during the vacancy
- * giving thanks for the safe rescue of the boys and their football coach in Thailand and for the safety of all doing extreme sports
- *For our Government
- * For the final stages of Wimbledon Tennis today – for players, supporters, and officials
- * For the Merton Citizens Action at Merton Town Hall on Monday
- *for Colliwobbles as it meets for the last time in the hall and for more volunteers as it moves into the church in September

Notices

Please send items for the pew sheet to admin@ht-sw.org.uk by **9.00am** on **Wednesday morning**

With thanks from Chris

'A huge thank you to all of you in Merton Priory parish for a wonderful send off and the lovely gift of the icon of Our Lady of Merton Priory. I really appreciate your friendship and kindness over the last eight years, and pray for God's blessing and guidance for you in years to come. Chris'

CHRIST CHURCH

Would you like to be a Server? These are the people who enhance our worship and assist the priest so that our services run smoothly each week. We would love to have more people taking this role. Why not come along on **Saturday 21 July at 2.30pm** and see what is involved. Followed by tea and refreshments in the Vicarage.

Young Families Picnic - Sunday 22 July

You are warmly invited to bring a picnic and get to know other families in the congregation. We will gather in the Vicarage garden after the morning service. Soft drinks provided.

Prayer ministry the Wednesday Prayer Group meets each week to pray for situations and individuals. If there is something you would like us to pray for please contact Joy - joylynnelyons@gmail.com. Information is kept confidential within the group unless otherwise requested

ST JOHN THE DIVINE

Notice Boards and Our Great War Honour Boards Sales from the table in future will go towards money to repair/restore our roll of honour boards in time for 100th anniversary of the end of the Great War.

*We are friendly churches that care for others, young and old.
We believe that men and women, young people and children are equal
and that people of all races and sexual orientation should be treated equally.*

Panto-Time! MP3 will be doing Pinocchio in January. Come along to St John's TODAY at 2:30pm (for cake) ahead of a read-through from 3-5pm. All welcome, even if you've never done anything like this before. It's not an audition, but a chance to get a feel for it. More details from Ann Roberts on 07956934578.

Parish Meeting: Tues 17 July, 8pm at Holy Trinity - there will be a congregational meeting for all those who are interested in having some input in the recruitment of our new Team Rector. To be facilitated by Bruce Rickards (Area Dean)

Merton Citizens is going to be coordinated by Liz Holder now that Chris has left the parish. Liz will be contacting people via email so please ensure she has your email address if you want to know what is happening. You can contact her at liz@lizholder.co.uk

Going to Exeter on 5 August for Chris installation. The cost of the coach is £25 per seat. Please give the money to Ann Newson (S) Alison Fletcher-Rogers (CC). There are still a few seats available and if some more people go the cost might be reduced slightly.

Greenbelt Ann Roberts and her girls are planning on going (for the very first time) this August bank holiday weekend. Tickets are available at www.greenbelt.org.uk – either for single days or the whole weekend. They'll be camping using Camplight. Go to www.camplight.co.uk – book as "Merton Priory" to be nearby. Do give Ann a call on 07956934578 if you want to know more!

First Communion and Confirmation for young people

Starting on Sunday 30 September for those wishing to be admitted to Communion (children Yrs 3-6) or Confirmation for young people Yr7+. For adults wishing to be Confirmed there will be a course starting in September. Please let Alison or Belemo know if you are interested in joining any of these groups.

Merton Priory Team Ministry

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

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TEAM CLERGY

Team Vicar: Revd Alison Judge (usual day off – Monday)

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Team Rector: Revd Chris Palmer (usual day off – Monday)

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Assistant Priest: Revd Belemo Alagoa (available – Wed, Thurs, Sun)

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Reader: Nick Mayhew-Smith

Southwark Pastoral Auxiliary: Joy Lyons joylynnelyons@gmail.com (Christ Church)

Churchwardens: Desmond Davies & Alison Fletcher Rogers at Christ Church. Ann Roberts & Jean Parker at St John the Divine.

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