

Parish Contacts

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Intercessions

For the sick and those in need who have asked for our prayers

For the recently departed:

Nicholas Groves, Peter Hamfeldt.

Anniversaries of death:

Colin Broomfield, Michael Adeyinka, Peggy Munday.

11am Parish Mass Hymns:

Entrance	379	Lead us, Heavenly Father, lead us
Offertory	714	We hail thy presence glorious
Communion	82	Bread of Heaven, on thee we feed
Recessional	565	Praise, my soul, the King of Heaven

Parish Notices

Refreshments after Mass.

Refreshments after Mass will be available today in the Vicarage garden if the weather is fine, or otherwise in Church.

All Saints' Margaret Street Assumption Procession

All Saints' Margaret Street will be celebrating the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary on Sunday 13th August at 6pm: Evensong, Procession of Our Lady through Oxford Street, and Benediction. The preacher will be Bishop Glyn Webster. All are welcome. There will also be High Mass on the feast day itself, Tuesday 15th August, at 6.30pm.

St Paul's Cathedral Autumn Programme

The programme of events at St Paul's Cathedral for September to December is now available, exploring "the joys, challenges and contradictions of Christian life in the 21st century". For details please see the poster and leaflets available in the lobby.

Sunday Services in August and September.

Fr Matthew will be providing cover at other churches to assist clergy colleagues on Sundays 13 and 20 August, and 3 and 17 September. On those days the Parish Mass will be celebrated here as usual at 11am but there will be no Eucharistic Adoration at 10.15. Weekday Masses will continue as usual.



The Parish of Colindale

The Ninth Sunday after Trinity 6th August 2023



Mass Times and

Readings for Morning and Evening Prayer

Readings and psalms for Morning and Evening Prayer are given for use with Common Worship Daily Prayer or the Book of Common Prayer. MP = Morning Prayer; EP = Evening Prayer. For a shorter version of the Office, use one psalm and one reading. For the same services online see tinyurl.com/fusdp. (* = a long Psalm, part of which may be omitted. Where there is a choice of two sets of Psalms, the first is for the season, the second follows the ordinary cycle.)

Sunday 6th August 10.15 Eucharistic Adoration 9th Sunday after Trinity 11am Parish Mass

MP: Psalm 85; Song of Solomon 5.2-16 or 1 Maccabees 3.1-12; 2 Peter 1.1-15

EP: Psalm 80*; 1 Kings 10.1-13; Acts 13.1-13

Mon 7th August No services

Feast: The Transfiguration (transferred)

MP: Pss 27, 150; Ecclesiasticus 48.1-10 or 1 Kings 19.1-16; 1 John 3.1-3

EP: Psalm 72; Exodus 34.29-35; 2 Corinthians 3

Tues 8th August 12.30pm Mass

Memorial: Saint Dominic, Priest, founder of the Friars Preacher

MP: Psalms 32, 36; Jeremiah 32.1-15; James 2.14-end

EP: Psalm 33; 1 Samuel 15.1-23; Luke 23.26-43

Weds 9th August 10am Mass

Memorial: Mary Sumner, founder of the Mothers' Union

MP: Psalm 119.57-80; Jeremiah 38.1-13; Mark 1.21-28

EP: Psalms 59, 60, (67); 1 Samuel 20.18-end; Acts 2.1-21

Thurs 10th August 10am Mass

Feast: Saint Laurence, Deacon, Martyr

MP: Psalms 56, 57, (63*); Jeremiah 38.14-end; Mark 1.29-end

EP: Psalms 61, 62, 64; 1 Samuel 21.1-22.5; Acts 2.22-36

Fri 11th August 10am Mass

Memorials: St Clare of Assisi, St Philomena; St John Henry Newman

MP: Psalms 51, 54; Jeremiah 39; Mark 2.1-12

EP: Psalm 38; 1 Samuel 22.6-end; Acts 2.37-end

Sat 12th August 10am Mass

Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

MP: Psalm 68; Jeremiah 40; Mark 2.13-22

EP: Psalm 72; Proverbs 8.22-31; John 19.23-27

(First Evening Prayer of the Assumption)

Sunday 13th August 11am Parish Mass

The Assumption of the BVM (transferred)

MP: Psalms 98, 138, 147.1-12; Isaiah 7.10-15; Luke 11.27,28

EP: Psalm 132; Song of Solomon 2.1-7; Acts 1.6-14

First Reading (Isaiah 55.1-5)

A reading from the book of the prophet Isaiah.

The Lord says this:

Everyone who thirsts,
 come to the waters;
 and you that have no money,
 come, buy and eat!
 Come, buy wine and milk
 without money and without price.
 Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread,
 and your labour for that which does not satisfy?
 Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good,
 and delight yourselves in rich food.
 Incline your ear, and come to me;
 listen, so that you may live.
 I will make with you an everlasting covenant,
 my steadfast, sure love for David.
 See, I made him a witness to the peoples,
 a leader and commander for the peoples.
 See, you shall call nations that you do not know,
 and nations that do not know you shall run to you,
 because of the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel,
 for he has glorified you.

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Psalms 145.8-9, 15-22

**Response: You open wide your hand, O Lord,
 and satisfy the needs of every creature.**

The Lord is gracious and full of compassion,
 slow to anger and of great kindness.
 The Lord is loving to everyone
 and his compassion is over all his works. **R**

The Lord upholds all those who fall;
 he lifts up those who are bowed down.
 The eyes of all wait upon you, O Lord,
 and you give them their food in due season.
 You open wide your hand
 and satisfy the needs of every living creature. **R**

The Lord is righteous in all his ways
 and loving in all his works.
 The Lord is near to those who call upon him,
 to all who call upon him faithfully.
 He fulfils the desire of those who fear him,
 he hears their cry and helps them. **R**

The Lord preserves all those who love him,
 but he destroys all the wicked.
 My mouth shall speak the praise of the Lord;
 let all flesh bless his holy name for ever and ever. **R**

Second Reading (Romans 9:1-5)

A reading from the Letter of Paul to the Romans.

I am speaking the truth in Christ—I am not lying; my
 conscience confirms it by the Holy Spirit—I have great
 sorrow and unceasing anguish in my heart. For I could wish
 that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ for the
 sake of my own people, my kindred according to the flesh.
 They are Israelites, and to them belong the adoption, the
 glory, the covenants, the giving of the law, the worship, and
 the promises; to them belong the patriarchs, and from them,
 according to the flesh, comes the Messiah, who is over all,
 God blessed for ever. Amen.

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness,
 for they will be filled, says the Lord.

Alleluia!

Gospel (Matthew 14:13-21)

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
 according to Matthew

Glory to you, O Lord

When Jesus heard that Herod had beheaded John the
 Baptist, he withdrew from there in a boat to a deserted place
 by himself. But when the crowds heard it, they followed him
 on foot from the towns. When he went ashore, he saw a
 great crowd; and he had compassion for them and cured
 their sick. When it was evening, the disciples came to him
 and said, 'This is a deserted place, and the hour is now late;
 send the crowds away so that they may go into the villages
 and buy food for themselves.' Jesus said to them, 'They need
 not go away; you give them something to eat.' They replied,
 'We have nothing here but five loaves and two fish.' And he
 said, 'Bring them here to me.' Then he ordered the crowds
 to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two
 fish, he looked up to heaven, and blessed and broke the
 loaves, and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave
 them to the crowds. And all ate and were filled; and they
 took up what was left over of the broken pieces, twelve
 baskets full. And those who ate were about five thousand
 men, besides women and children.

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, O Christ