

Welcome to St Mary's. We hope you enjoy worshipping with us. If you are here for the first time please make yourself known to one of the clergy or sidespeople. Do take this sheet home with you.

Prayer for the week:

○ God of truth and justice, we hold before you those men and women who have died in active service: in Iraq, in Afghanistan and elsewhere.

As we honour their courage and cherish their memory,
may we put our faith in your future; for you are the source of life and hope, now and for ever. Amen.

Services today

8am	Holy Communion BCP	President & preacher: Rev'd Ann Lynes
10.50am	Remembrance Service	Officiant & preacher: Rev'd Richard Sewell
6pm	Evensong	Officiant: Geoffrey Barnett

The Retreat: families with young children may like to use the Melvill Room (door beside the organ) as a Retreat space for young children who are getting restless. The service is relayed into there and there are toys and books for children. There is also coffee available for adults.

Collect for the week

Ever-living God, we remember those whom you have gathered from the storm of war into the peace of your presence; may that same peace calm our fears, bring justice to all peoples and establish harmony among the nations through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

First Reading: in special service sheet
Gospel: Luke 21 vv5-19
Hymns for 10.50am: in special service sheet



Special Prayers for this week:

St Mary's outward giving projects:

Age UK Richmond at the Barnes Green Day Centre

The sick, including Alastair Mackie, Joan Putz, Alan Mitchell, Marjorie Wing, June Blunt, Imogen Smith, Andrea Walshe

Anniversaries of death: Cathern Kirby, Margaret Collenette, Patricia Chapman

Those who have died: Peter Russell, June Millar

This week

Mon to Fri daily	9.05am	Morning Prayer
Mondays	2.30pm	Sewing group as arranged (contact Rosie on 8876 5338)
Thursdays	10am	Home group meets for bible/book study at 2 Mill Hill Road. Anyone is welcome (contact Fiona 8878 6975)
Thurs 17 th Nov	11.15am	Quiet Time
	12 noon	Holy Communion (CW): President & preacher: Rev'd Richard Sewell
Sat 19 th Nov	10.30am	Coffee Shop in the Melvill Room in aid of Save the Children <i>Your support is needed in order that Save the Children can continue their work both overseas & in the UK. For every £1 received, 88p is spent on activities to benefit children, 11p to raise the next £1 & 1p on governance and other costs.</i>
Sunday	8am	Holy Communion (BCP):
20th November		President & preacher: Bishop Richard Harries
Christ the King	10am	Parish Eucharist:
		President: Rev'd Ann Lynes, preacher: Christabel Gairdner
	11.30am	Informal Service: Officiant: Rev'd Ann Lynes
	6pm	Healing & Wholeness: Officiant: Rev'd Ann Lynes

If you will be giving your donation to the church in cash, and you pay tax, please use a Gift Aid envelope. This will enable us to claim an extra 25% from HMRC at no cost to you. Write your full name, address and date on the front of the envelope – this MUST be completed in ink to be valid.

Charity of the Month Age UK Richmond/Barnes Green Centre

Age UK Richmond believes that older age should be a cause for celebration. Health and wellbeing and ensuring that people are not alone underpins all our services. Loneliness and social isolation is now recognised nationally as harmful to health. The Barnes Green Centre is friendly and welcoming and offers a wide range of physical and creative activities together with the opportunity to make new friends. In common with all charities it is becoming increasingly difficult to obtain funding and the Centre needs constant upkeep. We are therefore very grateful for the continuing St Mary's support in being the charity of the month. Drop in to hear about our Information and Advice Service, Handyperson Scheme, Help at Home, IT tuition, Cooking, Outings or Walking Football for men, Support after coming out of Hospital, or simply to have a cup of coffee and a chat. Ring Jan Eaton on 02088762377.

June Millar died on 7th November. Her funeral will be in the Western Crypt of Canterbury Cathedral at 2pm on Tuesday 29th November. Her family will hold a Memorial Service for her in the New Year.

Junior Hand Bell practice starts on the 6th November after the morning service. We will finish at 12:30pm outside Kitson hall. Hot dog lunch will be provided! Speak to Charlie or JulieAnn for more details.

Capability Landscapes: To mark the tercentenary of the birth of Lancelot 'Capability' Brown in 1716, an innovative photographic print exhibition is taking place at St Mary's Barnes in the second half of November. At the launch on **Tuesday 15th November at 6.30pm** (admission free), Barnes parishioner Alasdair Saunders will explain how Lancelot Brown changed the face of eighteenth century England, designing country estates and mansions, moving hills and making flowing lakes and serpentine rivers, a magical world of green. The exhibition illustrates through photography and print many of the well-known Capability Brown landscapes including Blenheim, Burghley, Petworth and Croome Park. All are invited to the launch and to the exhibition which is open every morning from 10.30 to 12.30 until 26th November with free admission.

Confirmations: two members of our congregation are being baptised and confirmed at the Cathedral on November 19th. Their names are Stephanie Page and Sebastian Munden. Please pray for them at this important step in their lives.

St Michael's Advent Carol Service is on Sunday 27th November at 6pm and they would like to invite you to join them for what is a perfect prelude to Christmas and an opportunity for churches in Barnes to celebrate together. Refreshments will be served afterwards.



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If you have, or know of anyone who has a pastoral concern please let one of the clergy or Fiona Barnett know.

St Mary's Christmas Cards: Thank you so much to everyone who has already offered to fill a slot selling Christmas cards – we have had a brilliant response which is wonderful. We do still have a few slots still to fill, **particularly on some of the Saturdays (which are our best-selling days)**, so if you have a spare hour or two, and could help out, we would be very grateful.

Detailed below are the slots we still need help with:

Saturday 19th November: 12.15-1.15pm and 1.15-2.30pm

Saturday 26th November: 1.15-2.30pm

Saturday 3rd December: 1.15-2.30pm

Wednesday 7th December: 12.30-2.30pm

Monday 12th December: 12.30-2.30pm

Thursday 15th December: 12.30-2.30pm

Friday 16th December: 12.30-2.30pm

Saturday 17th December: 12.15-1.15 and 1.15-2.30pm

Monday 19th December: 12.30-2.30pm

Wednesday 21st December: 12.30-2.30pm

Thursday 22nd December: 12.30-2.30pm

If you can help out with any of these, then please call Charlie Grainger on 07711 130851 or 020 8239 8861 or email her on christmascards@stmarybarnes.org

Barnes Charity Ball 2017 is on Friday 3rd February with the exciting theme of **Carnival** (think Rio, gorgeous girls, samba, drums, feathers, dancing and glittering costumes). To apply for tickets, download the form from the website www.barnescharityball.org and make sure your application is in by 6 November to secure tickets.

Barnes Music Festival 2017 programme listing has been published with 29 events from 11th to 26th March at venues across Barnes, centred on St Mary's. Pick up a leaflet from the back of the church and save the dates. Full programme details and tickets available from December.

Dan Turner: Last week we were sorry to have to announce that Dan Turner is leaving St Mary's. Dan has been with us over five years and has done an amazing job with our choirs and all the music at St Mary's. He feels that it is time to move on to pursue other professional avenues. Dan will be with us until after Christmas so there will be plenty of time to say farewell.

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