

We welcome Elinor Hanton as our organist today

New - Saturday Morning, every Saturday morning at St Mary's 10am -12pm. Drop in for morning prayer, coffee, biscuits, chat and friendship. Come as you are and bring a friend, or come solo for a bit of friendly company. EVERYONE WELCOME!

New - A Family Agape Meal on Wednesday 21st May at 6pm at St Mary's. We are all invited to the common table to share in an Agape Meal. Bring a plate to share or come as you are for food, friendship, fellowship, singing, sharing God's word and faith story telling. EVERYONE WELCOME!

New - Mission giving by the Parish Giving is an important aspect of our life as a church. Do you know any charities whose work you support who would benefit from a donation from the Parish? We are looking for a UK-based and an overseas charity to support for three years. We tend to choose smaller charities where our donation will make a tangible difference. Suggestions please by Monday 19 May to Sarah Kitchen – email: sklandford13@gmail.com

New - Christian Aid Week 11 - 17 May: If you could deliver envelopes (no collecting involved) or act as a letterbox for donations - please contact:- Helen Robinson: email: helenjudithrobinson@blueyonder.co.uk. Last year the parish raised over £6,000 for Christian Aid so it is a worthwhile exercise.

New - FiSH Sheen Open Gardens: Visit a selection of beautiful gardens around Sheen on Sunday, 1 June, from 100pm to 6.00pm in support of FiSH. Enjoy teas at All Saints and Christ Church plus children's activities and flower festival at Christ Church, and a Pimms Tent in Fife Road. Tickets £10 from www.fishhelp.org.uk, from Waitrose on Saturday, 31 May, and on the day from All Saints and Christ Church. If you could kindly bake a cake or help with serving teas at this event please let Deborah at All Saints - 020 8876 3765 - or Sue Jorgensen at Christ Church - 07957 618 722 - know please.

New – St Mary's Annual meeting: Sunday, 18 May, at 11.15am.

New – Annual Parochial Church Meeting – APCM is to be held on Monday, 19 May at 7.30pm here at St Mary's, followed by PCC meeting..

Thursday, 8 May, at 10.00am at All Saints: Eucharist with Act of Commemoration for the 80th Anniversary of VE Day. Revd Jonathan Haynes to preach. Refreshments of coffee and cake afterwards. All welcome. All Saints second Concert Series of 2025 – Saturday, 17 May, at 7:00pm – (doors and licensed bar open at 6.30pm).. The concert will feature the return of YCAT winning clarinetist, Jonathan Leibovitz performing music by Debussy, Brahms and Poulenc. Tickets are £15 and are available at All Saints Church on Sunday mornings; also available at Eventbrite/All Saints/Jonathan Leibovitz, or on the door on the night. . Students and children are free.

WELCOME TO ST MARY'S

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Sunday, 4 May, 2025

Third Sunday of Easter

10.00am Sung Eucharist

Anthem: Almighty and most merciful God - Orlando Gibbons

INTERCESSIONS:

Mission and Community Concern: Winston's Wish. Helping children, teenagers and young adults deal with grief following the death of someone important to them.

Parish / Wider Church Concern: For the persecuted church across the world marking the resurrection in secret or in fear for their safety. The Roman Catholic Church and the conclave discerning the appointment of the next Bishop of Rome.

World / UK Concern: HM the King, HM the Queen and the royal family. The Mayor of Richmond and our MP.

Community: For all the local sports clubs and those who work in fitness and leisure

The sick and those in need: Toby Zeegen, Amaya Henry, Mike Pattison, Tony Paterson, Joy Clarke, Alban Clarke.

Those who have died: Pope Francis, Marjorie Taylor, Ann Duvall,