

✠ **THE PARISH OF
ST. PAUL WITH ST. LUKE** ✠



Sunday 19th February 2023
Mass the Sunday next before Lent

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Exodus 24:12-end: Cathy 2 Peter 1:16-end: Nikki

Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9 Intercessions: Julian

Chalice: Julian Welcomers: Cathy & Hannah

Refreshments: Joana

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Esther Christian, John Christian, Rachel Christian,
Janice Sutherland, Audrey Mameli, Marek Machoy, Bertie Headley,
John Beney, baby Lois, Phil Cutcliffe, Nipa Mondal
Sarah-Louise Pegden, Hendrika Santer-Bream, Elizabeth Oppon,
Kofi Oppon, Paul Parnell, Tom Cantwell, James, Layla,

For our link church of **Santa Monica, Maputo** in Mozambique
And for our church school **St Paul with St Luke Primary School**

February's Year Mind: Ralph Beyer, Rose Finn-Kelcey,
Arthur John Mc Kenzie

R.I.P: Liam Hegarty

Today we celebrate **the Sunday next before Lent** and so we are at the end of our journey through a brief period of Ordinary time before we begin our Lenten journey towards Holy Week and Easter which begins this Wednesday (Ash Wednesday).

Lent begins this Wednesday 22nd February.

Mass with the imposition of ashes will take place in church at 7pm.



Lent Activities

Lent Course: 7 pm Tuesdays during Lent starting **Tuesday 28th February** (4 sessions) Caring for God's World, Our World

Prayers Around the Cross: 7pm Sundays during Lent starting **Sunday 26th February.**

Lent Lunch (Giving): **Sunday 12th March** after the Service

Lent Pots: Giving during Lent to Diocesan Lent Appeal and St Monica's Mozambique.

Praying the Parish Boundary: Sunday 5th March at 2pm

Please note: the Electoral Roll revision started last **Sunday and ends on Saturday 4th March.** If you have joined the church after April 2022 and wish to be on the Electoral Roll, please complete a form and give it to Hendrika (our Electoral Roll Officer).

Fairtrade Fortnight:

Monday 27 Feb to Sunday 12 March.

Ways in which you can support Fairtrade in your daily life:

1. **buy fair trade** when you go shopping and maybe don't leave church today without buying something at our Traidcraft stall.
2. sign up to **Fairtrade Fortnight** at fairtrade.org.uk
3. Pray for climate justice for farmers in the countries most vulnerable to climate change?



Lent Course: Caring for God's World, our World. (7pm Zoom)

Session 1: Water access in the Holy Land – A talk by Beverley and Cara about these issues, the impact of climate change, the implications politically and for us as Christians.
(Tues 28 Feb)



Session 2: Floods – in Nigeria. A talk by Cathy on how climate change is impacting people in Nigeria and how Christians are responding to it.
(Tues 7 Mar)



Session 3: Food poverty – locally and internationally. A talk by Mary about working locally in a Soup Kitchen and about how Climate change is affecting people's access to food globally.
(Tues 21 Mar)



Session 4: Local Action & Local People: A talk by Julian and Joey about their involvement in local and national in response to climate change and how we might get involved as a church.
(Tues 28 Mar)



Daily office: Monday- Wednesday, Friday & Saturday 8am & 5.30pm.

Sunday 19th February 10am

Mass for the Sunday next before Lent

Wednesday 22nd February 7pm

Mass for Ash Wednesday

Sunday 26th February 10am

Mass for Lent 1

Sunday 26th February 7pm

Prayers around the Cross

Tuesday 28th February 7pm

Lent Course – Session 1 (Zoom)

Sunday 5th March 10am

Mass for Lent 2

Sunday 5th March 2pm

Parish Prayer Walk

Sunday 5th March 7pm

Prayers around the Cross

Tuesday 7th March 7pm

Lent Course – Session 2 (Zoom)

Wednesday 8th March 6.45pm

PCC Meeting (*church hall*)

Sunday 12th March 10am

Mass for Lent 3 (*followed by Lent Lunch*)

Sunday 12th March 7pm

Prayers around the Cross

Tuesday 14th March 7pm

Deanery Synod (*St Paul's Shadwell*)

Sunday 19th March 10am

Mass for 4th Sunday of Lent (*Mothering Sunday*)

Sunday 19th March 7pm

Prayers around the Cross

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Next Sunday: 26th February 2023

Mass for the First Sunday of Lent

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Genesis 2:15-17, 3:1-17: Julian Romans: 5:12-19: Ed

Gospel: Matthew 4:1-11 Intercessions: Ed

Chalice: Mary Welcomers: Nikki & Ed

Refreshments: Nikki



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Vicar Mother Bernadette Hegarty 020 3774 6833

Churchwarden: Julian Bream 07818 048048

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