



**Today**

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)  
10.00am Parish Eucharist  
6.00pm Evensong

**The Week Ahead**

Morning & Evening Prayer are said in the Tennant Chapel Monday to Friday, 9.15am & 6.00pm	
Monday	12:15pm Film Club 5:35pm Eucharist
Tuesday	7:30am Yoga 5:00pm Silent Hour
Wednesday	12:30pm Holy Communion (BCP)
Thursday	3:00pm Toddler Group at Napier Hall 7:00pm Zumba
Friday	8:00pm Soup Kitchen in Church run by STREET SOULS

Today our curate Revd Cath Duce is preaching in the morning at St Matthew's, Westminster.

**Secondary School Aged Young People** There is a film, pizza and games evening on Sunday 10th March 5-7pm in the Parish Sitting Room. If your child wishes to come along please collect and sign a consent form from Cath or Katy. The following date for a social for this aged group is scheduled for Sunday 14th April 5-7pm in the Parish Sitting Room, with a hope that this can also be a rehearsal time for the Young People's Good Friday service at 10am on Friday 19th April.

**Nora Stellwag** Our former Pastoral Assistant from Germany will be visiting St Stephen's on Sunday 10th March.

**Second Half Club:** On Monday 11th and 18th March, 12.30-1.30pm, we have two talks on London's 'Weeds of the Pavement and Street Trees'.

**Shrove Tuesday:** is on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> of March. This year we are once again teaming up with Brownies to host The Big Pancake Party, which supports the Church Urban Fund to combat poverty. Come join us in Napier Hall for pancakes and fun from 6-7:30. Sign-up sheet at the back of church. Donations welcome.

**Ash Wednesday** is on 6<sup>th</sup> of March and there will be two services with the imposition of ashes:

**12:30 BCP and 18:30 Eucharist**

**Lent Lunches with Luke:** Revitalising our journey with Jesus - Every Sunday between 10th March and 14th April, 12.15-1.45pm we will gather for lunch in the Parish Sitting Room and explore a passage from Luke's Gospel. There will be time for reflection and discussion, as well as an opportunity to get to know other church members better. Please speak to Katy Hirst for more information.

**Ladies Clothes Swap:** On Saturday 13th April, 10am-12pm St Stephens will be hosting a clothes swap event in the Napier Hall, more details to come but for now put the date in the diary and invite your friends! Why not consider clearing out your wardrobe as a Lenten discipline? Please speak to Katy Hirst for more information.

**Room needed:** Our weekday verger Andrew Crawford is seeking a room to rent, if you have one or know of anyone who has one, please do either email the parish office or speak to Graham. Thank you.

**Electoral Roll:** Church Representation Rules state that every six years, a new church electoral roll has to be prepared in the parish and 2019 is the year. **Everyone** comes **OFF** the roll and must re-apply. This must be done via an application form and the electoral roll displayed before our APCM on the 28<sup>th</sup> of April. We aim have the completed by **March 31<sup>st</sup>** but in order to do this, we need your help. Please take an application form from the back of the church and return to the Church or parish office ASAP so that we have as much time to prepare as possible. Thank you in advance.

**Almighty God,**  
to whom all hearts are open,  
all desires known,  
and from whom no secrets are hidden:  
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts  
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,  
that we may perfectly love you,  
and worthily magnify your holy name;  
through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

**Entrance Hymn:** We Hail Thy Presence Glorious

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### The Collect

Almighty Father,  
whose Son was revealed in majesty  
before he suffered death upon the cross:  
give us grace to perceive his glory,  
that we may be strengthened to suffer with him  
and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory;  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

**First Reading:** *Exodus 34:29-end*

**Psalm:**

Psalm 99



1 The Lord is king: let the peoples / tremble;  
he is enthroned above the cherubim: /let the earth/ shake.

2 The Lord is great in /Zion  
and high a-/bove all/ peoples. **R**

3 Let them praise your name, which is great and /awesome;  
the Lord our /God is /holy.

4 Mighty king, who loves justice, you have established /equity;  
you have executed justice and /righteousness in /Jacob. **R**

5 Exalt the Lord our /God;  
bow down before his footstool, for/ he is /holy.

6 Moses and Aaron among his priests and Samuel among those who call upon his /name;  
they called upon the /Lord · and he / answered them. **R**

7 He spoke to them out of the pillar of /cloud;  
they kept his testimonies and the /law that he/ gave them.

8 You answered them, O Lord our/ God;  
you were a God who forgave them and pardoned them for/their of-/fences. **R**

9 Exalt the Lord our God and worship him upon his /holy/ hill,  
for the Lord our /God is /holy. **R**

**Second Reading:** 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2

**Gospel Reading:** Luke 9:28-36

**Prayers of Intercession**

**In our parish cycle of prayer:** Our Administrator and Bursar and Millbank School

**For those who live in:** Bulinga Street and Morpeth Terrace

**As part of St Stephen's link with the Church in Myanmar:**

Archbishop Stephen, Archbishop of the Province of Myanmar, and Bishop of Yangon

**We pray for our New York City link parish:**

The Church of the Holy Trinity and their Rector, Revd John F. Beddingfield, praying particularly new young adult ministry

**In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:**

Pray for the Anglican Church in Chile (Iglesia Anglicana de Chile): Hector Zavala Muñoz (Primate, and Bishop of Santiago)

Church Action on Poverty Sunday: pray for the poor in this city and the world, and for those who work for the relief of poverty

Capital Vision 2020 Ambassadors: we pray for mechanics

Westminster (St Marylebone) Deanery: Prebendary Alan Moses (Area Dean)

Deanery Synod: Mary Currie (Lay Chairman), Erna Smit (Secretary), Paul Hawkins (Treasurer)

Pray for the work of Michael Redman, Area Interfaith Adviser

**Among those who have asked for our prayers:**

Gerry Chester; Robin Fairfax; Vera Godsall; Marian Hall; Jean Haswell; Dyfrig Jones; Alan Mack; Sue Potten; Michael Pryce Jones; Miriam Lesmond; Pete Read; Janet Scott; Michael Spicer; Bob Szewczyk; Henry Taylor; John Travis-Clarke; Maadimo Tlale; Judy Torrance; Tracy Victoria; Gay Widmer, William Morris

**Recently Deceased:** Elizabeth Brazier

**For the Years' Mind of:**

Irene Eveline Clark, Frances Briody, Wilma Martens, Peter Harkins, Doris Lillian Judd, Sr Hilary CSA, Walter Whittle

**The Liturgy of the Sacrament**

A collection will be taken during the Offertory Hymn

**Offertory Hymn:** Christ Whose Glory Fills the Skies

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**During Communion the choir sing the Anthem:**

O Nata Lux by Tallis

## **Post Communion Hymn: Be Still for the Presence of the Lord**

Be still for the presence of the Lord  
The Holy One is here  
Come bow before Him now  
With reverence and fear  
In Him no sin is found  
We stand on holy ground  
Be still for the presence of the Lord  
The Holy One is here

Be still for the power of the Lord  
Is moving in this place  
He comes to cleanse and heal  
To minister His grace  
No work too hard for Him  
In faith receive from Him  
Be still for the power of the Lord  
Is moving in this place

Be still for the glory of the Lord  
Is shining all around  
He burns with holy fire  
With splendor He is crowned  
How awesome is the sight  
Our radiant King of light  
Be still for the glory of the Lord  
Is shining all around

## **Post Communion Prayer**

Holy God,  
we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ:  
may we who are partakers at his table  
reflect his life in word and deed,  
that all the world may know his power to change and save.  
This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.

***The Dismissal***

## **Recessional Hymn: To God be the Glory**

To God be the glory, great things He has done;  
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son,  
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin,  
And opened the life gate that all may go in.

*Refrain:*  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,  
Let the earth hear His voice!  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,  
Let the people rejoice!  
O come to the Father, through Jesus the Son,  
And give Him the glory, great things He has done.

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood,  
To every believer the promise of God;  
The vilest offender who truly believes,  
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

Great things He has taught us, great things He has done,  
And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son;  
But purer, and higher, and greater will be  
Our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see.

## **Organ Voluntary**