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# WEEKLY NOTES

## SUNDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2022

### 8<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

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A warm welcome to any who are with us for the first time today, please join us for refreshments after the service.

**The 9.30am Parish Eucharist will be live-streamed on the website and Facebook.**

To help you feel safe, when our clergy are involved in services in Church they take a Lateral Flow Test beforehand.

**The wearing of facemasks in Church is no longer required, however you are still welcome to do so and also sit in either the north or south aisles which are still well ventilated. Please be respectful of other people's feelings regarding the wearing of masks and need for personal space.**

#### **8:00 Said Holy Communion**

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#### **9:30am Sung Eucharist**

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YOU CAN FOLLOW THE SERVICE IN THE ORDINARY TIME ORDER OF SERVICE BOOKLET.

THE SETTING IS AN ANGLICAN FOLK MASS - MARTIN SHAW

OPENING HYMN NEH 381 JERUSALEM THE GOLDEN

GLORIA – SHAW

FIRST READING: HEBREWS 11:1-3, 8-16

GRADUAL HYMN: NEH 357 FATHER, HEAR THE PRAYER WE OFFER

THE HOLY GOSPEL: LUKE 12:32-40

Sermon – Rev Sue Ayling

OFFERTORY HYMN: NEH 408 LOVE DIVINE, ALL LOVES EXCELLING

FINAL HYMN: NEH 339 BE THOU MY VISION, O LORD OF MY HEART.

THANK YOU TO ST MARY'S SINGERS", WHO HAVE CHOSEN OUR HYMNS AND ARE LEADING OUR SINGING TODAY.

THE FLOWERS IN CHURCH THIS WEEK HAVE BEEN SPONSORED BY LUCY MORRELL IN LOVING MEMORY OF HER FATHER HAROLD ROSE.

If you are joining online **the order of service** can be found at <https://www.stmarysewell.com/sung-eucharist-ordinary-time/> The service will be live-streamed at <https://www.facebook.com/stmarysewell/live>

*Sharing the love of Christ, the Light of the World, with the people of Ewell*

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## NOTICES

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### **Honey Harvest**

Fi and Derek Dowle now have available 454g (1lb) jars of local honey which has just been harvested from the hives in their apiary in Ewell. The cost of a jar is £6. If you would like to buy some honey please contact them either by email, fidowle@btinternet.com, or phone 020 8393 2568. Fi and Derek will donate 10% of sales to St Mary's.

### **Photo competition**

The popular A Day for All photo competition is back on Saturday 1 October so don't forget to start taking some photos! The theme of the day is 'Year of Jubilee'. Please use your imagination, but possible topics for your photos are castles, horses, dogs, trees, crowns and flowers. As usual there are the two categories of '12 years and under' and '13 years and above'. We hope to publicise the full competition rules in the next couple of weeks or so. Any questions to Sue Ayling.

### **Hilary Page MBE R.I.P**

Hilary Page died peacefully in her sleep on 14th July. May she rest in peace and rise in glory. Hilary's family would be very pleased for her Church family to join them at St Mary's (after an earlier private cremation) to celebrate Hilary's life at 1.15pm on Monday 15th August. You are also invited to refreshments in Ewell Hall after the service.

### **Boys night out 2**

Following on from our last "Boys night out", if anyone fancies going to the Wheatsheaf for a pint or two on Saturday 13 August, let Fr Mark know. If your husband, brother, boyfriend, uncle, or son does not come to church, why not invite them? If you are free it would be great to see you.

### **Coffee after 9:30 services**

We are looking for volunteers to serve coffees/teas after the 9.30am Sunday service. You would be on a rota and the more volunteers we have the less the frequency will be. It is a good way to get to know the congregation. Please contact Angela or Noel 020 8337 6734 if you can help.

### **Jazz on the lawn - 20 August 12pm – 3pm**

We are really excited that Florie Namir - Jazz-Pop Singer - Song writer and Classical Composer, is coming to sing at our late summer BBQ and concert. Join us from midday onwards at the Vicarage for live music, a BBQ and a glass of fizz. Bring your own chairs/rugs/bottles/snacks. **Tickets on sale** via Eventbrite or from Fr Mark or Lucy  
Adults £10, Children £5 <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/jazz-on-the-lawn-florie-namir-tickets-331066387477>

### **Acts435**

As some of you will know, St Mary's is part of the Acts435 network of Churches. Acts 435 is a Christian online giving charity that anonymously connects those who want to give with those who are in need of their help, through a network of local churches and charities.  
Please use this link to help explain how ACTS435 works or speak to Fr Mark [www.acts435.org.uk/our-mission/how-we-work/](http://www.acts435.org.uk/our-mission/how-we-work/)

### **Link to Hope Shoebox Appeal 2022**

This year we are supporting the Link to Hope shoebox appeal.

The Link to Hope Shoebox Appeal has been running since 1992 supporting families in Eastern Europe. The shoeboxes are for the whole family – not just a child.

If you would like to know more please talk to Fr Mark or Linda Staff or collect a leaflet from the back of Church.

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## **NEXT SUNDAY**

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**14<sup>th</sup> August – 9<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

**8:00am- Said Holy Communion.**

**9.30am- Sung Eucharist** in church and online: [facebook.com/stmarysewell/live](https://www.facebook.com/stmarysewell/live)

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## **DIARY DATES**

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**Every Tuesday 10am Said Holy Communion** in the Lady Chapel with coffee and chat afterwards.

**Daily Prayer** Morning Prayer is usually livestreamed Monday to Saturday at **9am** at <https://www.facebook.com/stmarysewell/live>

## Collect

Almighty Lord and everlasting God,  
we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern both  
our hearts and bodies  
in the ways of your laws  
and the works of your commandments;  
that through your most mighty protection, both here and ever,  
we may be preserved in body and soul;  
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

## Amen

## Post Communion Prayer

Strengthen for service, Lord,  
the hands that have taken holy things;  
may the ears which have heard your word  
be deaf to clamour and dispute;  
may the tongues which have sung your praise be free from  
deceit;  
may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your love shine  
with the light of hope;  
and may the bodies which have been fed with your body be  
refreshed with the fullness of your life;  
glory to you for ever. **Amen.**

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See [www.stmarysewell.com](http://www.stmarysewell.com) for other contact information.

## Sunday Prayer Cycle

We pray for the church and  
the world and today:

In Anglican Cycle of Prayer  
we pray for The Church in the  
Province of the West Indies

In the Guildford Diocese  
please pray for Church  
Musicians, Organists, Choirs,  
Music Groups, Bell Ringers  
and all who enhance worship  
through music.

In our Parish we pray for  
those who live on Elmwood  
Drive, Epsom Road, Ernest  
Cottages, Ewell By-Pass,  
Ewell Downs Road. We also  
pray for the Hall management  
team, and Epsom, Ewell and  
Banstead Christians against  
Poverty.

## Prayer Resources

You can ask our **prayer chain**  
to pray for you or for someone  
else. Contact Wendy Varney  
on 020 8393 5212. See inside  
our website  
[www.stmarysewell.com](http://www.stmarysewell.com) for  
links to other prayer  
resources.