

## What's happening this week at St Michael & St George's Church and around the area?

### Today—this is Trinity Sunday

11 - 12.30 - Parish Eucharist. The Prayer Group meets after the service.

**Monday** Felix Food distribution at Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall.

**Tuesday** **Bingo** - at 7.30pm in the church hall



### Looking ahead:

**Next Sunday**—Parish Eucharist for 1st Sunday after Trinity Sunday.

**Monday 24th June 7.30pm** St Stephen and St Thomas' church Shepherd's Bush licencing of Revd. Denis Adide

**Wednesday 26th June** 6.30pm Licencing of Revd. Penny Seabrook – All Saints' Fulham.

**Saturday 29th June** Free buses from the Invention Rooms Gardens on Wood Lane to visit the Great Exhibition Road Festival, a free three-day celebration of curiosity, discovery and exploration in the museums of South Kensington. Let Fr Ben know if you'd like a place on the bus.

Who to get in touch with at the Church? Our contact details

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### Famous Stories in the bible Quiz: The Good Samaritan

- 1.) Before telling the story of the Good Samaritan, who tempted Jesus saying, "Master, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?"
- 2.) After Jesus affirmed the man's words that, "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind; and thy neighbour as thyself," what did he then ask Jesus?
- 3.) The story of the good Samaritan tells of a journey from Jerusalem to where?
- 4.) The man was stripped of his clothes, wounded, and left half dead by...
- 5.) Who was the first passerby who saw the wounded man and passed by on the other side?
- 6.) Who was the second passerby who saw the wounded man and passed by on the other side?
- 7.) How many people passed by without helping him before the Samaritan came along?
- 8.) Before moving the man, what did the Good Samaritan do for him?
- 9.) Where did the Good Samaritan take the wounded man?
- 10.) How much money did the Good Samaritan leave to take care of the wounded man?



**Our service begins at 11am.**  
**Please try to get to church a few minutes early so that you can prayerfully prepare yourself before the service starts.**



## Trinity Sunday

# The White City Rainbow

16th June 2019



### Today's Collect

Almighty and everlasting God,  
you have given us your servants grace,  
by the confession of a true faith,  
to acknowledge the glory of the eternal  
Trinity  
and in the power of the divine majesty to  
worship the Unity:  
keep us steadfast in this faith,  
that we may evermore be defended from  
all adversities;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

### The Gospel of John chapter 16 verses 12—15

'I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.'

God eternal.  
Three  
in one

### Post Communion Prayer

Almighty and eternal God,  
you have revealed yourself as Father, Son  
and Holy Spirit,  
and live and reign in the perfect unity of  
love:  
hold us firm in this faith,  
that we may know you in all your ways  
and evermore rejoice in your eternal glory,  
who are three Persons yet one God,  
now and for ever.



# THREE IN ONE

# Welcome to Fr Andy— joining us in September!



Bishop Graham has appointed Fr Andy Rooney to be assistant priest with us here in White City, working alongside Fr Ben.

Fr Andy is a self-supporting priest and he lives in Chiswick, he is married to Michelle and they have two grown up children. Fr Andy works as a school finance officer in Kew and he is currently serving as a curate at Holy Innocents' Paddenswick Road in Hammersmith.

Andy says 'I'm really looking forward to coming to White City, where you've always made me so welcome when I've covered for Fr Ben. I'm coming at an exciting time for the church, and it'll be an exciting time for me too!'

The Bishop will licence Fr Andy at a special service in September, we will know the date soon.

## When do I make the sign of the cross?

In general, the practice is to make the sign of the cross whenever the Trinity is invoked.

So— at the beginning of Mass

Also at "The Resurrection of the Dead" in the Creed (or "life of the world to come" in the Nicene Creed)

When praying for the Dead (traditionally, a list of the dead would be read with "Rest eternal grant unto them...", at which point you would cross yourself)

When being given absolution after the confession.

At the elevation of the Sacrament

Before receiving communion

When the priest gives the Blessing at the end of the service.

## How to make the sign of the cross.

To cross yourself, lift your right hand and bring it to your forehead.

Then touch the centre of your chest.

Reach over to touch your left shoulder and then back to your right shoulder.

To finish making the sign of the cross, place your hands together, and say, "Amen."

## What are we praying for?

The 4 'P's of Pentecost:

- Prayer for the growth of our church
- Presence in the needs of White City
- Proclamation of the Good News in this place
- Persuasion—people who want to know more about Jesus.

## Mother's Union News

Congratulations to Elizabeth, Eunice and Ndu— our branch was well represented at the Annual diocesan cathedral service last Thursday.

New copies of 'Families worldwide' with the prayer diary have arrived, collect from Fr Ben.



Please visit our web-site

<https://stmichaelswhitecity.org/>

Please give us feedback—we want to improve it to suit our needs better, comments to Natasha please.

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## A prayerful thought on the Trinity

Let us remember the Creator God who has made all things and has made them well, all things and all people.

Let us remember the Redeemer God our Lord Jesus Christ, we see your love shown most clearly on the cross where you gave of your life to conquer death and to make well the brokenness of the universe.

Let us remember the Spirit of God with us at all times and in all places. For the guidance which you give to us, for the knowledge which you have given to us for your continual upholding, strengthening and protecting power. We thank you that you are with us Spirit of God.

May the blessing of God the Three in One and One in Three be on us now and stay with each one of us always. Amen.



**Prayer meetings**—On 3rd Sunday of every month after the All-Age service is the monthly prayer meeting, led by Queen.

**Adult Learning Group** — at the moment we are studying the books of the New Testament. Sundays after coffee time.

## Today's rota

Readings Uzuma  
Intercessions Queen  
Stewards Alfred & Chinenyenwa  
Chalice Marion & Eunice

## Next Sunday's rota

Readings Nony  
Intercessions Fr Ben  
Stewards Ndu Snr & Ndu jnr  
Chalice Queen & Nony

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United in the sacraments, word and prayer

For those in any kind of need at the moment;

Loreto and Jack, Comfort Dwomoah, Vita Williams, Mr Johnson, Fedora Stafford, Alice Harris, Bessie Peters, Alexandrina Matthews, Denis Noel, Connie Warren, Julian Greene, Fred Sackey,

For those in hospital:

Oluchi Amobi, Vivian Kelly, Denzil Brown.

Blessed are those who have died in the faith of Christ:

Frank Lynch, Sam Hazlett, Alexandre Palhares, Evadne Pascall, Ron Brown, Douglas Addey.

Anniversary: our names are written in heaven.

Jean Humphries

Please let the Fr Ben know if you would like someone to be remembered in our prayer list.



The Christian Healing Mission in Hammersmith has drop-ins for prayer every Tuesday from 11-12.30 and Thursday 14.15 -15.45. [www.healingmission.org](http://www.healingmission.org)

Fr Ben would like to introduce a team of adult servers to serve at the mass.

Would you be interested in joining the adult servers' team?



## Today's Hymns

Introit: 450  
Gradual: 461  
Offertory: 337  
Communion 1: Choir  
Communion 2: 667  
Recessional: 806

## Next Sunday's readings

First Sunday after Trinity Sunday

The first Book of Kings  
Chapter 19 verses 1-4, 8-15a

The Letter of Paul to the Galatians  
Chapter 3 verses 23—end

The Gospel of Luke  
chapter 8 verses 26—39

Join us for coffee or tea after the service



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ten years as a  
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