

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

### Today

All-Age Eucharist for the 3rd Sunday of Epiphany with Holy Baptism  
The Church Growth committee meets after the service

### This week

**Monday 11am** —Felix Food with the Community Champions at Our Lady of Fatima

Tuesday Bingo - will restart on 12th February

**Monday 21st** 10.15am Unity Prayers at St Michael and St George

**Tuesday 22nd** 10.15am Unity Prayers at Our Lady of Fatima Church

**Wednesday 23rd** 10.15am Unity Prayers at St Michael and St George

**Thursday 24th** 10.15am Unity prayers at Our Lady of Fatima

**Friday 25th** 10.15am Unity Prayers at St Michael and St George

**Friday 25th January 6.30pm** Ceilidh Scottish folk dance evening, on Burns Night and at the end of the Unity week. Any offers of help to Michael our musician please

**Saturday 11am** Fitness run round Wormholt Park, meet at the Flagpole

### Looking ahead:-

**Next Sunday 27th January - 11.00 - 12.30 - Parish Eucharist** for the 4th Sunday of Epiphany



### Today's Collect

Almighty God,  
whose Son revealed in signs  
and miracles  
the wonder of your saving  
presence:  
renew your people with your  
heavenly grace,  
and in all our weakness  
sustain us by your mighty  
power;  
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.

### Post Communion

Almighty Father,  
whose Son our Saviour Jesus  
Christ is the light of the world:  
may your people,  
illumined by your word and  
sacraments,  
shine with the radiance of his  
glory,  
that he may be known, wor-  
shipped, and obeyed  
to the ends of the  
earth;  
for he is alive and reigns, now  
and for ever.

# The White City Rainbow

20th January 2019

The 3rd Sunday of Epiphany

We welcome the families of  
**Amais, Teshannae and Joshua**  
being baptised today

**Today's Bible reading** - Also on our Facebook page

Gospel Reading **Gospel according to St. John**  
Chapter 2 : 1—11

### The Wedding at Cana

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, 'They have no wine.' And Jesus said to her, 'Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come.' His mother said to the servants, 'Do whatever he tells you.'

Now standing there were six stone water-jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, 'Fill the jars with water.' And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, 'Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward.' So they took it.

When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, 'Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now.'  
Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him..

Would you like to join our rotas to read in church, lead the prayers or to be a steward?

Do you know anyone who needs a visit? Please speak to Fr Ben

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

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#### Deputy Churchwarden

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Veronica Mariqueo: 07463 779 511

#### Church Secretary

- vacant

#### Church Musician

Michael Rossi 07712 229 621



#### Sunday School

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#### Children's Champion

Norma Lynch 07932 712 959

#### Men's Fellowship

Boshi Mohlala: 07557 290 271

#### Women's Fellowship/Mothers Union

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Helen Purcell 020 8840 2310

#### Christian Aid

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Please remember that other people around you are praying, and so try to be as quiet as possible, thanks!



## Come to our Folk Dance—ceilidh

On Friday 25th January at 6.30pm  
In the church hall.

Fun for all the family—  
free entry

please bring some refreshments or  
soft drinks for the table

### What is the week of Prayer for Christian Unity?

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is an international Christian ecumenical observance kept annually between January 18 and January 25. It is an octave, that is, an observance lasting eight days.

Our Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is with Our lady of Fatima and the other churches that meet on the estate, we have a simple prayer time that takes about 25 minutes

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**WEEK OF PRAYER**  
FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY 2019



**Justice and only justice  
you shall pursue.**

*(Deuteronomy 16:18-20)*

### Confirmation Classes

Are you ready to be confirmed? Classes for adults and young people over the age of 12 years, beginning in February.

### Thursday Film Club

**14th February:**  
Legally Blonde

**14th March:** Jackie

### Join our running group!

Do you fancy getting fit in 2019? Jog with our fitness group on Saturday mornings in Wormholt park—for one or two laps — between 11am and 12 noon in the park,. Meet at the flagpole.



### A prayer for Christian Unity

At least once a year, Christians are reminded of Jesus' prayer for his disciples that "they may be one so that the world may believe" (see John 17.21).

Lord Jesus Christ, at your Last Supper you prayed to the Father that all should be one. Send your Holy Spirit upon all who bear your name and seek to serve you. Strengthen our faith in you, and lead us to love one another in humility. May we who have been reborn in one baptism be united in one faith under one Shepherd. Amen



### Today's rota

Readings Sherri  
Intercessions Helen  
Stewards Veronica and Alfred  
Chalice Vita and Sherri

### Next Sunday's rota

Readings Veronica  
Intercessions Steve  
Stewarding Ndu snr & Ndu jnr  
Chalice Marion & Eunice

Since 2008 we have been a Fair Trade church, serving Fair Trade communion wine, tea and coffee bought at a fair price from those who produce it.



Join us for coffee or tea  
after the service

St Michael and St George  
ten years as a Fair Trade Church

**United in the  
sacraments,  
word and prayer**



**For our 'at home' friends unable to attend church at the moment;**

Comfort Dwomoah, Vita Williams, Mr Johnson, Fedora Stafford, Alice Harris, Bessie Peters, Fred Sackey, Alexandrina Matthews, Denis Noel, Connie Warren.

**For those who have recently been in hospital:**

Linda Strong, Stevenson Phillips, Christine Carey, Denzil Brown, Ron Brown.



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

Paulina McLeod, Ashley Bullard (late of Mitchell House), Revd. Gill Toogood, Colin Brown, Faisal Plummer, Esmine Shaw.

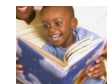
**Anniversary: our names are written in heaven.**

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)

### Next Sunday's readings



**The 4th Sunday of Epiphany**

Nehemiah ch.8 v.1-3,5-6,8-10.  
1 Corinthians ch.12 v12-31a