

# St Mary, Stoke Newington

*Our calling is to share the loving hospitality of God, seeing Christ in the face of the stranger*

## 13th Sunday after Trinity

29th August 2010



Preparation: God and judge of all, you show us that the way to your kingdom is through humility and service. Keep us true to the path of justice and give us the reward promised to those who make a place for the rejected and the poor. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever.

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*Welcome to the 9.30am All-age Eucharist. Do sit as near to the front as you can. At the front you will find musical instruments to be played during the service, some toys and books if children need them and also mats for children (and adults) to sit on. If this is your first time at St Mary's do introduce yourself to one of the clergy after the service.*

**HOLY GOSPEL:** Luke 14. 1, 7-14. Humility is one of those virtues that can only be recognised by others: no-one can say of themselves, 'how humble I am'. We pursue humility through being realistic about our own weaknesses, and recognising the good in others. Humility is not self-deprecation; it is a gift which enables us to live godly lives.

### This Week's Psalm and NT Reading Planner

Day	Psalm	NT Reading
Monday	Ps 126	Acts 10.34-end
Tuesday	Ps 132	Acts 11.1-18
Wednesday	Ps 119.153-end	Acts 11.19-end
Thursday	Ps 143	Acts 12.1-17
Friday	Ps 144	Acts 12.18-end
Saturday	Ps 147	Acts 13.1-12

Next Sunday: 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity. Deuteronomy 30.15-end, Philemon 1-21, Luke 14.25-33.

### NEH 408

Love divine, all loves excelling,  
Joy of heaven, to earth come  
down,  
Fix in us thy humble dwelling,  
All thy faithful mercies crown.  
Jesu, thou art all compassion,  
Pure, unbounded love thou art;  
Visit us with thy salvation,  
Enter every trembling heart.

Come, almighty to deliver,  
Let us all thy life receive;  
Suddenly return, and never,  
Never more thy temples leave.  
Thee we would be always blessing,  
Serve thee as thy hosts above,  
Pray, and praise thee, without  
ceasing,  
Glory in thy perfect love.

Finish then thy new creation;  
Pure and spotless let us be;  
Let us see thy great salvation,  
Perfectly restored in thee,  
Changed from glory into glory,  
Till in heaven we take our place,  
Till we cast our crowns before  
thee,  
Lost in wonder, love, and praise!

*Words: Charles Wesley, 1747*

### HON 473

Seek ye first the Kingdom of  
god  
And his righteousness

And all these things shall be added  
unto you  
Alleluia, alleluia.

Ask and it shall be given unto you  
Seek and ye shall find  
Knock, and it shall be opened unto  
you  
Alleluia, alleluia.

### NEH 285

For the beauty of the earth,  
for the beauty of the skies,  
for the love which from our birth  
over and around us lies,  
*Refrain:*  
*Christ our God, to thee we raise  
this our sacrifice of praise.*

For the beauty of each hour  
of the day and of the night,  
hill and vale, and tree and flower,  
sun and moon, and stars of light,  
*Refrain*

For the joy of ear and eye,  
for the heart and brain's delight,  
for the mystic harmony  
linking sense to sound and sight,  
*Refrain*

For the joy of human love,  
brother, sister, parent, child,  
friends on earth and friends above,  
for all gentle thoughts and mild,  
*Refrain*

For each perfect gift of thine  
to our race so freely given,  
graces human and divine,  
flowers of earth and buds of  
heaven, *Refrain*

For thy Church that evermore  
lifteth holy hands above,  
offering up on every shore  
this pure sacrifice of love, *Refrain*

*Words: Folliot Sandford Pierpoint,  
1864*

Our Father, who art in heav'n,  
hallowed be thy name,  
hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
upon the earth as it is in  
heaven.

Give us this day our daily  
bread.

And forgive our sins  
as we forgive others.

And lead us not - into  
temptation

but deliver us - from evil.

For the kingdom, the power  
and the glory, are yours  
forever,  
and evermore, Amen.

NEH 186

Tell out, my soul, the  
greatness of the Lord:  
Unnumbered blessings, give my

spirit voice;  
Tender to me the promise of his  
word;  
In God my Saviour shall my heart  
rejoice.

Tell out, my soul, the greatness of  
his name:

Make known his might, the deeds  
his arm has done;

His mercy sure, from age to age  
the same;

His holy name, the Lord, the  
Mighty One.

Tell out, my soul, the greatness of  
his might:

Powers and dominions lay their  
glory by.

Proud hearts and stubborn wills  
are put to flight,

The hungry fed, the humble lifted  
high.

Tell out, my soul, the glories of his  
word:

Firm is his promise, and his mercy  
sure.

Tell out, my soul, the greatness of  
the Lord

to children's children and for  
evermore!

*Words: Song of Mary (Magnificat)  
(Luke 1:46-56);*

*Words: Timothy Dudley-Smith*

## SERVICES THIS WEEK

Tues – Friday (Thursday at St. John's)	8.30am 5.00pm	Morning Prayer Silent Prayer(Mon-Weds) Evening Prayer(Thurs-Fri)
Bank Holiday Monday	3.00pm	Wedding Dorian Fray & Rachel Mize(New Church)
Tuesday	8.30am 8.40am	Morning Prayer Mass
Wednesday	7.30pm 8.15pm	Mass Christian Meditation Group
Sunday	8.00am 9.00am 9.30am 11.00am 6.30 pm	Holy Communion (New Church) Mattins (Old Church) All Age Eucharist Sung Eucharist Evensong

## NOTICES

- 1) Today at St Mary's at the 9.30am All Age service, Lucyann is presiding. At the 11.00am Sung Eucharist, Graeme is presiding and preaching and Lucyann is deacon. At St. John's, Jonathan is presiding and preaching.
- 2) This year's **Patronal Festival** is on **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> September**, for which the All Age and Sung Eucharist services have combined into **ONE service only at 10.30am**. Please make a note of the special start time! The service will be followed by the **Patronal Lunch**, which this year is a **Bring & Share**, in the New Church afterwards or, if hot and sunny, in the Rectory Garden!
- 3) **Early Warning Forecast! Harvest/One World Week Lunch** is on **October 17<sup>th</sup>** and tickets will be available from the 19<sup>th</sup> September from the Social Committee. Tickets are £5 each or £2.50 for children.
- 4) Flowers are gratefully donated today by Betty Manning .And by Morlean Jayasundara and her family in memory of Georgina Henry.
- 5) Pam Wadsworth will be selling **paintings and pictures** next **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> September** after the 11.00am service. If you have anything you can donate, do let her know on [pamewa2002@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:pamewa2002@yahoo.co.uk) .As during the Stoke Fest in June, and if the weather is fine, they will be on display on the railings outside church. All in aid of general church funds! And don't think that by buying something, you can then enter it for the **Art Group Project**, which we still need people to sign up for!
- 6) If you would like to donate the flag for your particular country or nationality, we will fly it on your national day!