

St Paul's in the Jewellery Quarter

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Pew Sheet

Sunday 17th May 2009: Sixth Sunday of Easter

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The Collect

God our redeemer, who hast delivered us from the power of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of thy Son: grant, that as by his death he hath recalled us to life, so by his continual presence in us he may raise us to eternal joy; through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.
Amen

Services Today

11.00am: Parish Eucharist (CW)
6.30pm: Sung Evensong (BCP)
(see next page)

Please pray for John & Joan Tovey & Margaret Etchells who are poorly.

Readings for next week:

Ezekiel 36: 24-28;
Acts 1: 15-17, 21-end;
John 17: 6-19;

[BCP – Book of Common Prayer, CW – Common Worship]

Diary

Thursday 21st May: Ascension Day

1.05pm Said Eucharist (CW) *This replaces the usual Wednesday service*

Sunday 24th May: Seventh Sunday of Easter

6.30pm Choral Eucharist (BCP)

6.30pm Sung Evensong (BCP)

Hymns: 490, 254, 458, 359

Psalm: 98

First reading: Isaiah 55.1-11

The sovereign God freely offers his people his good gifts. They have only to accept.

Second reading: Acts 10.44-48

The Gentiles receive the Holy Spirit while Peter is speaking to them. Peter challenges anyone to deny them baptism, and they are baptised.

Gospel: John 15.9-17

Referring to them as his friends, servants no longer, Jesus tells the disciples to keep the Father's commandments and abide in his love.

Anthem: Ye Choirs of new Jerusalem – Charles Villiers Stanford
Words as hymn number 162

Organ Voluntary: Postlude in G minor - Charles Villiers Stanford

Please join us on the gallery for refreshments after the service

Advance Dates:

Tuesday 28th May

10.30am – 2.00pm: Hearing test coffee morning.

This is the RNID telephone test which will only take a few minutes and will take place in private in the vestry. The result will be given at the end of the test and so is completely confidential. There are no sales involved.

Sunday 31st May: Pentecost

11.00am: Choral Eucharist for the anniversary of the dedication of St Paul's Church. Guest preacher The Rev'd Canon Andrew Gorham. The service is followed by a bring-and-share lunch. *There is no evening service on this day.*

Thursday 4th June

1.15pm: Thursday *Live* organ recital by Paul Carr. Admission free.
Light refreshments

Sunday 7th June: Trinity Sunday

9.00am : Said Eucharist (BCP) followed by breakfast

11.00am: *Please note that this service has been **cancelled***

6.30pm : Sung Evensong

Notices

Two Volunteers are required to organize the '*bring and share*' lunch after the 11am service on 31st May. If you are interested, please see the Vicar.

Sunday 7th June: Annual Civic Service

Annual Civic Service at St Martin in the Bull Ring at 6.00pm to welcome Cllr Michael Wilkes as the new Lord Mayor of Birmingham. *If you are interested in attending, please see the Vicar.*

St Paul's Church Website www.saintpaulbrum.org if you have internet access, keep up to date with events and news by checking the website, it's both informative and interesting and is constantly updated – so keep checking for new items.

Archives Notes have you looked at the Archive notice board on the Gallery? If you are interested in the history of St Paul's it is well worth a look as from now on we will be posting new finds on here.