

Pascale Stephany, Grace Valéry, Margaret Woods, Anitha Yannick and for Margo, Alex and Max, Sarah, Maroussia, Laurence, Marie-Thérèse, Susan, David, Paul, Saul.

Those who have died: Paul Dubertret, Frank Giles.

Notices :

Welcome to the Eucharist today. We are delighted to meet visitors and newcomers after the service, when drinks will be served in the Parish Hall. Wine or coffee is available for 1.5 euro: the money goes towards choir funds.

Bienvenue à Saint-Georges. Nous vous invitons à prendre un verre de vin ou une tasse de café (1.5 euro) après la messe dans la salle paroissiale, et si vous êtes de passage dans notre église nous serons heureux de faire votre connaissance.

Dates for your diary: Quiz Night—18h 16th November; Confirmation Mass—10h30 24th November; The Bazaar—30th November; Children's Mass—10h30 15th December; Carol Service—18h30 15th December.

Confirmation Classes for Young People have recommenced today at 9.00am. The Confirmation, by Bishop Edward Holland, will be held on Sunday 24th November.

Today our Sunday School will join us at Mass until the readings begin. They will then lead themselves out of the assembly to the Club Room where they will follow their own curriculum. This gives us the opportunity to worship with them and for them to be formed by our practice.

The next Quiz Night is on Saturday 16th November at 18h. Do come along and enjoy a fun evening—sign up sheet on the noticeboard to give an idea of numbers. Guided tours of the new cooker will be available!

The Royal British Legion are organizing the 101st **Service of Remembrance** at 15h00 tomorrow, Monday 11th November at the Cathédrale Saint-Louis des Invalides. Tickets are required for entrance. **Poppies are on sale** in Church this morning.

Rev'd Mary Hawes, (Archbishops adviser for youth and children's ministry in C of E), will be leading a workshop on Godly Play and children's ministry at Chantilly on 16th November. Please contact the Chaplain the Rev'd Sarah Tillett on sarah02tillett@gmail.com if you are interested.

The Bazaar approacheth... Please look to your cupboards and under the bed as we need donations of clothes and toys – all in good condition; **we also need recent, paperback books in English** and donations for the gift stall in original wrappings if possible and ornaments for the bric-à-brac. **We need cottage pies and apple crumbles please**—bakers to your ovens! Can you help on Wednesday 27th and Friday 29th November to clear the church and empty Ali Baba and help with the set-up? Pamela Hamilton is coordinating all offers of help.

Tombola tickets have arrived – Angela Harrisson will be happy to sell to you after Mass in the church hall ... Please buy some yourselves or take some to sell on to your friends.

If we had a statue of St George the candle would burn before his image but there is an extra candle lit before Our Lady—for parliamentarians in the UK—and for civil society in these next few weeks.

St George's Paris

3rd Sunday before Advent : 10th November 2019

A warm welcome to St George's. You will find the readings and hymn numbers on this newsletter, hymns are in the green book and the service outline is in the cream booklets. Today the choir sings the **Missa L'homme armée** by Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina (1525-1594), the motet during Communion will be **The Souls of the Righteous** by Geraint Lewis (b. 1958). The sortie is **Prelude in C minor-Bach BWV 546**.

This week:

Sunday 10th	3rd Sunday before Advent (Remembrance Sunday) 0830 Mass (BCP) 0900 Confirmation Group 1030 Solemn Mass 1730 Caen
Monday 11th	<i>Martin of Tours</i> 1500 Service of Remembrance, Les Invalides
Tuesday 12th	<i>Feria</i> 1800 Evensong 1830 Mass
Wednesday 13th	<i>Charles Simeon, priest</i> 1200 Mass 1800 Evensong
Thursday 14th	<i>Simon Seabury, bishop</i> 1800 Evensong 1830 Mass
Friday 15th	<i>Feria</i>
Saturday 16th	<i>Margaret of Scotland</i> 1200 Mass 1800 Quiz Night
Sunday 17th	2nd Before Advent 0830 Mass (BCP) 0900 Confirmation Group 1030 Solemn Mass 1730 Caen

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Please stand for the opening hymn (417) when the bell rings. The service continues in the cream service books on page 1. Please stand or kneel, if you are able, whilst the Choir sings the Kyrie eleison and Gloria.

Opening Prayer

Almighty Father, whose will is to restore all things in your beloved Son, the King of all: govern the hearts and minds of those in authority, and bring the families of the nations, divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin, to be subject to his just and gentle rule; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

First Reading: Job 19:23-27a

Job said, "O that my words were written down! O that they were inscribed in a book! O that with an iron pen and with lead they were engraved on a rock forever! For I know that my Redeemer lives, and that at the last he will stand upon the earth; and after my skin has been thus destroyed, then in my flesh I shall see God, whom I shall see on my side, and my eyes shall behold, and not another."

Please remain seated for the choir to sing the psalm appointed for the day (Ps 17.1-9)

Hear the right, O Lord, consider my complaint * and hearken unto my prayer, that goeth not out of feigned lips. Let my sentence come forth from thy presence * and let thine eyes look upon the thing that is equal. Thou hast proved and visited mine heart in the night-season; thou hast tried me, and shalt find no wickedness in me * for I am utterly purposed that my mouth shall not offend. Because of men's works, that are done against the words of thy lips * I have kept me from the ways of the destroyer. O hold thou up my goings in thy paths * that my footsteps slip not. I have called upon thee, O God, for thou shalt hear me * incline thine ear to me, and hearken unto my words. Shew thy marvellous loving-kindness, thou that art the Saviour of them which put their trust in thee * from such as resist thy right hand. Keep me as the apple of an eye * hide me under the shadow of thy wings, From the ungodly that trouble me * mine enemies compass me round about to take away my soul.

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17

As to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered together to him, we beg you, brothers and sisters, not to be quickly shaken in mind or alarmed, either by spirit or by word or by letter, as though from us, to the effect that the day of the Lord is already here. Let no one deceive you in any way; for that day will not come unless the rebellion comes first and the lawless one is revealed, the one destined for destruction. He opposes and exalts himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, declaring himself to be God. Do you not remember that I told you these things when I was still with you? But we must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters beloved by the Lord, because God chose you as the first fruits for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and through belief in the truth. For this purpose he called you through our proclamation of the good news, so that you may obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. So then, brothers and sisters, stand firm and hold fast to the traditions that you were taught by us, either by word of mouth or by our letter. Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and through grace gave us eternal comfort and good hope, comfort your hearts and strengthen them in every good work and word.

Please stand for the gradual hymn (488).

Holy Gospel: Luke 20:27-38

Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to Jesus and asked him a question, "Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies, leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. Now there were seven brothers; the first married, and died childless; then the second and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. Finally the woman also died. In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her." Jesus said to them, "Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage; but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. Indeed they cannot die anymore, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. Now he is God not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all of them are alive."

Creed

You will find the Creed (**Plainsong I**) on the accompanying sheet.

Intercessions:

You are our God: **living for ever and ever.**

Offertory

Please stand for the hymn (495) at the preparation of the altar; during this hymn a collection will be taken. During the Eucharistic Prayer we proclaim the mystery of faith by using the following:



Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

All who are baptised and communicant members of one of the Christian churches are welcome to receive communion with us. Those who are prevented from doing so by their conscience, or the discipline of their Church, are most welcome to come to the altar for a blessing at the time of communion.

Invitation to Communion

I heard the voice of a great multitude crying, Alleluia!

The Lord our God has entered into his kingdom.

Blessed are those who are called to the supper of the Lamb

Post Communion Prayer

God of peace, whose Son Jesus Christ proclaimed the kingdom and restored the broken to wholeness of life: look with compassion on the anguish of the world, and by your healing power make whole both people and nations; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

Please stand for the hymn (492). After the Blessing and Dismissal the clergy and servers leave.

In Your Prayers please remember those on our sick-list: Mary Berg, Jean-Paul Buffet, Paul Bultez, Angela Casone, Anne Cozic, Jeanine & Caroline Cullinan, Gregor Dallas, Mimi de Bentzmann-Fouilland, Isabelle Foulon, Ophélie Gourbault, Françoise Guibert, Irene Hicks, Prudence Kupka, Muriel Lamoureux, Kenneth Nyakana, Bernadette Pédeflous, Simone Rabaud, Maxie Stavritch,