



# ST MARY'S CHURCH BROMLEY

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Thursday 11th June 2026



### REFLECTION

*Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.'*

- Matthew 9 . 35 – 38 Amen 🙏

### SUNDAY 14 JUNE – 2ND SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

10:30 am 2nd Sunday After Trinity  
– Parish Communion

#### READINGS:

Genesis 18:1 – 15  
Romans 5.1 – 8  
Matthew 9.35 – 10.8

#### HYMNS:

- 242 Immortal Invisible
- 321 Love Divine, all loves Excelling
- 73 Brother, Sister Let me Serve you
- 408 Onward Christian Pilgrims

### SUNDAY CLUB



All children are welcome to join us for Sunday Club, starting in church at 10:30 am.

### GRACE CAFÉ – A PLACE OF WELCOME



Join us for a drink, cake, and a chat every Wednesday, 10:00 am – 12:00 noon.

### PLANT SALE FUNDRAISING



The **Plant Sale** on May 23rd raised **£1160**. We thank everyone who **grew plants, helped on the day, donated raffle prizes, baked cakes, and attended**. It was great to see so many community members at this annual event. The Mothers' Union appreciates the funds raised to support families locally and abroad. Thank you!

### CHRISTIAN AID WEEK APPEAL



This year, St Mary's congregation **donated £660 to the Christian Aid Week appeal**, with 21 envelopes returned-18 of which were Gift Aided. In 2025, 13 envelopes returned £515, including 11 Gift Aided donations.

Thanks to all who contributed to **the additional £145 increase** this year compared to 2025, and to **John Soper** for counting the contributions. - **Peter Boyden**.

## SPONSORING CHURCH FLOWERS FOR A SPECIAL OCCASION



The church flowers may be sponsored to mark a special occasion, such as a birthday, anniversary, or in loving memory of someone dear. Such gifts help to enhance the beauty of the church for worship and are a meaningful way to acknowledge important moments in the life of our church family. If you would like a special floral arrangement, please contact **Anne Yolland** [anne.yolland@outlook.com](mailto:anne.yolland@outlook.com) as early as possible to discuss the requirements.



**EVENING STUDY GROUP:** During June, the Evening Study Group will continue to work through the *Pilgrim Places, Holy Lives* booklets. Please join us for **Zoom meetings** at 8.00 pm on Tuesday: 9, 16, 23, and 30 June. Please contact Peter for joining details.



**ST MARY'S QUIET MORNING: Thursday 11 June 2026, 10 am - 1pm.** Thank you to **Paul Stevens** for leading our Quiet Day and thank you to all who were able to attend. It was a wonderful time of reflection, fellowship and encouragement.



**COMMUNITY PAYBACK:** The Community Payback team works every **Saturday, 10:00 am to 4:00 pm.** Thank you to all involved.



### DONATIONS WANTED - BROMLEY BOROUGH FOODBANK |

**HELPING LOCAL PEOPLE IN CRISIS:** Donations of **non-perishable food, toiletries, and household essentials** are always deeply appreciated. Please keep your donations in the food bank

orange box at the back of the church. Thank you for your kindness, generosity, and faithful witness to God's love in our community. [info@bromleyborough.foodbank.org.uk](mailto:info@bromleyborough.foodbank.org.uk); 0800 920 2324



**PARISH MAGAZINE:** The June edition of the Parish Magazine is **available on the table at the back of church.** Items for July and August edition are to be sent to the editor, **Jill Atkinson** ([jilleatk@aol.com](mailto:jilleatk@aol.com)), by **Saturday, 20<sup>th</sup> June, 2026.**

## SEND LOCAL OFFER LIVE FOR YOUNG PEOPLE



People can register their interest using this **LINK** (Please refer to our website for the complete web address).

**Event:** SEND Local Offer Live for Young People;

**Date:** Friday 26 June 2026;

**Time:** 10.30am to 12.30pm;

**Venue:** Bromley Adult Education College, SE20 7PR;

**Who it is for:** Young people with SEND aged 14 to 25

## PASTORAL TEAM: PRAYERS & INTERCESSIONS



The Pastoral Team meets every Tuesday for prayer and support.

If you need pastoral assistance or wish to receive prayer, or request prayer for someone else, **please contact Anthia Page at [anthiapage@gmail.com](mailto:anthiapage@gmail.com)**

## SERVICES & EVENTS – JUNE 2026

Date	Event
Thu 11 Jun · 10 – 1 pm	St Mary's Quiet Morning – sign-up sheet located at the back of the church
Thu 11 Jun · 2.00 pm	Mother's Union Cream Tea Outing
Sun 14 Jun · 10.30 am	Parish Communion
Sun 21 Jun ·	<b>Father's Day:</b>
• 8:30 am	• Book of Common Prayer (BCP) Communion, followed by Breakfast Café
• 9:30 am	
• 10:30 am	• Family Service – Non communion
Sun 28 Jun · 10:30 am	Parish Communion

## REGULAR ACTIVITIES AT ST MARY'S

Date	Event
1st Tuesdays	Morning Prayer church
Tuesdays	<b>Morning Prayer at 9:00 am</b> via zoom (contact Rev Eucharika for zoom link). <b>Study Group at 8:00 pm</b> via zoom.
Every Wednesday	Grace Café: A Place of Welcome · 10:00 am – 12:00 noon
Every 1st Saturday	Church Cleaning · 10:00 am – 12:00 noon
Every Saturday	Community Payback Volunteers · 10:00 am – 4:00 pm
Every Thursday	Choir Practice · 7:30 pm – 8:30 pm

## WORSHIP, PRAYER AND FELLOWSHIP

*Faithful Creator, whose mercy never fails:  
deepen our faithfulness to you and to your living Word, Jesus Christ our Lord.*

 **Amen**

## REQUESTS FOR PRAYER



**Please hold in prayer:** Richard M (Barbara's cousin), Andrea K (friend of Anthia), Gemma (Anne Y's Friend), Pat C, Nnamdi A.

To request prayer for yourself or someone else, please contact **Anthia Page**: [anthiapage@gmail.com](mailto:anthiapage@gmail.com), or add the name to the form at the back of church.

**For a copy of the daily prayer list for use at home, please ask Eucharia. The prayer request form for June is available on the table.**

**St Mary's Church, Bromley**  
All warmly welcome to join us to celebrate  
**FATHER'S DAY**  
Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2026  
**FAMILY SERVICE**  
10.30 am  
Refreshments  
BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER  
COMMUNION 8.30 am  
followed by Breakfast Café  
www.stmarys-bromley.org.uk College Road, Bromley BR1 3QG

**BREAKFAST CLUB FROM 8.00am**  
**SUNNY KIDS PRE-SCHOOL**  
ST MARY'S BROMLEY  
PLACES AVAILABLE  
Monday-Friday 9:30am-4pm  
AGES 16 months to 5 years  
ST MARY'S CHURCH HALL, 81 COLLEGE ROAD, BROMLEY BR1 3QG  
**ENROL NOW!**  
0151 531 892  
www.stmarysbromley.org.uk  
www.sunnykids.co.uk  
WE ACCEPT GOVERNMENT FUNDING

**SUNNY KIDS PRE-SCHOOL**  
**Stay & Play at Sunny Kids**  
Ages 16 months onwards  
You're warmly invited to our weekly Stay & Play sessions!  
Join us for a relaxed and enjoyable morning where parents and carers can experience play and learning alongside their children in our friendly, well-equipped environment.  
**Locations:** Sunny Kids at St Mary's Church, Bromley  
**When:** Every Friday morning 9.30am - 11.30am  
**What to expect:**  
• A mix of play-based and structured activities  
• Time to explore and learn together  
• A fun and friendly atmosphere  
• A relaxing and supportive setting  
We look forward to welcoming you and your child to Sunny Kids for a fun-filled morning of play and learning!  
10 Sunny Kids Years 10!

**QUIET DAY**  
St Mary's Church Bromley  
"To Encourage and to be Encouraged"  
Led by Paul Stevens  
Thursday 11th June 2026  
10.00 am to 1.00 pm  
Refreshments provided - please bring a packed lunch  
• Time together  
• Solitary reflection  
All are welcome  
www.stmarys-bromley.org.uk  
63 College Road, Bromley BR1 3QG  
This Quiet Morning will focus on the inspiration we find in St Barnabas whose feast day falls on June 11.  
We will reflect on  
• Discerning God's encouragement  
• Learning to encourage others  
• Learning to receive encouragement  
If you wish to attend, please add your name to the sign-up sheet at the back of the church or email churchwardens.stmarysbromley@gmail.com

## NEWSLETTER

To add items or get the newsletter every week, please send your updates by email to [Newsletter.StMarys@outlook.com](mailto:Newsletter.StMarys@outlook.com) by Tuesday evening at the latest.

### VICAR

For Parish Ministry enquiries please contact **Rev Eucharia Asiegbu** [vicarstmarysbromley@gmail.com](mailto:vicarstmarysbromley@gmail.com) 020-3612-0110

### PARISH ADMIN

For Parish Admin enquiries please contact **Manisha Sharma**. Tues & Wed: 10 - 1pm, Thu: 10 - 2pm [admin@stmarys-bromley.org.uk](mailto:admin@stmarys-bromley.org.uk) 020-8466-6969

### HALL BOOKING

For Hall booking enquiries please contact **Atlanta Topham**. [stmaryshouseandhall@gmail.com](mailto:stmaryshouseandhall@gmail.com) 079-5174-8155

### LIVE STREAM

Our Sunday service is live streamed every week. [facebook.com/stmarysbromley](https://www.facebook.com/stmarysbromley)