



St Mary's Church Bromley

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Thursday 28th May 2026

Reflection

Matthew 28: Jesus Has Risen

After the Sabbath, at dawn on the first day of the week, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to look at the tomb.

There was a violent earthquake, for an angel of the Lord came down from heaven and, going to the tomb, rolled back the stone and sat on it. His appearance was like lightning, and his clothes were white as snow. The guards were so afraid of him that they shook and became like dead men.

The angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified. He is not here; he has risen, just as he said. Come and see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples: 'He has risen from the dead and is going ahead of you into Galilee. There you will see him.' Now I have told you."

So the women hurried away from the tomb, afraid yet filled with joy, and ran to tell his disciples. Suddenly Jesus met them. "Greetings," he said. They came to him, clasped his feet and worshiped him. Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid. Go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me."

Amen

Sunday 31 May - Trinity Sunday

10:30 am Trinity Sunday

Readings:

- Isaiah 40.12 - 17, 27 - end
- 2 Corinthians 13.11 - end
- Matthew 28:16 - end

Hymns:

- 212 - Holy Holy Holy
- 514 - Thou whose almighty word
- 313 - Lord of all hopefulness
- 277 - Jesus shall reign where're the sun
- 164 - Go forth and tell

MISSING: GRACE CAFE - PLACE OF WELCOME KNITTED SIGN BOARD



The signboard, usually kept at the back of the church, appears to have been misplaced over the past few weeks. If anyone has moved it for safekeeping or knows of its whereabouts, **please kindly let the Churchwardens know.**

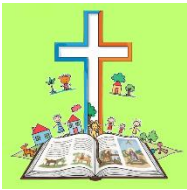
Thank you for your help.

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 as early as possible to discuss the requirements.

Parish Notices



Sunday Club

Families are welcome to seat together this week. No Sunday Club this Sunday.



Evening Study Group

The Evening Study Group meets next in person at 8:00 pm on Tuesday 2nd June to continue studying Pilgrim Places, Holy Lives. Further details from Peter Boyden or Sally Adcock.



St Mary's Quiet Morning

Thursday 11 June 2026. Please put your name on the sign-up sheet at the back of church, or email: churchwardens.stmarysbromley@gmail.com



Community Payback

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



Bromley Borough Foodbank | Helping Local People in Crisis

As part of our shared calling to love and support our neighbours, we invite parishioners to continue supporting Bromley Foodbank, which provides vital help to local individuals and families facing hardship. 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; 0800 9 20 23 24



Parish Magazine

The June edition of the Parish Magazine is available on the table at the back of church. Thank you to Atlanta for editing the magazine this month.



Grace Café – A Place of Welcome

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

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**



 **Services & Events – May / June 2026**

Date	Event
 Sat 30 May · 10:00 am–4:00 pm	Prayer Festival · St Benedict's Centre, West Malling (see flyer for details)
 Sun 31 May	Trinity Sunday – Baptism of Mila & Isaac
 Tue 2 Jun · 9:00 am – 9:30am	Morning Prayer in Church
 Sat 6 Jun · 10:00 am–12:00 pm	Church Cleaning
 Thu 7 Jun · 10:30 am	Parish Communion
 Thu 11 Jun · 10:00 am–1:00 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 ·	Father's Day:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8:30 am • 10:30 am 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Book of Common Prayer (BCP) Communion, followed by Breakfast Café • Family Service
 Sun 28 Jun · 10:30 am	St Peter and St Paul; Parish Communion

 **Regular Activities at St Mary's**

Date	Event
 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**

Holy God, faithful and unchanging: enlarge our minds with the knowledge of your truth, and draw us more deeply into the mystery of your love, that we may truly worship you, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

 **Amen**

 Requests for Prayer



Please hold in prayer: Bev, Richard M (Barbara’s cousin), Pat, Luci, Beryl, Keith, Joshua, Christopher, Kay B (Merle’s sister), Lizzi, Andrea K (friend of Anthia).

To request prayer for yourself or someone else, please contact **Anthia Page:** 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 will be available on the table starting Sunday, May 31st.

 PARISH ADMIN

For Parish Admin enquiries please contact Manisha Sharma.
Tues & Wed: 10 - 1pm,
Thu: 10 - 2pm
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admin@stmarys-bromley.org.uk

 HALL BOOKING

For Hall booking enquiries please contact Atlanta Topham.
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stmaryshouseandhall@gmail.com

 LIVE STREAM

Our Sunday service is live streamed every week.
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 NEWSLETTER

To include items or receive the newsletter weekly, please email: Newsletter.StMarys@outlook.com