

## LOOKING AHEAD

**Daily Office: Monday, Wednesday Friday & Saturday at 8am & 5.30pm**

Sunday 22 July 10am	Mass for the Feast of Mary Magdalene
Sunday 29 July 10am	Mass for Trinity 9
Sunday 5 August 10am	Mass for the Feast of the Transfiguration
Sunday 12 August 10am	Mass for Trinity 11
Sunday 19 August 10am	Mass for The Blessed Virgin Mary
Sunday 26 August 10am	Mass for Trinity 13
Sunday 2 September 10am	Mass for Trinity 14
Sunday 2 September 7pm	Young People's Service
Tuesday 4 September 12-3pm	Tuesday Sale
Friday 7 September 9.30-11am	Little Lights
Sunday 9 September 10am	Mass for Trinity 15
Tuesday 11 September 12-3pm	Tuesday Sale
Friday 14 September 9.30-11am	Little Lights
Sunday 16 September 10am	Mass for Trinity 16
Wednesday 19 September 6.45pm	PCC Meeting <i>(church hall)</i>
Friday 21 September 9.30-11am	Little Lights
Saturday 22 September 10-5pm	Open House
Sunday 23 September 10am	Mass Trinity 17
Sunday 23 September 12-5pm	Open House
Sunday 30 September 10am	Mass for Michael & All Angels
Sunday 7 October 10am	Mass for St Francis
Sunday 7 October 2pm	Animal Blessing Service
Sunday 7 October 7pm	Young People's Service
Sunday 14 October 10am	Mass for Trinity 20
Tuesday 16 October 12-3pm	Tuesday Sale
Friday 19 October 9.30am	Little Lights
Sunday 21 October 10am	Mass for the Feast of St Luke

## THIS IS THE GATE OF HEAVEN

Winner of 'The UK's Best Modern Churches' award November 2013

**Next Sunday: 29<sup>th</sup> July 2018**

**Mass for 9<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

**188 77 106 154**

**2 Kings 4:42-44 Julian Ephesians 3:14-21 Mary Mc**

**Psalm 145 Gospel: John 6:1-21**

**Intercessions: Julian**

**Chalice: Toni Sidespeople: Hendrika & Ayo/Cathy**

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*Churchwarden: Safia Dimsdale*

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✠ **THE PARISH OF  
ST. PAUL WITH ST. LUKE** ✠  
**BOW COMMON**



**Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2018**

**Mass for the Feast of Mary Magdalene**

**173 235 287 508**

**Song of Solomon 3:1-4** Mary S **2 Corinthians 5:14-17** Nikki

**Psalm 42 Gospel: John 20:1-2, 11-18**

**Intercessions:** Julian

**Chalice:** Mary S **Sidespeople:** Mary S & Elaine

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

Esther Christian, John Christian, Rachel Christian,  
Caroline Smith, Layo Olaniyan, Florence Ebseye, Audrey Mameli, Tracy  
Deirki, Robert Partridge, Rita Dogterom, Nojahan Hamid,  
Simon Gordon-Clarke, Eileen Rosser

Our link church of **Santa Monica, Maputo** in Mozambique

Our church School – **St Paul with St Luke**

**July Year's Mind:** Stephen Fethney, Bill Mitchell, Lily Mc Carthy,  
Keith Wright

**R.I.P:** Thomas Baroi

Today we celebrate **the Feast of Mary Magdalene**, the first person that Jesus appeared to that very first Easter Morning.

**Banns of Marriage:** I publish the Banns of Marriage between *Harry James Webster* and *Victoria Emily Geary* both of this parish. If any of you know cause or just impediment why these two persons should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, you are to declare it. This is the *first* time of asking.

### **Bow Council News – Dates for your Diary**

#### **Sunday 5 August 12.30pm - Bow Group Picnic, Tower Hamlets Cemetery.**

We are all invited to join others from St Paul's Old Ford, All Hallows Bow, St Mary's Bow and St Barnabas for a picnic. Debbie, Mary Mc and Mthr. Bernadette went last year – it really is an enjoyable event.



#### **Monday 24 September at 7pm – Bow Group Quiz, St Paul's Bow Common.**

As the winning team, we are hosting the event this time. Please do come along and support this Bow Group event.

**Little Lights** are taking a 'well-deserved' summer break and will start up again in September. A big THANK YOU to Laurie and Jolie for all their hard work during the year.



**Sunday School** will be taking a well-deserved break in August. The last Sunday School before the summer break will be on **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August**. Sunday School will start back on **Sunday**

**9<sup>th</sup> September.**

## **PCC Highlights**

**Finance:** Arrangements for sending our monthly donation to support Dominic's friend's evangelism are being made.

**Building Update:** We have a report on the state of our electrics from CES and are now in the process of getting a breakdown of costs for rewiring.

**Intern Update:** We have not been allocated an intern for the coming year. Mthr. Bernadette will follow up on other possibilities including having ordinands on short term placement.

**Safeguarding:** Elaine is going on a course. There has been one safeguarding issue which now has been resolved.

### **Updates:**

Sunday School will show their work this Sunday and there will be a party the following Sunday. Elaine will lead a session when Tony is not there. Parents will still be able to use the hall during the period when Sunday School is closed for the summer.

The Youth Group may join in with the Christmas boxes activity. They are planning a camping trip in late August. Younger children who are now at an age to join the Youth Group will be invited to do so by letter.

Little Lights has closed for their summer break. When it restarts, Jolie will be available to lead. Debra and Tiny have volunteered to assist whilst Laurie is on maternity leave.

The Jumble Sale raised over £200. The next one will be on 29<sup>th</sup> September 2018. Debra is hopeful that her niece may be willing to help with the Tuesday Sale.

### **A.O.B.**

PCC agreed that children who have been through a preparation course by the Roman Catholic church and had made their First Holy Communion could receive at St Paul's.

Inclusive Church: it was agreed unanimously for the parish to join Inclusive Church.

Black History Month: Debra agreed to give a talk.

Interfaith Week: there are plans to have an interfaith meal.

Bow Group: The Bow Group Quiz is being held at St Paul's. Julian and Sally to do the questions, Safia to organise the catering. PCC noted the Bow Group picnic on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August in the Cemetery Park.

Craft Group – is currently being explored for local woman to meet in church and take a stall at the Christmas Bazaar.