



# Weekly Bulletin

**February 10<sup>th</sup> 2019 The Fourth Sunday Before Lent**

*Welcome to St Marylebone Parish Church  
Please switch your mobile telephone to silent*

**8.30 am HOLY COMMUNION**

BCP Holy Communion; p. 237

Celebrant & Preacher: The Revd Jack Noble

**11.00 am CHORAL EUCHARIST**

CW(1) Traditional

Celebrant: The Revd Stephen Evans

**Organ Voluntary:** Clérambault, *Duo* (Suite du Premier Ton)

**Mass Setting:** Mozart, *Missa Brevis in F major*

**Processional Hymn:** 343

**The Gathering and sending out of Young Church**

**Reading:** 1 Corinthians 15.1-11 *read by Jenefer Kightley*

**Gradual:** Grahl, *Amazing Grace*

**Gospel Acclamation:**

**Alleluia, alleluia.** I am the light of the world, says the Lord. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness but will have the light of life. **Alleluia.**

**Gospel:** Luke 5.1-11

**Preacher:** The Revd Jack Noble  
*After the Peace*

**Offertory Hymn:** 353

*Please kneel or sit whilst the choir sings Sanctus and Benedictus. If you are a baptised Christian and are used to receiving the bread and wine at Communion, you are welcome to do so today. During Communion the choir sings Agnus Dei.*

**Communion:** Wesley, *Ecce panis angelorum*

**Post Communion Hymn:** 235

**Organ Voluntary:** Bolcom, *Gospel Prelude 'Amazing Grace'*

**JUNIOR CHOIR** rehearses on Sundays in the parish church, gathering in the choir stalls at 12.30pm after the service.

**Gluten free:** Communicants who would prefer a gluten-free wafer should ask a sidesman for a gluten free ticket on arrival at the Church to display at the altar rail when taking communion.

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**YOUNG CHURCH** gathers after the Collect at the foot of the choir steps before proceeding to the Crypt for their teaching; they re-join the congregation for Communion. Parents with babies and younger children may use the Browning Room, where a speaker relays the service. Children must be accompanied to or from the Browning Room and must never be left unattended.

**Collect of the Week:**

O God, who knowest us to be set in the midst of so many and great dangers, that by reason of the frailty of our nature we cannot always stand upright: grant to us such strength and protection as may support us in all dangers and carry us through all temptations; 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**

**Post Communion Prayer:**

Go before us, O Lord, in all our doings with thy most gracious favour, and further us with thy continual help, that in all our works begun, continued and ended in thee, we may glorify thy holy name, and finally by thy mercy obtain everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

**MUSIC NOTES**

**Mozart** wrote his *Missa brevis in F* in 1774 at the age of eighteen. It is a compact and tightly constructed work, ingenious in its concision. There is a minimum of word repetition, and the longer movements (Gloria and Credo) conclude with imitative rather than fully fugal writing. Both Mozart and his father Leopold worked in the Salzburg court chapel. Archbishop Colloredo, who had been enthroned in 1772, was a reformist churchman, and was reported to have had an austere view on music in worship - that it should be noted for its brevity!

Former Director of Music at St Marylebone **Steven Grahl** (b. 1979) is now Organist and Master of the Choristers at Christ Church Cathedral, Oxford. He made this arrangement of the spiritual, *Amazing Grace* in 2012.

**Samuel Wesley** (1766 –1837) was the son of hymn-writer Charles Wesley, and the nephew of John Wesley the founder of the Methodist Church. His son, Samuel Sebastian Wesley, became one of the most important figures in the musical life of 19th Century English Cathedral music. From 1778, Samuel lived in the Wesley family home in Marylebone, and having been dubbed the ‘English Mozart’ by William Boyce for his prodigious musical talents, Samuel forged an illustrious career as a conductor, composer and organist - although despite being considered one of the greatest organists of his generation, he never secured a regular church post. Samuel was buried in St Marylebone churchyard on his death in 1837.

In 1794, Samuel privately converted to Roman Catholicism much to the dismay of his family, even composing a large-scale mass, *Missa de Spiritu Sancto*, dedicated to Pope Pius VI. Indeed, a large proportion of Samuel’s compositional output is Latin motets. However, most of his works, which number symphonies, at least 2 mass-settings, organ concertos and piano pieces, remain in unedited manuscript form. Around 1800, Samuel discovered the music of JS Bach, and even went on to produce the first English editions of many of Bach’s works. Samuel’s mature musical style therefore owes much to the great master.

*Ecce panis angelorum* dates from 1813, and is a simple unaccompanied setting of a Eucharistic text. The manuscript of this anthem even adds ‘Transubstantiatorial Hymn’ to its title as if to reinforce the composer’s Roman affections.

*Text and Translation:*

Ecce panis Angelorum, factus cibus viatorum, vere Panis Filiorum, non mittendus canibus! In figuris praesignatur, cum Isaac immolatur, Agnus Paschae deputatur, datur manna patribus.

Bone pastor, panis vere, Jesu, nostri miserere, tu nos pasce, nos tuere, tu nos bona fac videre, in terra viventium, tu qui cuncta scis et vales, qui nos pascis hic mortales, tuos ibi commensales, cohaeredes et sodales, fac sanctorum civium.

*Hail, angelic Bread of Heaven, now the pilgrim’s hoping-leaven, yea, the Bread to children given that to dogs must not be thrown: In the figures contemplated, ’twas with Isaac immolated, by the Lamb ’twas antedated, in the Manna it was known.*

*O Good Shepherd, still confessing love, in spite of our transgressing, here Thy blessed Food possessing, make us share Thine every blessing in the land of life and love: Thou, whose power hath all completed, and Thy Flesh as Food hath meted, make us, at Thy table seated, by Thy Saints, as friends be greeted, in Thy paradise above.*

**SERVICES NEXT WEEKEND    SUNDAY 17<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2019****THIRD SUNDAY BEFORE LENT / SEPTUAGESIMA****8.30 am HOLY COMMUNION****11.00 am CHORAL EUCHARIST**

Celebrant & Preacher:

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Readings: Jeremiah 17.5-10 and Luke 6.17-26

## Noticeboard

**The Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) & Electoral Roll Revision:** The APCM will take place on **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April 2019 at 7pm**. A new Church Electoral Roll is being prepared and all persons who wish to have their names entered on the new Roll, whether their names are entered on the present Roll or not, are requested to apply for enrolment not later than **12<sup>th</sup> March**. The new roll will come into operation on 26<sup>th</sup> March 2019. In order to be entitled to attend the annual parochial church meeting and to take part in its proceedings, application forms must be returned to our Electoral Roll Officer, Frances Endres, or via the parish office, by 12<sup>th</sup> March. Enrolment forms are at the back of the Church.

**In Remembrance:** The Annual HCA Healthcare Interfaith Memorial Service will take place at the Parish Church on **26<sup>th</sup> February 2019 at 6.30 pm**. A quiet and reflective service to remember those whom we love but see no longer. Refreshments will be served in the Crypt afterwards. RSVP to Tina Sagoo, memorial@theloc.com tel. 020 7317 2503.

**Quiz Night: Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February at 7 pm** in the Crypt Hall. Tickets are £10 a head and include finger food and a drink. Please contact Jane Gray at HR@stmarylebone.org to book a table (up to 6 people) or just book singly and Jane will make up tables.

**Baptism and Confirmation 2019:** Every year the Bishop of London visits St Marylebone to Baptise and Confirm. This year, the Bishop of London, will be with us on **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2019 at 11 am**. Adults and children will be presented for baptism and or confirmation and preparation classes will be given beforehand. Classes for adults will be arranged with Fr Jack. Young Church baptism and/or confirmation classes will be taught by Lucy Hodges. If you and/or your child would like to be baptised and/or confirmed in May, please talk with Lucy Hodges (pastoral@stmarylebone.org) or Jane Warden (hr@stmarylebone.org) or with Fr Jack Noble (chaplain@stmarylebone.org) or with Fr Stephen (rector@stmarylebone.org) as soon as possible.

**St Marylebone Festival 20 – 26 July 2019:** Would you like to be part of the team as we prepare for this year's Festival? We are looking for a group of people to be involved in various ways, such as finding and liaising with sponsors, in stewarding events and promoting the Festival on social media. Please contact parishoffice@stmarylebone.org if you can help.

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**Finance Assistant Vacancy:** St Marylebone Parish Church is looking to recruit a part-time Finance Assistant (at least 8 hours per week) to join its small Finance Team. Please see the website for more details.

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**A day of celebration at Westminster Abbey:** Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> May. Join a group going from St Marylebone for the Eucharist, pub lunch, interesting lecture, Evensong at beautiful Westminster Abbey in honour of St Mary. See poster and Fr Jack for details. Cost: Free! (except for an inexpensive pub lunch if you would like it)

**Parish Pilgrimage to Walsingham, Norfolk:** *Why not join St Marylebone on an enjoyable weekend pilgrimage to England's Nazareth?* Comfortable rooms, good food, beautiful country surroundings, wonderful worship. 7-9<sup>th</sup> June 2019. Ask Fr Jack or see poster to find out more. Travel, food and accommodation all inclusive: £235

**Music for the Moment:** The next concert by students of the Royal Academy of Music will take place on **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2019** at St Marylebone Parish Church with a performance by the Academy Vocal Ensemble. Refreshments will be served from 2.30pm by students from the St Marylebone CE School and the concert will start at 3pm. These free concerts are devised with those living with dementia and their carers in mind but all are welcome.

**The 2019 Organ Recital Series** continues at the parish church on **Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> March at 4pm** with a recital by Marko Sever (St Alban's Cathedral). Admission is free with a retiring collection.

**Open Door** is an informal gathering over tea and coffee which provides an opportunity for Christian fellowship and discussion. The next meeting of the group will take place on **Tuesday February 12<sup>th</sup> from 2.30-4pm**. Dates of 2019 meetings are available on the website or from the Parish Office.

**Coffee Morning AgeUK and St Marylebone Parish Church:** The next meeting of this monthly coffee morning will take place on **Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> February, 10am-12pm** in the Undercroft and will include a performance of poetry recited to music. These meetings take place every third Thursday of the month and provide an opportunity to chat, get advice from AgeUK, take part in activities and listen to guest speakers, all whilst enjoying tea and cake.

**Crypt Art Exhibition:** The latest Contemporary British Painting exhibition in the Crypt Hall is entitled "*Painting as terrain*", and will be on display until 25 April. There will be a panel discussion on Saturday 16th February 2019, 1pm – 2.30pm for all who are interested. The Crypt Hall is often occupied for meetings so please check with the parish office (020 7935 7315) before planning your visit.

**The 2019 Hugh Price Hughes Lectures:** This free series of monthly lectures takes place from February to June at the Hinde Street Methodist Church. All lectures start at 7.30 pm. This year's series is entitled 'Moving Stories'. The opening lecture will be given by Ms Jennifer Crook, Head of Diversity and Inclusion at the House of Commons, on **Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February**. Leaflets in the foyer, for more information go to [www.hindestreet.org.uk/hph-lectures](http://www.hindestreet.org.uk/hph-lectures)

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### **WEEKLY SERVICES & PRAYERS**

*All services take place in the Crypt Chapels*

**Holy Eucharist** – Wednesday at 1.10 pm and Friday at 9.30 am

**Morning Prayer** – Monday to Wednesday at 9.30 am

**Evening Prayer** – Monday to Wednesday and Friday at 5 pm