



Welcome to St John the Evangelist East Dulwich

7 October 2018 Harvest Festival (Trinity 19)

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8am Said Mass

10am Sung Mass

Processional	259
Gradual	262
Offertory	263
Anthem	<i>Fear not, O land</i> – Harris
Communion	Words on sheet
Recessional	285
Voluntary	<i>Ciacona in E minor</i> – Buxtehude
Organist	Niall Baxter

6pm Silent Prayer

Collect

Creator God,
you made the goodness of the land,
the riches of the sea
and the rhythm of the seasons;
as we thank you for the harvest,
may cherish and respect this planet
and its peoples,
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever.
Amen.

Gluten Free communion wafers are available from the Altar in the Lady Chapel.

Gift Aid your donations. If you are a UK taxpayer, please make your donation using a yellow Gift Aid envelope. We can reclaim 25p for every £1. Thank you.

The flowers in the Sanctuary have been given by Lisa Jenkinson to the glory of God and in loving memory of her mother, Rosalind.



A reading from Joel 2: 21 - 27

Do not fear, O soil; be glad and rejoice, for the Lord has done great things! Do not fear, you animals of the field, for the pastures of the wilderness are green; the tree bears its fruit, the fig tree and vine give their full yield.

O children of Zion, be glad and rejoice in the Lord your God; for he has given the early rain for your vindication, he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the later rain, as before. The threshing-floors shall be full of grain, the vats shall overflow with wine and oil.

I will repay you for the years that the swarming locust has eaten, the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter, my great army, which I sent against you.

You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, who has dealt wondrously with you. And my people shall never again be put to shame. You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I, the Lord, am your God and there is no other. And my people shall never again be put to shame.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Psalm 126 (8am Mass)

R\: Those who sowed with tears will reap with songs of joy.

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St Matthew 6: 25 - 33

Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air; they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? And can any of you by worrying add a single hour to your span of life? And why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not clothed like one of these. But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which is alive today and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you - you of little faith? Therefore do not worry, saying, "What will we eat?" or "What will we drink?" or "What will we wear?" For it is the Gentiles who strive for all these things; and indeed your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. But strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Communion Hymn:

A&M 283

1. Fill your hearts with joy and gladness,
Sing and praise your God and mine!
Great the Lord in love and wisdom,
Might and majesty divine!
He who framed the starry heavens
Knows and names them as they shine
Fill your hearts with joy and gladness,
Sing and praise your God and mine!
2. Praise the Lord, his people, praise him!
Wounded souls his comfort know.
Those who fear him find his mercies,
Peace for pain and joy for woe;
Humble hearts are high exalted,
Human pride and power laid low.
Praise the Lord, his people, praise him!
Wounded souls his comfort know.
3. Praise the Lord for times and seasons,
Cloud and sunshine, wind and rain;
Spring to melt the snows of winter
Till the waters flow again;
Grass upon the mountain pastures,
Golden valleys thick with grain.
Praise the Lord for times and seasons,
Cloud and sunshine, wind and rain;
4. Fill your hearts with joy and gladness,
Peace and plenty crown your days!
Love his laws, declare his judgements,
Walk in all his words and ways;
He the Lord and we his children,
Praise the Lord, all people, praise!
Fill your hearts with joy and gladness,
Peace and plenty crown your days!

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This week's Services & Groups

Weekdays	9am	Morning Prayer
Wednesday 10 October	10.30am	Goose Green Coffee Morning
Thursday 11 October	12pm	Said Mass
	12.30pm	Goose Green Lunch Club
	8.15pm	Choir Practice
Sunday 14 October	Trinity 20	
	8am	Said Mass
	10am	Sung Mass
	6pm	Choral Evensong

Notices



Diddy Disciples is our creative approach to children's worship for ages 0-8. Every Sunday* in term-time, children stay in the main service until the readings, process out to the Goose Green Centre, and return at the peace. Parents must complete a registration form, and we ask parents of under 2s to stay with their child. Over 8s are encouraged to come to the older group in the small hall, for a thoughtful, discussion-based session on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month.

* Children will be with us in the main service for our Harvest Festival on Sunday 7 October.

War Memorial Restoration: please sponsor a fence post. Envelopes are available in church or you can donate via mydonate.bt.com/events/sjedmemorialgarden/475648. Please see the letter on the table in church for more information.

Fair Trade stall – today after both the 8am and 10am Masses. We will be taking orders for Fair Trade Advent Calendars including the Real Advent Calendar.

Concert in church on Saturday 13 October at 7.30pm, hosted by Rotary and featuring the Metropolitan Police Choir, in aid of King's College Hospital Charity's Support Life Appeal. Tickets are £10 each and are available via eventbrite.co.uk 'Concert for Kings', or from shirley@dulwichandpeckhamrotary.org

Choral Evensong on Sunday 14 October. Please note, this service will begin at the earlier time of 5pm. Please join us after the service for refreshments.

The Power of Love. Bishop Michael Curry in conversation with Cole Moreton, hosted by Revd. Kate Bottley. Southwark Cathedral, Monday 29 October, 6.30pm, book launch 7.30pm. For more details visit greenbelt.org.uk/poweroflove

All Souls' Requiem. You are invited to sing the music of Gabriel Fauré at the All Souls' Requiem on Sunday 4 November at 6pm. Do join us – and invite your friends. Rehearsals will be on Thursdays 18 October and 1 November from 8.45 to 9.30pm (in the Vestry), and then at 4pm on Sunday 4 November. The Mass will remember departed friends and relatives. Please let John Webber know if you would like to sing and which rehearsals you can attend.

St John's Christmas Fair will be held on Saturday 1 December, 12pm – 3pm.

Sung Evensong at Rochester Cathedral. John Webber has organised for a large, gathered choir of volunteers to sing Evensong at Rochester on Saturday 12 January. If you would like to take part, ask him for full details: maggieandjohn1@gmail.com