



# Weekly Bulletin

June 9<sup>th</sup> 2019 Pentecost

St Marylebone *Changing Lives for 900 years*

*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 Stephen Evans

## 11.00 am CHORAL EUCHARIST

CW(1) Traditional

Celebrant: The Revd Stephen Evans

**Organ voluntary:** Fischer, *Ricecar pro Festis Pentecostalibus*

**Mass Setting:** Langlais, *Messe Solennelle*

**Processional Hymn:** 139i

*Please sit for Gloria and stand for the Collect*

## The Gathering and sending out of Young Church

**Reading:** Acts 2.1-21 read by *Timothy Green*

**Gradual:** Tallis, *Loquebantur*

## Gospel Acclamation:

**Alleluia, alleluia.** Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful people and kindle in them the fire of your love. **Alleluia.**

**Gospel:** John 14.8-17 & 25-27

**Preacher:** The Revd Stephen Evans

*After the Peace*

**Offertory Hymn:** 137

*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:** Rener, *Veni creator Spiritus*

**Post Communion Hymn:** 367ii

**Organ Voluntary:** Langlais, *Hymne d'action de grace*

**JUNIOR CHOIR** rehearses on Sundays in the parish church, gathering in the choir stalls at 12.30pm after the service. We are recruiting singers between the age of 8 and 18. For further information please contact our Assistant Director of Music, Jamie, on [asstdirectorofmusic@stmarylebone.org](mailto:asstdirectorofmusic@stmarylebone.org)

**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.

**Large print editions** of the *Weekly Bulletin*, *Order of Service* and the *Hymnal* are available from the Sidesmen.

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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. Please fill out a slip and put it in the Prayer and Registration Box.

### **Collect of the Week:**

God, who as at this time didst teach the hearts of thy faithful people by sending to them the light of thy Holy Spirit: grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgement in all things and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the same Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

### **Post Communion Prayer:**

O faithful God, who didst fulfil the promise of Easter by sending to us thy Holy Spirit and opening to every race and nation the way of eternal life: open our lips by the same Spirit, that every tongue may tell of thy glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### **MUSIC NOTES**

The blind French organist and composer **Jean Langlais** (1907-91) was taught composition by Dukas (of *Sorcerer's Apprentice* fame), and organ by Dupré and Tournemire. His *Messe solennelle* dates from 1951 and was originally written for two organs, but works equally well with just one instrument. The Gloria opens in a strict contrapuntal style, but grows in textural complexity as it shifts through different tonal centres. The writing becomes increasingly homophonic (and the word setting more syllabic) at *Dominus Deus*, before a return to the rigorous music of the opening at *Quoniam tu solus*. Homophonic chordal writing returns for *Jesu Christe* and the thrilling D major conclusion of this grand movement. Out of the mysterious, lugubrious organ opening to the *Sanctus*, the choir emerges in a blaze of glory, and the motoric and ecstatic *Hosanna* contrasts with the simple yet tortuous *Benedictus* melody.

**Thomas Tallis** (c1505-1585), and was an elder colleague of William Byrd, with whom he collaborated in publishing the *Cantiones Sacrae* of 1575. *Loquebantur variis linguis* is an example of a choral respond, based on the plainchant for First Vespers at Pentecost, heard here in the tenor part. Tallis sets a complex web of voices surround the chant, with his typically piquant use of 'false-relations'. As is typical for responds, the motet is alternately plainchant and polyphony.

*Loquebantur variis linguis apostoli, alleluia.*

*Magnalia Dei, alleluia.*

*Repleti sunt omnes Spiritu Sancto,*

*et ceperunt loqui variis linguis.*

*Magnalia Dei, alleluia.*

*Gloria Patri et Filio et Spiritui Sancto. Alleluia.*

*The apostles spoke in many tongues, alleluia,*

*Of the great works of God, alleluia.*

*They were all filled with the Holy Spirit,*

*and began to speak in many tongues*

*of the great works of God, alleluia.*

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. Alleluia.*

**Adam Renner** (c.1485 - c.1520) was a Franco-Flemish composer. A chorister at the Imperial court under Isaac from 1498-1500, he was from 1507 composer and historiographer to the Saxon court at Torgau; his last years were spent in poor health as a result of serious injuries received in a brawl! He wrote Catholic church music, although some of also appears in contemporary Lutheran publications. Certainly, by the time of his death he had probably become a Protestant. *Veni Creator Spiritus* sets the first two verses of the famous 9<sup>th</sup> Century Pentecostal hymn by Rabanus Maurus; the first verse, Gregorian chant, the second a 6-part contrapuntal discourse on the same chant melody.

### **SERVICES NEXT WEEKEND**

**SUNDAY 16<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2019**

### **TRINITY**

#### **8.30 am HOLY COMMUNION**

Celebrant & Preacher:

The Revd Stephen Evans

#### **11.00 am CHORAL EUCHARIST**

Celebrant & Preacher: The Revd Jack Noble

Readings: Proverbs 8.1-4 & 22-31

and John 16.12-15

## Noticeboard

**Young Church Picnic:** Jane Warden will be hosting a picnic to say farewell to members of Young Church and their families **today** in Marylebone Fields, Regent's Park following the 11 am Choral Eucharist. If you wish to make a contribution to a leaving gift for Jane please use one of the envelopes available at the back of the Parish Church.

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**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 18<sup>th</sup> June from 2.30-4pm**. Dates of all Open Door 2019 meetings are available on the website or from the Parish Office. Meetings take place in the Undercroft, in the Crypt.

**AgeUk Tea & Chat afternoons:** Every third Thursday of the month, 2 - 4pm. The next meeting will be on **Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> June** when the guest speaker will be from The Museum of Brands, which is the world's only museum dedicated to celebrating how well loved, memorable brands have evolved through time. The exhibits explore how people and their lives have been shaped by the products and brands around them, and vice versa.

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**Music for the Moment:** The next concert by students of the Royal Academy of Music will take place on **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June** at St Marylebone Parish Church with a performance by Ibex Brass. 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 7<sup>th</sup> July at 4pm** with a recital by Charles Francis (St Edmund's School, Canterbury). Admission is free with a retiring collection.

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**Back the Back Concert:** A musical celebration of the countryside here at the Parish Church on Saturday **22nd June at 6pm**. The Firth Singers and guest choirs present an eclectic choral celebration. This is a launch concert for the 'Back the Back Walk' (beginning 30th June) which is a walk of the full 268 miles of the Pennine Way or 'Backbone of Britain' to raise awareness of Scoliosis, the abnormal curvature of the spine. To find out more, see posters or head to [www.backthebackwalk.org](http://www.backthebackwalk.org). Tickets available at <https://www.wegotickets.com/event/468741> £25 VIP/ £15 General Admission/£12.50 Concession

**Shakespeare in the Squares** presents *A Midsummer Night's Dream* on Friday 28th June, matinee 2.30pm, evening 7pm, at Paddington Street Gardens, W1. More information and tickets available at: [www.shakespeareinthesquares.co.uk](http://www.shakespeareinthesquares.co.uk)

**St Marylebone Festival 20 – 26 July 2019:** Tickets for all Festival events are available now on the Festival website: [www.stmarylebonefestival.com](http://www.stmarylebonefestival.com) If you would like to be part of the team as we prepare for this year's Festival please contact [parishoffice@stmarylebone.org](mailto:parishoffice@stmarylebone.org) We are looking for people to be involved in various ways, such as finding sponsors, stewarding events, promoting the Festival on social media and to provide or source interesting raffle prizes. Please take the flyer-booklet to give to your friends, colleagues and family. There is a sign-up sheet in the Browning Room for Festival volunteers. Please add your name where you think you can help out. You can also email Ginny: [activity@stmarylebone.org](mailto:activity@stmarylebone.org)

**Crypt Art Exhibition:** The current exhibition in the Crypt Hall is a photographic display by Gill Shaw, working alongside the WellFound charity, who work to increase access to safe water and sanitation, and promote economic growth and gender equality amongst poor rural communities in Africa. The exhibition runs till 8<sup>th</sup> July. The Crypt Hall is often occupied for meetings so please check with the parish office on 020 7935 7315 before planning your visit.

**Mini Mozart:** Classes take place here at the parish church until Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2019. More information is available at [www.minimozart.com](http://www.minimozart.com)

**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 next lecture will be given by the Revd Jennifer Potter on **Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June**. There are leaflets in the foyer, for more information go to [www.hindestreet.org.uk/hph-lectures](http://www.hindestreet.org.uk/hph-lectures)

**Marylebone Fayre:** Once again we will have a stall at the Marylebone Fayre which this year takes place on **Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June**. We shall engage people in conversation about the work we do at St Marylebone and about the St Marylebone Festival. There are two sign-up sheets in the Browning Room, one for those willing to offer cakes &/or biscuits for the fayre and one for volunteers to be on hand at the stall (one hour slots). You can also email Ginny: [activity@stmarylebone.org](mailto:activity@stmarylebone.org) All help very much appreciated.

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*If you would like a visit at home or in hospital or wish to speak to a members of the team, please contact the parish office to arrange a time with Fr Stephen or Fr Jack.*

### **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

St Marylebone Parish Church is committed to safeguarding all people. If you have any concerns about the welfare of a child or adult at risk please speak to our Safeguarding Officer, Will Everitt, (02079357315).