



ST MARGARET'S
PUTNEY



25th October 2026

8am: Said Holy Communion (1662 BCP)

10am: Parish Eucharist

4pm Recital: William Bracken - Piano

Readings: Nehemiah 8.1–4a [5–6] 8–12, Colossians 3.12–17, Matthew 24.30–35

The Week at St Margaret's, Putney

Monday

7pm St Margaret's Choir practice

Tuesday

9:30am – 11.30am Little Maggie's Play Group

Wednesday

9.45am bible study with Sarah Cooper

11am Holy Communion followed by coffee, tea and fellowship.

Thursday

Lunch on the Lane 12.30 – 1.30pm

Sunday 1st November

8am: Said Holy Communion (1662 BCP)

10am: Parish Eucharist for All Saint

Sarah Curl's leaving service and reception

4pm Recital: Ceci Keiffer – Harpsichord, Felix Collins – Lute & Sam Finch - Flute

6pm All Souls' Service

Readings: Revelation 7.9–end, John 3.1–3, Matthew 5.1–12

ST MARGARET'S DIARY

Tuesday 27th October

2pm contemplative prayer group

Sunday 1st November

10am Sarah Curl's leaving service and reception.

You can contribute to her leaving gift via the Contactless machines at the back of church

6pm All Souls service: A chance to remember those we have lost.

If there is someone you would like to be remembered in the service, please add their names to the book at the back of church or email Susan.

Thursday 5th November

5.30-6.30pm A new Children Choir for St Margaret's

Please contact Guy: music@stmargaretsputney.org

Saturday 7th November

10-11am Climate Crisis Letter writing session.

Speak to the Eco team for details.

Friday 13th November

7.30pm Quiz Night

Saturday 14th November

9.30am Breakfast Talk

6pm Thames Philharmonic Choir Concert

For your prayers:

Daniel and Cara, Gordon Jones, Mette Marston, Cynthia, Julia Reece,
Lee Roberts, Reg Norman, Dolly Beresford Jones

In memorial: Magdalena, Humphrey, Ann Peck, Mary Pretty

Vicar's update

Today is Bible Sunday – believe it or not, I've been low-key excited about this for weeks. I've been asking myself why.

I think it is because the bible has been the place of my most personal experiences of God. I know a lot of people experience God most profoundly in nature, or in music or the liturgy of the church or in any number of other ways. But for me it has always been through the words of scripture. From when I was a little girl there have been moments when the words of scripture that I have read, or heard read to me, have seemed like there were peculiarly meant for me.

When I was no more than twelve, I heard the words of God to Abraham in the book of Genesis – *leave your country and your people and go to the land I will show you* – these words caught my imagination and have animated my life ever since. They made sense of moves that were difficult for me to make and gave me encouragement when I felt called to offer myself for ordained ministry. More recently at my pre-licensing retreat at Winchester Cathedral the set reading for the first service I attended was a passage all about being called by God to the work we had to do. To me the words felt like words of confirmation and reassurance from God that I was doing the right thing and that God would be with me in my work as your vicar.

What role does the bible play in your life?

I would love to hear about your experiences with the bible, good, bad, or indifferent.

If you would like to meet you can arrange that by emailing me at vicar@stmargaretsputney.org or messaging me on 07706 755018. These details also work if you have something you'd like me to pray for.

God bless you in the week ahead, Susan.

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Safeguarding

St Margaret's operates a policy of good practice with children and vulnerable adults in line with 'A Safe Church'.

Any concerns please contact our safeguarding officer:

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