



The Parish of South Beddington & Roundshaw

27th July 2025 – Trinity 6

Open Doors – Open Hearts – Open Minds

Check out our website: <http://tiny.cc/sbrparish>



Garden Working Party at St Pauls – Saturday 2nd August 2-5pm – over the last couple of years the grounds around the church have become overgrown and quite unruly. We are keen to start a regular gardening session and to clear space for new growing and seating. Please come support as we cut back large bushes, weed, prepare and paint our picket fence, litter pick, prune and progress plans to make the church and the lands more welcoming and tended! **Thank you to all who came along on Friday.**

The Thursday Club (Dementia Café) Launch this Thursday at St Pauls from 10.30-1 including lunch. In partnership with Wallington INT and Wallington Wellbeing Charity and the many fabulous volunteers. There will be many great speakers so if you have any ponderings/questions or simply a desire to know more about memory loss, dementia or volunteering, come along. If you wish to volunteer check out the application process on our website and/or contact Mthr Berni. All are welcome.

Everyone Can Sing – Think you can't sing? Think again! Free community day at St Michael's on Saturday 9th August with Vikki from Sing Out Sutton. If you can help with refreshments (tea/coffee service on the day) AND the baking of a cake or some biscuits to offer fabulous Parish Hospitality for all who come (55 currently) please let Mthr Berni know. We hope to make this a memorable social event and are inviting all to bring a packed lunch. Sign up here: www.SingOutSutton.co.uk/events

Lunch and Chat - all things Green and Eco – Sunday 3rd August at the vicarage. Sophie Roberts, Diocesan Environmental Officer will preach at the 10.30 service at St Michael's then join us to learn what we are upto/help us capture and plan for awards over a simple lunch. Do come join the conversation (and ideally let Mthr Berni know in advance to help plan for catering numbers/dietary needs)

First Communion & Confirmation Preparation – would you like to help with the catering and refreshments on one or more dates? Please email Mthr Berni. We are gathering across 6 days and food is important to young people! Similarly, if you would like your child/grandchild/friend to join the preparations please get in touch.

Surrey Bike Ride or Stride – Saturday 13th September. If you would like to join us to walk or ride please speak with Mthr Berni or Robert. Raising funds for parish and Surrey Churches: <https://www.surreychurchespreservationtrust.org/ride-stride/>

Grace Will Lead Me Home - 15th October from 7pm at Croydon Minster: A powerful and timely exploration of John Newton's life and his iconic hymn, "Amazing Grace", on the occasion of his 300th birthday. This special event delves into the link between the beloved song and the slave trade, its enduring status as a protest against oppression, and its profound relevance to today's legacies of colonialism. This performance weaves together traditionally inspired and new songs, interwoven with poignant excerpts from 18th-century diaries and writings by figures like Newton, Wilberforce, and Equiano. The show illuminates all facets of Newton's complex life, tracing how "Amazing Grace" evolved into such a potent statement of protest and what its message means in our modern world. Tickets: £12 on the door or book here - bit.ly/4eLSLH7 Be lovely to go as a group – **is there a Volunteer Co ord?**

Contact Details

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Admin:

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Safeguarding:

+ SMC currently vacant – spk to Sally
+ Sally Page @SPC 020 8647 9567

Diary Dates

Sun 27th - Christmas Festival
Planning Team Mting 12.30 @SMC

Thurs 31st 10.30-1.30 Launch of
Thursday Club with keynote
speakers, many info stalls and
lunch. All welcome at SPC

Sat 2nd Gardening Party @SPC 2-5

Sun 3rd Lunch and Eco/Green Chat
at the Vicarage from 12.45

Sat 9th Sing Out Sutton - free event
from 11-3 @SMC

Please pray for Ethlyn, Mike, Reece & Louise, Edna, Margaret, Daphne, Stephen, Jacqui. All sick in body, mind or spirit. For all children and young people and their families through the summer. For all world wide living in war zones and with daily fear of danger.

Birthdays: Marian Aburam (1st)
Anson-Junior Moore (5th)

Year's Mind: Alan Flemming (27th)
Marion Billing (30th) Joyce Simcock (1st)
Ellen Pateman (2nd)

Please let us know your birthday / dates of loved ones Year's Mind – it is a privilege to pray for each other

We have appointed our new Director of Choral Outreach. Thank you for your generous financial and prayer support. More info to follow but for now, please continue to pray for our new CYP musical adventures!

St Paul's Church

Mass: Sundays 8.30 and Wednesdays 10.30

Bible Study & simple lunch Weds at 11.30

Lunch Club Mon 11.30 / **Drop in** Fri 9.30-12.30

St Michael's Church

Mass: Sundays 10.30

Morning Prayers 8 Mon to Thur

Place of Welcome: Tue/Thur/Fri/Sat