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ST BARNABAS CHURCH

NOTICES

SATURDAY 3RD OCTOBER 2026

PRAYER DURING THE DAY - 10.00am
Psalm 76; 2 Kings 4.1-37; Acts 25.13-end

**SUNDAY 4TH OCTOBER 2026 – HARVEST FESTIVAL
THANKSGIVING SERVICE- 10.30am**

SUNDAY 11TH OCTOBER 2026 – 19TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
HOLY COMMUNION - 10.30am
Exodus 32.1-14; Philippians 4.1-9; Matthew 22.1-14

SATURDAY 17TH OCTOBER 2026
PRAYER DURING THE DAY - 10.00am
Psalm 121; Philippians 3.7-12; John 6.52-58

SUNDAY 18TH OCTOBER 2026 – 20TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
HOLY COMMUNION - 10.30am
Exodus 23.12-end; 1 Thessalonians.1-10; Matthew 22.15-22

SUNDAY 25TH OCTOBER 2026 – LAST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
HOLY COMMUNION - 10.30am
Deuteronomy 34.1-12; 1 Thessalonians 2.1-8; Matthew 22.34-end

**THE NEXT “WALK IN WEDNESDAYS” WILL BE ON
WEDNESDAY, 14TH & 28TH OCTOBER - 10.00am - 12 Noon**

**THE NEXT “OPEN SATURDAYS” WILL BE ON
SATURDAYS, 3RD & 17TH OCTOBER – 9.30am - 12 Noon**

REGULAR SERVICES

Sundays: 10.30am Holy Communion
Saturdays: 10.00am Prayer during the Day (1st & 3rd Saturdays of the month)

BIBLE STORIES FOR CHILDREN (with their parent/carers)

If you have a child with you, you can then join the group in the Church Halls at 10.30am whenever you come to church for a Sunday Morning Communion Service. A short story is read, followed by a related colouring or related activity which you help your child with. When there is a Communion Service, parents/carers return to church for Communion with their children.

On Sunday 4th October parents and children will be in church for the whole of the special Harvest Thanksgiving Service.

SUNDAY, 4TH OCTOBER – HARVEST FESTIVAL SERVICE

Harvest Gifts brought to the service will be donated to Sutton FoodBank. The items it most needs are Tinned Tomatoes; Tinned Fruit; Long Life Milk; Coffee; Tinned Fish. Donations need to be in date, unopened and not damaged.

THE CHARITY OF THE MONTH FOR OCTOBER IS SUTTON FOODBANK which provides three days' nutritionally balanced emergency food and support to local people who are referred to it in crisis. It is part of a nationwide network of foodbanks, supported by The Trussell Trust, working to combat poverty and hunger across the UK.

PLEASE GIVE GENEROUSLY. The Charity of the Month Box is on the table as you come into Church. Digital Donations can also be made via the CollecTin.

FRIDAY 9TH OCTOBER - THE BIBLE STUDY GROUP will be meeting at 10.15am in the Lower Vestry in the Church. **EVERYBODY WELCOME.** Currently the Group is studying the Book of Job. **Each session is a stand-alone one and so attendance is not necessary every month if that is not convenient.**

WEDNESDAY, 14TH OCTOBER - TAIZE SERVICE, a contemplative service lead by Patricia Butler, a Mothers' Union member, in the Church at 7.45pm with the service beginning at 8.00pm after tea/coffee and biscuits.

ALL SOULS DAY falls on a Monday (2 November) this year. It is the day when churches traditionally remember those who have died, both those we knew and those who died longer ago whose heritage we enjoy. We want to provide for everyone connected with St Barnabas an opportunity to remember and give thanks for those who have enriched our lives, so, **on the day before (Sunday 1st November), we have arranged an extra service at 12 Noon when names of the dear departed will be read out.** The service will be meditative, without singing and short, probably 15-20 minutes. It will be followed by a "Bring your own Lunch" but tea and coffee will be provided. Please give Sally Bramdaw or Kayode the names of those who you knew and would like to be remembered at the service or write them on the list at the back of the church. **EVERYBODY WELCOME**

THE AUTUMN EDITION OF THE ST BARNABAS MAGAZINE is now on sale and copies are available, price £1.00 each, on the table as you come into church. Payment can now be made by contactless card, also costing only £1.00 per paper copy.

ADVANCE NOTICE – PLEASE MAKE A NOTE IN YOUR DIARIES

SATURDAY 19TH DECEMBER – CHRISTMAS LUNCH in St Barnabas Church Halls at 1.00pm. Tickets: Adult £20.00, Children under 9 £9.00; Family Ticket (2 adults and 2 children under 16) £45.00. .(Cash or via the CollecTin). .(Cash or via the CollecTin).
