



9 JANUARY 2022

BAPTISM OF CHRIST

9.30am Family Service

11.00am Holy Communion

ST BARNABAS CLAPHAM COMMON

CHURCH FOR ALL - INCLUDING YOU

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WORSHIP IN JANUARY

SUNDAY SERVICES

2nd 11.00am Holy Communion
9th 9.30am Family Service
11.00am Holy Communion
16th 11.00am Morning Worship & Baptism
23rd 11.00am Holy Communion
30th 9.30am BCP Communion
11.00am All Age Worship

MIDWEEK

Taize Prayer & Communion: Jan 12th, 8pm
Daily Prayers will resume on Monday 10th of January

CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE

Film Bible Study: 16th @10am (Yrs 12&13)
Splash: 16th & 23rd @11am (Rec to Yr6)
The Grid: 16th & 23rd @11am (Yrs 7 to 11)
Young People: the evening service at St Mark's is now at 5pm.
Our monthly visit begins next month on 13 February

GROUPS

BARNEY'S TODDLER GROUP

Meets twice a week on Monday and Wednesday mornings (9.30-11.00) for mums, dads, grand-parents and their little ones. From January 17th.

TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY

Meets on Tuesday from 1.45pm-3.15pm. From January 11th.

THURSDAY FELLOWSHIP

Meets on Thursday from 2.30pm-4.00pm. From January 13th.

NEIGHBOURHOOD GROUPS

Connect people in small groups for support and prayer through the week.

Please speak to any member of staff if you would like more information. Fill in a Welcome Card if you would like to leave your details and one of the clergy will contact you this week.

NOTICES

WINTER WEAR FOR REFUGEES

Saffron is collecting winter wear for the refugee families that have been housed in local hotels. They need waterproof coats for men and women as well as winter footwear for men, women and children. If you can help, please leave your donations in the trolley by the warden desk before Sunday 23rd January.
Thank you.

UNCLE RICHARD'S FUNERAL

Following the sad but peaceful end to Uncle Richard's life on Weds 29 December, aged 96, his funeral will be held in St Barnabas on Fri 14 Jan at 11.30am with a burial following at Figges Marsh at 2.00pm. To help us manage the numbers, it will be helpful to have a sense of how many members of church intend to come to the service. Please let Yvonne know if you are planning to attend.

ANNA'S PLACEMENT AS ORDINAND

As part of her placement in St Barnabas whilst studying at St Mellitus, Anna will be required to reflect on her experiences of worship, evangelism and preaching as part of her academic work. The work will only be seen by examiners from St Mellitus and comply with GDPR and the Data Protection Act, but please speak to Richard if you wish to discuss further.

Safeguarding

A Safe Church, is available for reference at the back of the worship area by the wardens. Sandrine Simmons and Sarita Rampat are our Parish Safeguarding Officers.

Giving to Church

Your donations enable our Mission. On Sundays, there are two collection plates on your way out, one for cash and one for cards. For cash, please put your donation in a blue envelope to enable us to claim gift aid on it. For regular giving, or to fill in a regular giving gift aid form, please visit our giving page by clicking on the QR code or speak to Sarita or Sandrine.



BIBLE READING Isaiah 43.1-7 (NRSVA)

43 But now thus says the LORD,
he who created you, O Jacob,
he who formed you, O Israel:
Do not fear, for I have redeemed you;
I have called you by name, you are mine.
2 When you pass through the waters, I will be
with you;
and through the rivers, they shall not
overwhelm you;
when you walk through fire you shall not be
burned,
and the flame shall not consume you.
3 For I am the LORD your God,
the Holy One of Israel, your Saviour.
I give Egypt as your ransom,
Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you.
4 Because you are precious in my sight,
and honoured, and I love you,
I give people in return for you,
nations in exchange for your life.
5 Do not fear, for I am with you;
I will bring your offspring from the east,
and from the west I will gather you;
6 I will say to the north, 'Give them up',
and to the south, 'Do not withhold';
bring my sons from far away
and my daughters from the end of the
earth—
7 everyone who is called by my name,
whom I created for my glory,
whom I formed and made.'

This is the Word of the Lord:

ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD

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THE GOSPEL Luke 3.15-17 & 21-22 (NRSVA)

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus
Christ according to Luke:

All: GLORY TO YOU, O LORD

15 As the people were filled with expectation, and all
were questioning in their hearts concerning John,
whether he might be the Messiah, 16 John answered
all of them by saying, 'I baptize you with water; but
one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not
worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will
baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. 17 His
winnowing-fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing-
floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but
the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.'

21 Now when all the people were baptized, and when
Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the
heaven was opened, 22 and the Holy Spirit
descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And
a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the
Beloved; with you I am well pleased.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord:

ALL: PRAISE TO YOU, O CHRIST

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PEOPLE FOR OUR PRAYERS

We pray for those members of this church
who are unwell or no longer able to attend:

Julie Joseph, Alvy & Staff Crawford, Marva Braham,
Mrs Reynolds, Dorcas Mattheson,
Mr and Mrs Simpson, Uncle Richard, Mrs Scarlett,
Pat Roodenberg, Esther Ayigbe, Mae Redway,
Millie Wallen, Pearl Foster, Jackie Campbell
and Rebecca Lawrence.

We continue to pray for Lena O'Dwyer
and for the family and friends of Uncle Richard,
who died last week.

OPERATIONS

Enabling the church's
mission and ministry

WORSHIP & PRAYER

Spiritual growth through
active involvement

MISSION & EVANGELISM

Faith in action that makes
a difference to others

FINANCE

Investing in God's
plan for St Barnabas

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