



24 SEPTEMBER 2023

TRINITY 16

09.30 am BCP COMMUNION
11.00 am MORNING WORSHIP
& BAPTISM

With an activity table by the lectern

ST BARNABAS CLAPHAM COMMON

CHURCH FOR ALL - INCLUDING YOU

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WORSHIP

OCTOBER

- 01st 09.30 Family Service
11.00 Holy Communion
- 08th 11.00 Morning Worship: Preacher Rev David Page
followed by light buffet lunch
- 15th 11.00 Holy Communion: Preacher Bishop of Kingston
- 19th 12.15 Taize Prayer & Communion
- 22nd 09.30 BCP Communion: Preacher Rev Gerard Rundell
11.00 Morning Worship: Preacher Rev Gerard Rundell
- 29th 11.00 All Age Morning Worship

CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE

Sunday Groups **Splash** [Rec to Yr6] **Youth** [Yrs 7 to 13] has resumed with a new youth programme for Sunday mornings and Friday nights. Check the board for more details.

Children and young people are welcome to stay in church during all services. There is an activity table for the younger ones by the lectern.

MIDWEEK

Daily Prayers Monday to Thursday, 12.00- 1.00pm

Taize Communion service Thursday 19 October, 12.15pm

PLACES OF WELCOME

Every Thursday 10am-12pm the Claris Hall will open as a *Place of Welcome* from 28 September – welcoming people to a place where they can feel safe to connect, belong and contribute. Open to all.

GROUPS

BARNEY'S TODDLER GROUP

Barney's toddler group runs term time, on Monday and Wednesday mornings (9.30-11.00) for mums, dads, grandparents and their little ones.

SENIORS' ACTIVITIES

Keep On Moving classes: Every Tuesday at 2pm

Lunch Thursday 05 October, 1pm

NOTICES

#125 – OPEN CHURCH & ARCHIVES Saturday 30 September

Join us from 2pm for a viewing of some of St Barnabas archives and a chance to hear local historian Jeanne Rathbone speak about Isabella Gilmore, sister of William Morris, who lived on the corner of Elspeth Rd and who reestablished the female diaconate in the C of E.

HARVEST Sunday 01 October

Next Sunday is Harvest Sunday when we will collect in support of Ace of Clubs. The most-needed items list is on the noticeboard.

GLASSDOOR Fundraising

As Glassdoor gears up for this winter's Nightshelter, you can support them through 2 fundraisings: some of our young people are taking part in a sleepout on the 6th October and Rachel (Harden) is doing the London Parks half marathon on the 8th! Thank you to you all! Details on how to donate are on the notice board.

ARTS & FAITH Tuesday 10th October

The Battersea Deanery Synod Open Meeting will see Revd Betsy Blatchley & Friends talking about the work of the Nine Elms Arts Ministry in Battersea. The Ascension Church, Lavender Hill, 7.30pm

AN EVENING WITH ROB PARSONS Weds 08 November

We are welcoming back best selling author and Care for the Family founder Rob Parsons for a night of storytelling and timeless wisdom! Find out more and book tickets at cff.org.uk/robparsons. Speak to Sandrine to receive a discount code.

SAFEGUARDING

If you have concerns about someone being at risk or causing a risk, please speak in confidence to Sandrine, the Parish Safeguarding Officer. A *Safe Church* which details safeguarding procedures is available for reference at the back of the worship area.

GIVING TO CHURCH

Your donations enable everything we do. On Sundays, you will find a collection plate for cash and envelopes as well as a card reader on your way out. Putting your cash donation in a blue envelope will 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 Sosy or Sandrine.



*** PLEASE RECYCLE THIS NEWSHEET. THANK YOU ***

THE BIBLE READING

Exodus 16.2-15 (NRSVA)

²The whole congregation of the Israelites complained against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness. ³The Israelites said to them, 'If only we had died by the hand of the LORD in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the fleshpots and ate our fill of bread; for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger.'

⁴Then the LORD said to Moses, 'I am going to rain bread from heaven for you, and each day the people shall go out and gather enough for that day. In that way I will test them, whether they will follow my instruction or not. ⁵On the sixth day, when they prepare what they bring in, it will be twice as much as they gather on other days.' ⁶So Moses and Aaron said to all the Israelites, 'In the evening you shall know that it was the LORD who brought you out of the land of Egypt, ⁷and in the morning you shall see the glory of the LORD, because he has heard your complaining against the LORD. For what are we, that you complain against us?' ⁸And Moses said, 'When the LORD gives you meat to eat in the evening and your fill of bread in the morning, because the LORD has heard the complaining that you utter against him—what are we? Your complaining is not against us but against the LORD.'

⁹Then Moses said to Aaron, 'Say to the whole congregation of the Israelites, "Draw near to the LORD, for he has heard your complaining."' ¹⁰And as Aaron spoke to the whole congregation of the Israelites, they looked towards the wilderness, and the glory of the LORD appeared in the cloud. ¹¹The LORD spoke to Moses and said, ¹²'I have heard the complaining of the Israelites; say to them, "At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread; then you shall know that I am the LORD your God.'"

¹³In the evening quails came up and covered the camp; and in the morning there was a layer of dew around the camp. ¹⁴When the layer of dew lifted, there on the surface of the wilderness was a fine flaky substance, as fine as frost on the ground. ¹⁵When the Israelites saw it, they said to one another, 'What is it?' For they did not know what it was. Moses said to them, 'It is the bread that the LORD has given you to eat.'

This is the Word of the Lord:

ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD

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BAPTISM

Today we welcome
Henry James Michael Godden
for baptism.



A PRAYER FOR THE BAPTISED

May God, who has given you
the desire to follow Christ,
give you strength to
continue in the way. Amen

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

ST BARNABAS' MISSION ACTION PLAN