



26 SEPTEMBER 2021

TRINITY 17 CREATIONTIDE

09.30 BCP Communion

11.00 Harvest All Age Service

ST BARNABAS CLAPHAM COMMON

CHURCH FOR ALL -INCLUDING YOU

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WORSHIP IN OCTOBER

SUNDAYS

3rd 9.30am Family Service
11am Holy Communion
10th 11am Morning Worship & Baptism
17th 11am Holy Communion & Confirmations
24th 9.30am BCP Communion
11am Morning Worship
31st 11am Holy Communion

MIDWEEK

Taize Prayer & Communion: Oct 13th, 8pm
Daily Prayer: Monday to Thursday, 12pm-1pm

CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE

Film Bible Study: 10th @10am (Yrs 12&13)
Bible Cinema: 10th & 17th @11am (Rec to Yr6)
The Grid: 17th @11am (Yrs 7 to 11)

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.

TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY

Meets on Tuesday afternoons from 1.45pm-3.15pm

THURSDAY FELLOWSHIP

Meets on Thursday afternoons from 2.30pm-4.00pm

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

LECTURES IN THEOLOGY?

St Mellitus college, is offering volunteers the opportunity to sit in on lectures for free in return for serving food on a Tuesday evening. The college is easy to get to, a 15mn walk from West Brompton. Let us know if you would like to find out more.

CONFIRMATION

We are delighted that 5 of our young people, Amelie, Gabby, Sam, Fin and Jeremy have decided to be confirmed following a preparation with Richard.

They will be confirmed on Sunday 17th October with Bishop Richard of Kingston in attendance. We ask for your prayers as they prepare to be confirmed.

GLASSDOOR SLEEPOUT – 1st OCT

The number of people being homeless is constantly rising. This winter, Glass Door is planning to reopen both shelters and individual room accommodation, with wrap-around support to help people move beyond homelessness.

Glass Door annual sleepout 'Give up your bed for a night and help someone find a route out of homelessness' is back for 2021! But if you do not want to give up your bed, please help the St Barnabas Sleepout Team to reach their fundraising goal. They will be spending one night in the streets, sleeping at the Duke of York square next Friday 1st, in what is due to be a rather wet night. The QR code will take you to their fundraising page. Thank you.

<https://glassdoor.enthuse.com/pf/st-barnabas-youth>



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

There are several ways to support and play a part in our Mission, including gift aiding your donations. For full details click on the QR code or speak to a member of staff.



THE BIBLE READINGS

John 12.24-25 & 15.5-8 (THE MESSAGE)

24-25 "Listen carefully: Unless a grain of wheat is buried in the ground, dead to the world, it is never any more than a grain of wheat. But if it is buried, it sprouts and reproduces itself many times over. In the same way, anyone who holds on to life just as it destroys that life. But if you let it go, reckless in your love, you'll have it forever, real and eternal.

5-8 "I am the Vine, you are the branches. When you're joined with me and I with you, the relation intimate and organic, the harvest is sure to be abundant. Separated, you can't produce a thing. Anyone who separates from me is deadwood, gathered up and thrown on the bonfire. But if you make yourselves at home with me and my words are at home in you, you can be sure that whatever you ask will be listened to and acted upon. This is how my Father shows who he is—when you produce grapes, when you mature as my disciples.

This is the word of the Lord:

ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD

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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 Crawford, Marva Braham,
Mrs Reynolds, Dorcas Mattheson,
Mr and Mrs Simpson, Uncle Richard, Mrs Scarlett,
Pat Roodenberg, Esther Ayigbe, Mae Redway,
Jackie Campbell and Rebecca Lawrence.

We continue to pray for the good health of Ruth, Liz's sister, Karen, Tony's daughter and Ronnie, Stephanie's partner. We also pray for Hopey, Myrtle and Marva and Cliff in a time of family bereavement.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Harvest All Age Service

Welcome

Songs Let Everything that has Breath
Water You Turned into Wine
All People That on Earth Do Dwell
Let Everything that has Breath

Harvest Responses

Song Heaven's Voice
during which harvest gifts are gathered

Confession & Absolution

Night Shelter Update Chelsea Purvis

Readings John 12.24-25 & 15.5-8

Sermon Rev Richard Taylor

Intercessions & Lord's Prayer

Notices & Banns

Song 10,000 Reasons

Blessing & Dismissal

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ACE OF CLUBS

Today's Harvest collection will go to Ace of Clubs. Ace of Clubs is a family-like community providing transformative support for homeless, vulnerable and otherwise marginalised people in our area. Last year, from its centre on St Alphonsus Road, Ace of Clubs provided over 38,000 meals, welcomed over 1000 people through the door, helped over 100 people off the streets and into accommodation and supported 36 people into rehabilitation from addiction. Harvest is the key event in the calendar to replenish their stocks. To find out more or to support, you can click on this QR code.



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THE COLLECT

Gracious God,
you call us to fullness of life:
deliver us from unbelief and banish our anxieties
with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord.

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