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08 September 2019

TRINITY 12

09.30am Family Service
11.00am Holy Communion

With Crèche facilities (children must be accompanied by an adult)



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TODAY

09.30am: Family Service
11.00am: Holy Communion
Leading: Rev Richard Taylor
Preaching: Rev Anne Cocking
Stewarding Week: 2 B

SUNDAY 15 SEPTEMBER

11.00am: Morning Worship
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Stewarding Week: 3 C

THE WEEK AHEAD

Daily Prayers, Monday to Thursday, 12.30pm, Church
Mon 09: Barney's Toddler Group, 10am, Claris Hall
Tue 10: Tuesday Bible Study, 2.30pm, Claris Hall
Weds 11: Barney's Toddler Group, 10am, Claris Hall
Thurs 12: Thursday Fellowship, 2.30pm, Claris Hall

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Homegroups: Midweek groups for members of St Barnabas'. Please speak to Susan if you would like more information.

Newcomers Cards: please fill out and return and we will be in touch with you this week.

Prayer Requests: please write requests for prayer in the book for inclusion in Daily Prayers during the week.

Fire Assembly Point: is in the Church car park.

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.

First Aid: coolpacks & emergency items are in the kitchen.

Stewarding: Speak to Yvonne or Sandrine if you would like to help with our services. New helpers are always welcome.

Giving to Church: planned giving envelopes are available. For regular, convenient giving Standing Order, Direct Debit and Gift Aid forms are in the Claris Hall:

+ Bank: CAF + Name: St Barnabas PCC
+ Sort Code: 40-52-40 + Account Number: 00028945

Bring & Share Lunch – Sunday 15 Sep

Although she is staying with us on placement, Susan officially finishes as Parish Assistant on September 1. To say thank you to her for the last two years, we will have a good old Bring and Share lunch after church on Sunday 15th September. Please sign up indicate if you are coming and what you are bringing.

Music

Throughout September, Sarah would love to hear from you if you sing or play an instrument and would like to join in with our Sunday morning worship. She has prepared a sign up sheet; please add your details if you are interested in playing or finding out more.

New website

We are very excited to tell you that we have been working on a new website! We wanted it to reflect St Barnabas, our church and our community and we love the result. The site will go live this week, under the same name – www.stbcc.co.uk. Check it and let us know your thoughts (good and bad!), we hope you'll love it.

Children & Youth Minister (CYM)

We are very much looking forward to meeting and welcoming Sam who will be joining us from October as Children and Youth Minister. Please pray for him as he finishes in his current place and looks to move closer to Battersea. In the meantime, please speak to Richard or Sandrine if you think you could help leading some of our children's groups, from creche to our teens one.

Stewarding

From our welcome, through our refreshment, to helping clear the hall and kitchen after the service, our stewards play a fabulous and essential role to ensure that everything around our Sunday services is welcoming. Additional help would be much appreciated, please speak to Yvonne if you can help.

Foodbank – Summer Items List!

The most needed items currently are pasta sauce jars, orange or black current squash, UHT milk, tinned fruit, rice pudding, custard, tinned potatoes and washing up liquid. The trolley is by the wardens' desk. Thank you!

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COMING UP

Bring & Share Lunch
PCC Meeting
BCP Communion

15 Sep

18 Sep

29 Sep

THE BIBLE READING

Jeremiah 18.1-11 (NRVSA)

18 The word that came to Jeremiah from the LORD: **2** ‘Come, go down to the potter’s house, and there I will let you hear my words.’ **3** So I went down to the potter’s house, and there he was working at his wheel. **4** The vessel he was making of clay was spoiled in the potter’s hand, and he reworked it into another vessel, as seemed good to him.

5 Then the word of the LORD came to me: **6** Can I not do with you, O house of Israel, just as this potter has done? says the LORD. Just like the clay in the potter’s hand, so are you in my hand, O house of Israel. **7** At one moment I may declare concerning a nation or a kingdom, that I will pluck up and break down and destroy it, **8** but if that nation, concerning which I have spoken, turns from its evil, I will change my mind about the disaster that I intended to bring on it. **9** And at another moment I may declare concerning a nation or a kingdom that I will build and plant it, **10** but if it does evil in my sight, not listening to my voice, then I will change my mind about the good that I had intended to do to it. **11** Now, therefore, say to the people of Judah and the inhabitants of Jerusalem: Thus says the LORD: Look, I am a potter shaping evil against you and devising a plan against you. Turn now, all of you from your evil way, and amend your ways and your doings.

This is the word of the Lord:

ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD

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THE GOSPEL READING

Luke 14. 25-32 (NRSVA)

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

ALL: GLORY TO YOU, O LORD

25 Now large crowds were travelling with him; and he turned and said to them, **26** ‘Whoever comes to me and does not hate father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters, yes, and even life itself, cannot be my disciple. **27** Whoever does not carry the cross and follow me cannot be my disciple. **28** For which of you, intending to build a tower, does not first sit down and estimate the cost, to see whether he has enough to complete it? **29** Otherwise, when he has laid a foundation and is not able to finish, all who see it will begin to ridicule him, **30** saying, “This fellow began to build and was not able to finish.” **31** Or what king, going out to wage war against another king, will not sit down first and consider whether he is able with ten thousand to oppose the one who comes against him with twenty thousand? **32** If he cannot, then, while the other is still far away, he sends a delegation and asks for the terms of peace.

This is the Gospel of the Lord:

ALL: PRAISE TO YOU, O CHRIST.

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FOR OUR PRAYERS

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

Vi State, Doris Mortier, Julie Joseph, Alvy Crawford, Vernal and Dorcas Mattheson, Marva Braham, Uncle Richard, Beryl Lynn, Rosel Schmidt, Mr Simpson, Mr and Mrs Scarlett, Pat Roodenberg, Jackey Campbell & Hilary Thompson.

We thank God for Bex Webster’s successful surgery.

We pray for Sylvia Keane (Liz Matthew’s mum) and her family caring for her with Alzheimers.

And on the first anniversary of his death, we remember Mr James Castle and give thanks for his life.

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