



# 07 NOVEMBER 2021

3<sup>rd</sup> BEFORE ADVENT

9.30am Family Service

11.00am Holy Communion

## ST BARNABAS CLAPHAM COMMON

CHURCH FOR ALL - INCLUDING YOU

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### WORSHIP IN NOVEMBER

#### SUNDAY SERVICES

7<sup>th</sup> 9.30am Family Service  
11.00am Holy Communion  
4.30pm Youth Service at St Mark's  
14<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Remembrance Sunday  
21<sup>st</sup> 11.00am Stewardship Sunday  
28<sup>th</sup> 9.30am BCP Communion  
11.00am Morning Worship & Baptism

#### MIDWEEK

**Taize Prayer & Communion:** Nov 10<sup>th</sup>, 8pm  
**Daily Prayer:** Monday to Thursday, 12pm-1pm

#### CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE

**Film Bible Study:** 21<sup>st</sup> @10am (Yrs 12&13)  
**Splash:** 14<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> @11am (Rec to Yr6)  
**The Grid:** 21<sup>st</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> @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

#### OPEN EVENT

***The Environment: the science that every church-goer should know, Mon 8 Nov, 7.30pm by zoom***

Organised by the Diocese and open to all, with the participation of Dr Nicholas Heavens, a research scientist based at the Space Science Institute (USA) to discuss how the Gospel, combined with the gift of science, can help us to make the best decisions for God's world and reflect on our responsibility as Christians for all Creation. Email [ministryandtraining@southwark.anglican.org](mailto:ministryandtraining@southwark.anglican.org) to book a place.

#### CITIZENS UK TRAINING

Following the interest generated from Sarah Lyall's words on Citizens UK's mission, Sarah is offering a one-day training on the core concepts of Community Organising on Nov 27<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested, please speak to Sandrine as soon as possible.

#### REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

Our service of remembrance will be on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> November at 11.00am including as usual, the Last Post and Reveille.

#### STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY

Stewardship Sunday, on Nov 21<sup>st</sup>, is an opportunity for all of us to review our giving to the church. Last year, our combined generosity helped reduce a £30,000 COVID deficit to £10,000. 2021 has improved as the year has gone on but a 3<sup>rd</sup> lockdown, continuing restrictions and rising energy costs have stretched the budget. The Church of England encourages its members to give 5% of their income to their church. In light of this, please reflect on your giving and review your pledge for 2022. Thank you for your support for all that we do.

#### 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 READING Jonah 3.1-5, 10 (NRSVA)

**3** The word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time, saying, <sup>2</sup>‘Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you.’ <sup>3</sup>So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the LORD. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days’ walk across. <sup>4</sup>Jonah began to go into the city, going a day’s walk. And he cried out, ‘Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!’ <sup>5</sup>And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth.

<sup>10</sup>When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

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

We thank you that Rebecca is now home from hospital and that Ruth (Liz’s sister)’s operation went well and continue to pray for their good health and for the good health of Lena and Ronnie (Stephanie’s partner).

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## THE GOSPEL Mark 1.14-20 (NRSVA)

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

**ALL: GLORY TO YOU, O LORD**

<sup>14</sup>Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, <sup>15</sup>and saying, ‘The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news.’

<sup>16</sup>As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the lake—for they were fishermen. <sup>17</sup>And Jesus said to them, ‘Follow me and I will make you fish for people.’ <sup>18</sup>And immediately they left their nets and followed him. <sup>19</sup>As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. <sup>20</sup>Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

This is the Gospel of the Lord:

**ALL: PRAISE TO YOU, O CHRIST**

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### THE COLLECT

God, our refuge and strength,  
bring near the day when wars shall cease  
and poverty and pain shall end,  
that earth may know the peace of heaven  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

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#### 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