



03 APRIL 2022

LENT 5

9.30am Family Service
11.00am Holy Communion

ST BARNABAS CLAPHAM COMMON

CHURCH FOR ALL - INCLUDING YOU

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WORSHIP IN APRIL

SERVICES

- 3rd 9.30am Family Service
11.00am Holy Communion
- 10th **Palm Sunday**
11.00am Morning Worship
- 14th **Maundy Thursday**
2.30pm BCP Communion
6.30pm Meal and Communion
8.00pm Vigil: As Night Falls
- 15th **Good Friday**
10.30am Walk of Witness
2.00pm An Hour at the Cross
- 17th **Easter Sunday**
05.30am Sunrise Service
11.00am Family Communion
- 24th 9.30am BCP Communion
11.00am All Age Worship & Baptism

MIDWEEK

Daily Prayers, Mondays to Thursdays, 12-1pm

GROUPS

BARNEY'S TODDLER GROUP

Meets twice a week on Monday and Wednesday mornings (9.30-11.00) resumes on 20 April.

TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY

Meets on Tuesday from 1.45pm-3.15pm.

THURSDAY FELLOWSHIP

Meets on Thursday 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

GROWING – GOOD' for LENT, Weds, 9 Mar – 6 Apr, 7.30pm-9pm

The *Growing Good* lent course concludes this week with the theme of *Participation*. We are inviting you to this last session, whether you have come before or not, to discuss and reflect creatively on what it means to be a growing church. All welcome.

EASTER EGG TRAIL, Saturday 16 April, 9-12pm

St Barnabas is opening its doors for an open morning on Saturday 16th April with an Easter Egg Trail. Come, bring friends, invite your neighbours - it will be a wonderful opportunity to show the inside and heart of our church and to meet with others. There will be Easter bun, coffee, tea and biscuits. All welcome.

ELECTORAL ROLL & APCM

The APCM (Annual Parochial Church Meeting) and AGM will be held at our 11am service on Sunday 22 May. Our Church Electoral Roll (official list of members) will be revised from 13th April until the 4th of May and the Annual Meeting will be on Sunday 22 May.

EASTER FLYER

Please speak to Ian today if you have some time this week to distribute the Easter flyers through our parish. Thank you.

WANDSWORTH CITIZENS: LIVING WAGE CAMPAIGN

Join the campaign to make Wandsworth a Living Wage Borough. Find out more on Zoom at 6pm on Monday 4 April. See Richard for more.

Safeguarding

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

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 43.16-21 (NRSVA)

¹⁶ Thus says the LORD,
who makes a way in the sea,
a path in the mighty waters,
¹⁷ who brings out chariot and horse,
army and warrior;
they lie down, they cannot rise,
they are extinguished, quenched like a wick:
¹⁸ Do not remember the former things,
or consider the things of old.
¹⁹ I am about to do a new thing;
now it springs forth, do you not perceive it?
I will make a way in the wilderness
and rivers in the desert.
²⁰ The wild animals will honour me,
the jackals and the ostriches;
for I give water in the wilderness,
rivers in the desert,
to give drink to my chosen people,
²¹ the people whom I formed for myself
so that they might declare my praise.

This is the Word of the Lord:

ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD

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PEOPLE FOR OUR PRAYERS

We pray for peace and for all those suffering the effects of war and oppression in ongoing conflicts.

We pray for those unable to attend:

Julie Joseph, Alvy & Staff Crawford, Marva Braham,
Mrs Reynolds, Dorcas Mattheson, Pat Roodenberg,
Mrs Simpson, Mrs Scarlett, Esther Ayigbe, Pearl
Foster, Jackie Campbell and Rebecca Lawrence.

We continue to pray for the health of Lena O'Dwyer,
Myrtle Paynter, Alison Edwards (Fiona's mum) and
Ron Brooks (Monica's dad).

We also thank you for the life of Cecil Simpson and
pray for his family and friends.

THE GOSPEL JOHN 12.1-8 (NRSVA)

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

ALL: GLORY TO YOU, O LORD

12 Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. ² There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. ³ Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. ⁴ But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, ⁵ 'Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?' ⁶ (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) ⁷ Jesus said, 'Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. ⁸ You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me.

This is the Gospel of the Lord:

ALL: PRAISE TO YOU, O CHRIST

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THE COLLECT

Gracious Father,
you gave up your Son
out of love for the world:
lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion,
that we may know eternal peace
through the shedding of our Saviour's blood,
Jesus Christ our Lord. 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