



16 APRIL 2023

EASTER 2

11.00am Holy Communion

With children's activity table and Bible Cinema

ST BARNABAS CLAPHAM COMMON

CHURCH FOR ALL - INCLUDING YOU



ECOCHURCH

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WORSHIP

COMING UP

16 th	11.00 Holy Communion
20 th	12.15pm Taize Communion Service
23 rd	11.00 Morning Worship followed by the AGM
30 th	9.30 BCP Communion 11.00 All Age Morning Service (with eco church litter-pick at 10.00am)
07 th	9.30 Family Service 11.00 Holy Communion
14 th	11.00 Morning Worship

CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE

Family Service	07 May, 9.30am
Bible Cinema	16 Apr, 11am
Splash [Reception to Yr 6]	23 Apr, 11am
Eco Youth [Yrs 7 to 12]	23 Apr, 11am
All Age Morning Worship	30 Apr, 11am

MIDWEEK

Daily Prayers Monday to Thursday, 12- 1.00pm

Taize Communion Thursday 20 Apr, 12.15pm

GROUPS

BARNEY'S TODDLER GROUP

Resuming on Monday 17 April. Monday and Wednesday mornings (9.30-11.00) for mums, dads, grand-parents and their little ones.

SENIORS' ACTIVITIES

Lunches: 20 Apr, 04 May, 18 May at 1pm

Thursday Activities: 27 Apr, 11 May, 25 May at 1pm

Keep on Moving classes: Every Tuesday at 2pm from Tuesday 18 April

NOTICES

OUR CONGRATULATIONS TO IAN

We are delighted to share that Ian has been appointed Vicar of St Peter's, Battersea where he had been serving on an interim basis since last year. Ian will be coming back to St Barnabas on Sunday 30th when we can properly congratulate him with some post service refreshments. Save the date!

ECO CHURCH CELEBRATION: SAT 22 APRIL, 10.00-14.00

A celebration of the progress made across the Diocese and share best practice, with workshops from A Rocha, prayers with +Martin and a free lunch. Sign up via the link on the Eco Church page on our website.

ELECTORAL ROLL AND ANNUAL MEETINGS

Our APCM and AGM (Parochial Church and General Meetings) will be on 23rd April after the service, during which representatives to the Deanery Synod and Church Council will be elected. Copies of the accounts are available today, please see Sosy for a copy.

FUNERAL OF RONALD SANDERSON

The funeral of Ronnie, Stephanie's partner, will be held in St Barnabas on Friday 21 April at 12pm. It will be followed by a committal at 2pm at Mitcham Rd cemetery.

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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 GOSPEL

John 20.19-end (NRSVA)

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

ALL: GLORY TO YOU, O LORD

¹⁹ When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' ²⁰ After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. ²¹ Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' ²² When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³ If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

²⁴ But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵ So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord.' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.'

²⁶ A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' ²⁷ Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.' ²⁸ Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!' ²⁹ Jesus said to him, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.'

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³⁰ Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. ³¹ But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

This is the Gospel of the Lord:

ALL: PRAISE TO YOU, O CHRIST

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PEOPLE FOR OUR PRAYERS

We pray for those members of this church who are unable to attend: Julie Joseph, Marva Braham, Alvy and Hawthorne Crawford, Mrs Reynolds, Dorcas Mattheson, Mrs Simpson, Esther Ayigbe, Pearl Foster, Lena O'Dwyer, Rebecca Lawrence & Hillary Thompson. We continue to pray for the health of Lorna Thomas, Olive Harlequin, Arlene Rowe, Earl Wilson & Nkem Anigbo. And we pray for Stephanie and her children as they prepare for the funeral of Ronnie Sanderson, partner and father, on Friday.

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THE COLLECT

Risen Christ,
for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred:
open the doors of our hearts,
that we may seek the good of others
and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace,
to the praise of God the Father. 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

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