



24 MARCH 2024

PALM SUNDAY

11.00 am Morning Worship & Baptism

With an activity table by the lectern
& SPLASH for children in Recp to Year 6

ST BARNABAS CLAPHAM COMMON

CHURCH FOR ALL - INCLUDING YOU

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WORSHIP

COMING UP

- 24th PALM SUNDAY
11.00 Morning Worship & Baptism
Citizens
- 28th 2.30 BCP Communion
8.00 Online Vigil
- 29th 2.00 An Hour at the Cross
- 31st EASTER SUNDAY
6.15am (tbc) Easter Sunrise Service
10.00am Easter Family Communion
- 7th 11.00 Holy Communion
- 14th 11.00 Morning Worship

CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE

Check the new youth programme for Sunday Groups **Splash** [Rec to Yr6] **Youth** [Yrs 7 to 13] for Sunday mornings and Friday nights. Children and young people are welcome to stay in church during all services. There is an activity table for the younger ones by the lectern.

MIDWEEK

Daily Prayers Monday to Thursday, 12.00- 1.00pm

Taize Communion service: Thursday 18 April, 12.15pm

PLACE OF WELCOME

Thursdays 10am-12pm - where a warm welcome, a hot drink and plenty of chance to chat with others is guaranteed.

GROUPS

BARNEY'S TODDLER GROUP

Barney's toddler group runs term time, on Monday and Wednesday mornings (9.30-11.00) for mums, dads, grandparents and their little ones.

SENIORS' ACTIVITIES

Keep On Moving classes: Tuesdays at 2.15pm

Community Lunch Thursday 18 April, 1pm

NOTICES

SUNDAYS IN LENT

Today marks the last Sunday of our Lent series highlighting our links to the community. After hearing about Glassdoor, Battersea Welcome Refugees, Places of Welcome, families and support groups, today we welcome Claire Arkwright from Citizens.

HOLY WEEK & EASTER DAY

Please check our notice boards for services throughout Holy Week and on Easter Day, including an Hour At the Cross revisiting the stations of the Cross through art and the Easter Sunrise service.

Please note the Easter Communion service start time of 10 am.

ELECTORAL ROLL & PCC

The revision of the electoral roll will commence on 25th March and end on 8th April. You need to be on the electoral roll to vote at the APCM or to become a PCC member (Parish Church Council). Please fill in a yellow form (available by the warden's desk) or speak to Sandrine or Richard for more information. There are also 3 vacant positions on the Deanery Synod.

The Annual Parochial Church Meeting will be on Sunday 28 April.

VACANCY FOR DEANERY SYNOD SECRETARY

The Battersea Deanery Synod is looking for a new secretary. The role involves taking and distributing the minutes of the 2 yearly meetings, and keeping distribution lists up-to-date. Speak to Richard for more information.

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. We can gift aid the donations in the blue envelope. For regular giving, or to fill in a regular giving gift aid form, please visit our giving page or speak to Sosy or Sandrine.



*** PLEASE RECYCLE THIS NEWSHEET. THANK YOU ***

THE READING

Mark 11.1-11 (NRSVA)

11 As they approached Jerusalem and came to Bethphage and Bethany at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two of his disciples, ²saying to them, “Go to the village ahead of you, and just as you enter it, you will find a colt tied there, which no one has ever ridden. Untie it and bring it here. ³If anyone asks you, ‘Why are you doing this?’ say, ‘The Lord needs it and will send it back here shortly.’”

⁴They went and found a colt outside in the street, tied at a doorway. As they untied it, ⁵some people standing there asked, “What are you doing, untying that colt?” ⁶They answered as Jesus had told them to, and the people let them go. ⁷When they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks over it, he sat on it. ⁸Many people spread their cloaks on the road, while others spread branches they had cut in the fields. ⁹Those who went ahead and those who followed shouted,

“Hosanna!”

“Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!”

¹⁰“Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David!”

“Hosanna in the highest heaven!”

¹¹Jesus entered Jerusalem and went into the temple courts. He looked around at everything, but since it was already late, he went out to Bethany with the Twelve.

This is the Word of the Lord:

ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD

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BAPTISM

Today we welcome
Bertie George Grootenhuis
for baptism.



A PRAYER FOR THE BAPTISED

May God,
who has given you the desire to follow
Christ,
give you strength to continue in the way.
Amen

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THE COLLECT

True and humble king,
hailed by the crowd as Messiah:
grant us the faith to know you and love
you,
that we may be found beside you
on the way of the cross,
which is the path of glory. 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