

Bromley Concert Band

Conducted by Martin Gibbs



Presents its annual Charity Concert



Saturday 14th March at 7.30pm

A programme of popular classics and songs from the shows

Bromley Concert Band has been established for over 50 years.
The band present about fifteen concerts a year.
(www.bromleyconcertband.com)

Admission Free

There will be a retiring collection and proceeds from the concert will be used to help disadvantaged people here in Britain through **Christians Against Poverty UK**. CAP is a national debt counselling charity with a network of 92 centres based in local churches.



(www.capuk.org)

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St John's

Church for Eden Park

News & Notices for week commencing Sunday 8th March 2009

A very warm welcome to our services today. Please stay for refreshments after the morning service which will be served on the "old chancel". A hearing aid loop is available in all areas of the church.

Sunday 8th March

- 10.00 am Holy Communion - Dr. David Plummer
Personalities of Holy Week : Caiaphas
(Acts 4: 1 - 18 and John 11: 45 - 57)
- 6.30 pm Celebration Praise - Rev'd Liz Lander
Job : The mystery of suffering revealed

Wednesday 11th March

- 10.45 am Holy Communion - Rev'd Nick Lang

Sunday 15th March

- 10.00 am Morning Worship - Rev'd Nick Lang
Personalities of Holy Week : Nicodemus
(Deuteronomy 1: 16 - 17 and John 7: 31 - 32 & 37 - 52)
- 6.30 pm Holy Communion - Roger Clarke
The God who had to suffer
(Isaiah 53: 1 - 12 and John 12: 20 - 33)

Special prayer for the second Sunday of Lent

*Almighty God,
by the prayer and discipline of Lent
may we enter into the mystery of Christ's sufferings,
and by following in his Way
come to share in his glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen*

Is there something you would like to pray about today? Someone will be available to pray with you in the Chapel after each service.

Monday 9th March

- 8.45 am Parish Prayers
- 10.30 am The LINK – coffee followed by lunch from 12 noon
- 2.30 pm Women's Focus - Primitive Musical Instruments - Christian Strover
- 7.30 pm CYFA
- 8.00 pm Homegroups

Tuesday 10th March

- 10.00 am ARK
- 8.00 pm Homegroups

Wednesday 11th March

- 9.15 am Parish Prayers
- 10.45 am Holy Communion - with a special time of Thanksgiving & Memorial for Donald Pook - Marjorie's brother.
- 10.30 am The LINK – coffee followed by lunch from 12 noon
- 5.30 pm Kingfishers
- 6.30 pm Kestrels

Friday 13th March

- 8.45 am Parish Prayers
- 6.30 pm Friday Club

Saturday 14th March

- 7.30 pm SJ's

Please pray for –

- ◆ *Alice Bedford*
- ◆ *Bessie Relfe (Helen Segal's mother) in hospital recovering from falling and breaking her hip.*
- ◆ *Jacky Kendall (Stan & Florence's daughter) suffering with a corneal ulcer*
- ◆ *Marjorie Pook, following the death of her brother Donald*
- ◆ *Ray Frankland*
- ◆ *Fred Scales*
- ◆ *Baby Charlie Wilkins - and his parents Caroline & Craig*
- ◆ *Christine Kerry - Graham's sister*
- ◆ *Bronwyn - Fi's niece*

Special prayer topics:

- ◆ *Residents of Stone Park Avenue*
- ◆ *Homemakers - those caring for families at home*

FELLOWSHIP LUNCH - It was really great to see so many people at the Fellowship Lunch last Sunday. Following a super meal, we had a great time of fun, discussion, prayer and worship together. A very big THANK YOU to Astra and her team of helpers and all those who had a hand in this event.

CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL - Anyone who worships here regularly and wishes to be a full member of St. John's, is invited to complete an electoral roll application form, available from the Information table. If you are already a member you can check your existing entry in the current roll.

CAN YOU HELP? *Is there anyone who would like to help with the children's group Scramblers and Climbers? It would be on a rota and would probably be every three weeks. We are sometimes having our young helpers working or at other things and could do with another one or two aged 15 - 85 is fine! if you are interested please speak to either Barbara Hunter, Phil or Clari Harrington. Thank you*

Collection for MAF - Our collections for Mission Aviation Fellowship on 1st March raised £580. Thank you for your support.

THE BIG CHURCH DAY OUT - Sunday 24th May starting at 2.30pm at Wiston House, Steyning, West Sussex. A family day including Worship with a number of Praise Bands and individuals, speakers; youth stage; and children's activities. More information on the website: www.thebigchurchdayout.com or speak to Anthony Clayton.

W2W : Ladies' Pampering Evening Friday 20th March (7.00 - 10.00 pm)

Mothers' Day is approaching so why not invite someone special to this event! Treatments can be booked in advance. Please see Anne, Hayley for tickets (£5 – includes ticket/drink & prize draw)



LEARN TO DANCE to traditional Ceilidh and European music
Saturday 21st March : 7.00 - 10.45 pm : here at St. John's
Britain's top Euro-dance teacher Kerry Fletcher will walk and talk you through the dances. Anyone can join in, you don't need a partner. Great live music from Arcadia (www.myspace.com/arcadiadance), and Jigjaw (www.walshaw.plus.com/kerry)

Tickets: Adults £8, Concessions £5 - Tel: Mike or Chris on 8650 3487. Tickets available on the door. Food and refreshments available