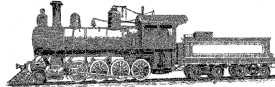


HOLIDAY CLUB 29th - 30th October

Please be praying now as final planning is taking place for the Holiday Club next week. We now have children registered. Please pray for all the Leaders & Helpers and especially for the children who will be coming.

BECKENHAM MODEL RAILWAY SHOW

is being held here at St. John's on Saturday 24th October from 10.00 am - 5.00 pm. Up to 12 fully operational layouts will be on show, together with trade stands and club shop. Admission £3.50 (Under 16's free with paying adult).



FLOWER ARRANGING - We will be having 5 classes this autumn on Thursday evenings from 5.30 - 7.30 pm starting on 15th October. Please speak to Sheila Meakins or Pat Freeman if you are interested.

A HEALING DAY CONFERENCE - A teaching and study day on aspects of Christian Healing Ministry with workshops, fellowship, prayer and worship. Saturday 24th October at St. George's Christian Centre, Ashted from 9.30 am - 4.00 pm. Cost: £12 Please contact Mary Tschiersch on: 020 8677 8680 or Email: mary@prayerplease.fsnet.co.uk

Do you enjoy knitting? Would you like to get together with other "knitters" occasionally. We will be meeting on Wednesday 21st October at 2.00 pm in the Small Hall. If you would like to come along to the group, please speak to Anna Lloyd (8658 3659)

SOME JOBS TO DO Can you help?

We have listed a number of tasks that need doing around the grounds and in the church. These can be done on a 'time to suit' basis. If you think you might be able to help, then please take a look at the list and sign up. You can then come and do the work when it is most convenient for you. Hope you can help!

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St John's

Church for Eden Park

News & Notices for week commencing Sunday 18th October 2009

A very warm welcome to our Services today.

Please stay for refreshments after the morning service which will be available at the top end of the church and also brought around on trays. A hearing aid loop is available in all areas of the church.

Sunday 18th October

10.00 am Morning Worship - Fi Nichols

Church: a power for good in our neighbourhood

Isaiah 61: 1 - 3 and Acts 5: 12 - 16

6.30 pm Holy Communion - Dr. David Plummer

The church in Philadelphia: little strength but strong support

Isaiah 43: 1 - 7 and Revelation 3: 7 - 13

Wednesday 21st October

10.45 am Holy Communion - Canon David Overington

Sunday 25th October

10.00 am Holy Communion - Rev'd Nick Lang

Church: a power for good in our world

Ephesians 6: 1 - 20 and Luke 9: 1 - 6

6.30 pm Evening Worship

Special Prayer for the 18th Sunday after Trinity

*Faithful Lord,
whose steadfast love never ceases
and whose mercies never come to an end:
grant us the grace to trust you
and to receive the gifts of your love,
new every morning,
in 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 the service.

Monday 19th October

- 8.45 am Parish Prayers
- 10.30 am The LINK - coffee followed by lunch from 12 noon
- 2.30 pm Women's Focus - Fire Safety in the Home - Paul Bleach
- 7.30 pm CYFA

Tuesday 20th October

- 10.00 am The Ark

Wednesday 21st October

- 9.15 am Parish Prayers
- 10.30 am The LINK—coffee followed by lunch from 12 noon
- 10.45 am Holy Communion in the Chapel
- 5.30 pm Kingfishers
- 6.30 pm Kestrels

Thursday 22nd October

- 5.30 pm Flower Arranging Group
- 8.00 pm Holiday Club Helpers Meeting - Crèche Room

Friday 23rd October

- 8.45 am Parish Prayers

Saturday 24th October

- 10.00 an - 5.00 pm Beckenham Model Railway Exhibition
(see back page)

Please pray for:-

- ◆ *Nick Lang*
- ◆ *Peter Ogden*
- ◆ *Stan and Florence Elsey*
- ◆ *Norah Nichols and Reg and family as they care for her.*
- ◆ *Chris Clayton and for his wife Sue*
- ◆ *For David & Anne Pharoah (Liz Lander's parents) who are currently in Afghanistan on mission work.*

Mission Prayer meeting

There will be a Mission Prayer meeting this evening at 8.00pm, at Pat & Clive Ellery's - 4 Ernest Close

Special prayer topics:

- ◆ *Residents of Crossways Road*
- ◆ *Homemakers - those caring for families at home*

CRY FOR HELP FROM MSALATO

We have just received news that, due to lack of rain and very poor harvests, the College cannot meet its budget commitments. Students cannot afford fees, staff salaries are not being paid and there is not enough to provide food at a cost of £13 per student per month. St John's has just sent its annual contribution from our Mission Fund but there is still a great need. Please can you help? All contributions will be gratefully received and should be given in to the Church Office by the end of October and clearly marked 'Msalato' Cheques should be made payable to 'CTDT- Msalato' For further information please talk to Maureen Lang or Judith Parry.

Cornerstone: Major Decision

At a special meeting on Thursday 15th October, the Church Council (PCC), decided to set March 2011 as the target for starting to build phase 1 of Cornerstone. Details are being announced in church today and an information leaflet will be given out. Over the next few weeks a lot more information will be published but for now please keep praying as we set out on this great venture of faith together.

BROMLEY WELCARE ANNUAL SERVICE & OPEN DAY

Tuesday 3rd November at Bromley Parish Church, Church Road Bromley. 11.30 am Service of Celebration 12.30 pm Exhibition of the work of Bromley Welcome. For more information, please contact Bromley Welcare on 8466 0399

GT'S DAY - Thursday 5th November

Letters are available to collect from the Information Table, or speak to Diana White.

Coming soon... "SKITTLES NIGHT"

Friday 13th November - 7.30 pm



Playing traditional West Country Skittles - Get your team organised - 4 in a team. Prizes for winning team and also Individual Knockout competition. Sausage Ploughman's provided. £6 per person. Bring your own drinks! Put your names on the list on the Information Table. Tickets available soon! This is a Cornerstone Fundraising Event.