

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH, BROMLEY COMMON

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5th Sunday of Easter

Week commencing 20th April 2008

Welcome to St Augustine's. We hope you enjoy worshipping here this morning. Please don't be a stranger - make yourself known to the Vicar or Welcomers and join us for coffee after the service. Children and young people have their own events during the course of the Service and all are welcome to join in.

Vicar: Reverend Canon Katrina Barnes
(Day Off Saturday)

Youth Minister: Vacant

Pattern of Holy Communion and Mid-Week Services

Holy Communion: 1st and 3rd Evening Service

2nd and 4th Morning Service (10 a.m.)

3rd Sunday (8 a.m.) – Book of Common Prayer

Midweek Services:

9.15 a.m. Prayers (Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday)

11.45 a.m. Holy Communion (Wednesday) (Lunch 1st in month)

TODAY'S SERVICES:

8 a.m. Holy Communion
10 a.m. SAP
6.30 p.m. Holy Communion

NEXT SUNDAY'S SERVICES:

8 a.m. Holy Communion
10 a.m. Holy Communion
6.30 p.m. Shortened Evening Prayer followed by APCM

CHILDREN Club JC – starts at 10 a.m. in the Garden Room offering an exciting and varied range of activities in which young people between the ages of 3 and 14 can become involved, so please feel free to let your children take part. On the third Sunday of each month **Club JC** meets as part of the main Sunday morning service which commences formally at 10 a.m., though there is breakfast available from 9 a.m. in the Barnard Room

MID-WEEK service of Holy Communion – Wednesday at 11.45 a.m.

LUNCH – after the service of Holy Communion on the first Wednesday of every month.

POP-IN-PARLOUR in the Garden Room every Tuesday 10 -12.am EVERYONE WELCOME!

PATHFINDERS – Wednesday evening between 7.15 p.m. and 8.45 p.m. and on Sunday morning at 10 a.m. Contact: The Vicar

PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP – every Wednesday during term time between 10 a.m. and 11.30 a.m. Contact: Viv Emery on 8402 1318.

MATRIX – 14-18, after evening service on Sunday. Contact: The Vicar

PRAYERS – in the Chapel commencing at 9.15 a.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST - first Saturday in the month in the Barnard Room between 8.30 a.m. and 9.30 a.m.

MOTHERS' UNION – varied programme, usually fourth Tuesday in the month. See the noticeboard in the north aisle.

GREGARIANS – second Thursday in the month at 8 p.m. in the Garden Room.

COLLECT FOR TODAY

**Risen Christ,
your wounds declare your love for the
world
and the wonder of your risen life:
give us compassion and courage to risk
ourselves for those we serve, to the glory
of God the Father. Amen**

READINGS FOR TODAY

8 a.m..	1 Pet.2.2-10	(p.230)
	Jn.14.1-14.	(p.105)
10 a.m.	tbc	
6.30 p.m.	Zech.4.1-10	(p.895)
	Lk.2.25-32	(p. 56)

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

(You might like to take a look during the week in readiness for next Sunday)

8.am	1 Pet.3.13-22.	(p.231)
	Jn.14.15-21	(p.105)
10.am	1 Pet.3.13-22.	(p.231)
	Jn.14.15-21	(p.105)
6.30pm.	Hag. 2.1-9	(p.893)
	Jn. 2.18-22	(p. 90)

Ellen Healing

The funeral service will be in church at 11.30.pm
Thursday 24th April followed by a burial at St
Luke's Cemetery.
Family flowers only – donations in Ellen's memory
to St Augustine's Youth work.

PARISH WEEKEND

10th-12th October 2008 at Pilgrim Hill.

It is not too late to book – bursaries are available
Please make this church event a priority in your
diary.

FLORA LONDON MARATHON – 13th April

Andrew managed to finish the Marathon in 3hrs 28mins,
beating his target of 3hrs 30. He says 'never again!'
If you have sponsored Andrew please let him have the
monies due asap
Andrew ran on behalf of the Lord's Taverner's and
To raise funds for our youth work at St. Augustine's
Any 'congratulatory' donations would be welcomed!
A big thank you to everyone who has supported
Andrew in any way.

PATHFINDERS
ARE BACK ON
April 23rd 7.15.pm!!

CHURCH & CHURCH ROOMS TIDY UP

Saturday 26th April from 10am.
Please come and help if you are free

APCM 27TH April at 7 p.m.

Please bring your reports to the church office asap for
inclusion in APCM. Our guest speaker at our APCM will
be Rev. Chris Dench from Rochester Diocesan Ministry
and Training Dept. He will speak to us about the hopes
and expectations of having a curate in training at St
Augustine's for the next 3 to 4 years.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK is coming again. (11-17 May)
Please stand by to help with the house-to-house
collections and High Street collections. We shall need all
the support we can get. Would anyone like to organise a
quiz?? (Advice & questions provided) see Rob Hutchings

Churches Together on Bromley Common
United service for ASCENSION DAY
May 1ST 8 pm. At St Augustine's

PRAYER EVENING

Tuesday 13th May at 8 pm in the Chapel.

St Augustine's Day Family lunch
Sunday May 25th
Scout headquarters.
Adults £7.50. children £2.50
Please see Lynn or Paul Morton
020 8467 3887

DIOCESAN WEEKEND FOR EVERYONE AT DETLING

21st-22nd June. Full details in the Rochester LINK &
Roundabout magazine. If you are going to this event
Please sign the form at the back of church. Go just for
the day on Saturday – camping available. On Sunday
afternoon at 3pm. the ordination of Priests will take place
in the marquee ...a creative venture!

GODLY PLAY – 7TH June

9.30 am to 1 pm in the Garden Room.

*In most religious education children are told who God is.
In Godly Play children discover who God is."*

Godly play is an approach based on Montessori principles
- we respond to the child's request to 'help me do it by
myself.' This puts the teacher in the role of spiritual
supporter or guide who fully accepts that each child has
his or her own relationship with God already.

ALL WELCOME.

JUST A THOUGHT

When we meet someone who frightens or scares us pray,
'May the Christ in me see the Christ in you.'