

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH, BROMLEY COMMON

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PENTECOST

Week commencing 11 May 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. Holy Communion
12 noon Interment of Ashes
6.30 p.m. Evening Prayer

NEXT SUNDAY'S SERVICES:

8 a.m. Holy Communion
10 a.m. Family Service
6.30 p.m. Holy Communion

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

**Holy Spirit, sent by the Father,
ignite in us your holy fire;
strengthen your children with the gift of
faith,
revive your Church with the breath of
love,
and renew the face of the earth,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

READINGS FOR TODAY

8 a.m. Acts 2.1-21 (p.115)
Jn 20.19-23 (p. 112)
10 a.m. Acts 2.1-21 (p.115)
Jn 20.19-23 (p. 112)
6.30 p.m. Ps.67; 133
Joel2.21-32 (p. 862)
Acts 2.14-28 (p.115)

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

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

8 a.m. Is.40.12-17,27-31 (p.678)
Mtt.28.16-20 (p.32)
10 a.m. tbc
6.30 p.m. Is.6.1-8 (p.645)
Jn 16.5-15 (p.107)

We welcome Martin Cavender and his wife Cesca this morning. Martin is leading our Parish Weekend in October.

Prayers for Zimbabwe

'Let justice flow like a river
and righteousness like a never-failing stream'
Amos 5 v.24

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

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.

PRAYER EVENING
Tuesday 13th May at 8 p.m. in the Chapel.

This is **CHRISTIAN AID WEEK**. It is not too late to volunteer for house-to-house and the High Street collections. Please contact Rob Hutchings on 020 8467 8726. We shall need all the help we can get.

Sunday May 25th
St. Augustine's Day Lunch in the
Scout headquarters.
Adults £7.50 Children £2.50
Please see Lynn or Paul Morton
020 8467 3887

Social Committee meeting May 15th at 8 p.m. Lorna Murray's 11 Park Hill, Bromley.

**DIOCESAN WEEKEND FOR EVERYONE
AT DETLING 21st-22nd June**

If you are going to this event you need to book asap

Those attending will need arm bands in order to be admitted onto the site

Full details in the Rochester LINK & Roundabout.
Overnight camping available. Or go as day visitors on Saturday or Sunday. Plus on Sunday at 3 p.m. the ordination of Priests will take place in the marquee ...a creative venture!

GODLY PLAY – 7TH June

9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. 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.

PCC Meeting- May 21st at 8 p.m. in Garden Room

**COME AND JOIN US IN OUR
CAFÉ WORSHIP**

Sunday 25 May 2008

6.30 p.m.

Prayer is powerful Prayer is effective

**WALK THE WALK – UNITING AGAINST BREAST
CANCER – Saturday 17th May.**

Caroline Lewis has been in training to walk 26 miles through London on the night of 17th May to raise money for a number of breast cancer charities. A particular feature of this 'Moonwalk' is that you decorate your bra and walk proudly displaying it on the night! If you would like to sponsor Caroline she has her sponsorship form with her in church this morning and there is a copy on the notice board or you can sponsor her on-line at www.justgiving.com/carolinelewis4. Thank you to everyone who is able to support Caroline in any way.

JUST A THOUGHT

Faith is to believe what we do not see; and the reward of faith is to see what we believe.