

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH, BROMLEY COMMON

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' Vocation & Stewardship & Sunday'

Week commencing 10th May 2009

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: Rev'd Canon Katrina Barnes
(Day Off Saturday)

Curate: Rev'd Kevin Cable
(Day Off Friday)

Youth Worker: Jonny Price
(Day Off Friday)

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)

TODAY'S SERVICES:

8.00 a.m. Holy Communion
10.00 a.m. Holy Communion
6.30 p.m. Evening Prayer

NEXT SUNDAY'S SERVICES:

8.00 a.m. Holy Communion
10.00 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 at 10 a.m.

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 10am -12 noon Delicious home-made cakes to enjoy. EVERYONE WELCOME!

PATHFINDERS – *Wednesday evenings*
7.15 pm - 8.30 pm. and on Sunday mornings at 10 a.m. Contact: Rev Kevin Cable.

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

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

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

**God our Father, Lord of all the world,
through your Son you have called us into the
fellowship**

of your universal Church:

**hear our prayer for your faithful people
that in their vocation and ministry
each may be an instrument of your love,
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.
Amen.**

READINGS FOR TODAY

8 a.m.	Acts 8.26-end	(NT p123)
	John 15.1-8	(NT p106)
10 a.m.	Acts 8.26-end	(NT p123)
	John 15.1-8	(NT p106)
6.30 p.m.	Psalms 96	(OT p562)
	Isaiah 60.1-14	(OT p700)
	Rev 3.1-13	(NT p244)

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

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

8 a.m.	Acts 10.44-end	(NT p126)
	John 15.9-17	(NT p106)
10 a.m.	John 15.9-17	
6.30 p.m.	Rev. 3.14-end	(NT p244)
	Luke 22.24-30	(NT p83)

We welcome JONNY PRICE, our new Youth Worker. Please say 'Hello' to him!

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK 10th – 16th May



Does the thought of doing a house-to-house collection make you feel nervous? Me too! However the money is

much needed in many parts of the world, so please give it a try. **Volunteers are also needed for the High Street collection on Saturday 16th May.** Contact Rob Hutchings 020 8467 8726.

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BROMLEY CHURCHES HOUSING ACTION LATCH PROJECT

warmly invite you to attend on Tuesday 12th May at 8.00 p.m. at Lovell Room, United Reform Church, Widmore Road, Bromley



CHRISTIAN RESOURCES EXHIBITION – let the light shine

Tuesday 12th – Friday 15th May 2009
Experience the best ideas for a *being*, a *doing* and a changing church. Please see notice board for more information.

The Gregarian Society

Thursday 14th May at 8.00 p.m. in the Garden Room.

'Food from Shakespeare's Time'
(with tasters!)

'Belief in Dementia'

Friday 15th May
10.30 a.m. – 4.30 p.m.

at Canterbury Cathedral, Chapter House.
Please see notice on board at back of church.

Job Security in a Global Economy – thinking about your future.

Speaker – Paul Valler

Saturday 16th May at St. Stephen's Church, Tonbridge
9.30 a.m. – 11.30 a.m.

See poster on notice board at back of church.

**MAKE POVERTY HISTORY!
A Waste of Time and Effort?**

Worship, an address, discussion and questions with guest speaker: Ben Niblet.

Sunday 17th May at 6.30 p.m.

Christ Church, Beckenham
Details on notice board

Deanery Synod May 18th at 8.00 p.m. at Keston Church Hall



AFTERNOON TEA & HYMNS

Tuesday 19th May at 2 p.m.
in the Garden Room.

£2 per person

ALL WELCOME

Ascension Day – May 21st at 7.30 p.m. Holy Communion at Holy Trinity, Bromley Common.



Claire & Helen continue to make progress and are feeling better.

ROCHESTER THEOLOGICAL SOCIETY AND ROCHESTER CATHEDRAL

Saturday 23rd May from 9.45 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.
at Diocesan Office, St. Nicholas Church Rochester.
Please see notice board for the Programme.

Club JC/Pathfinder/15+

Leaders meeting May 26th at the Vicarage. 6.30p.m.
Supper followed by committee meeting.

PCC members

**the first meeting of the new council is
Wed 27 May at 8 pm**

I am looking at providing a section within the St. Augustine's website to advise different ways of surviving the credit crunch i.e. recipes / money saving tips/ what to do for free with the family? I would welcome any contributions, either to be e-mailed to me, david.allison.home@ntlworld.com or left in my pigeon hole.

Prayer for those taking exams

Dear Lord,

I thank you that when I pray you always listen to me and hear my prayers. As my exam approaches,

- set me free from fear & give me your peace
- help me to think clearly
- to remember what I've learned
- to use the time well
- to do my best
- and not to worry about the outcome because I know that my future is in your hands.

Amen.

Prayers for the people of Mexico

Sovereign God, the defence of those who trust in you and the strength of those who suffer:

look with mercy on the people of Mexico: bring healing to those infected with the virus, give wisdom and insight to doctors, nurses and health professionals, and bring calm and peace to all within the nation, through our mighty Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.



JUST A THOUGHT

We cannot direct the wind but we can adjust our sails.