

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH, BROMLEY COMMON

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3rd Sunday of Epiphany

Week commencing 24th January 2010

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
Tel: 020 8467 1351 (Day Off Saturday)

Curate: Rev'd Kevin Cable
Tel: 020 8467 2937 (Day Off Friday)

Youth Worker: Jonny Price
Tel: 07837 582057 (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
 4.00 p.m. United Service at St Luke's, Bromley Common

NEXT SUNDAY'S SERVICES:

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

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 10 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.

POP-IN-PARLOUR in the Garden Room every Tuesday 10am -12 noon Delicious home-made cakes to enjoy. EVERYONE WELCOME!

GENESIS – (15 yrs+) Sunday evenings
 7.30 p.m. – 9.00 p.m.
 Contact – Jonny Price 020 8467 0338

PATHFINDERS – (11 yrs -14 yrs) *Wednesday evenings*
 7.00pm - 8.30 pm. and on Sunday mornings at 10 a.m. Contact: Jonny Price 020 8467 0338

PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP – every Wednesday during term time between 10 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.
 Contact: Viv Emery on 01689 861929.

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.

FRIDAY FAITH FELLOWSHIP – alternate Fridays during term-time 10 am- 11.30 am in the Garden Room.
 Contact Sally Morris 020 8466 6005.

COLLECT FOR TODAY

God of all mercy,
 your Son proclaimed good news to the poor,
 release to the captives,
 and freedom to the oppressed:
 anoint us with your Holy Spirit
 and set all your people free
 to praise you in Christ our Lord.
 Amen

READINGS FOR TODAY

8 a.m. 1 Cor 12.12-31a (NT p170)
 Luke 4.14-21 (NT p36)
 10 a.m. 1 Cor 12.12-31a (NT p170)
 Luke 4.14-21 (NT p36)
 4.00 p.m. St Luke's Church, Bromley Common

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

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

8 a.m. Jer. 1.4-10 (OT p708)
 Luke 4.14-30 (NT p58)
 10 a.m. Jer. 1.4-10 (OT p708)
 Luke 4.14-30 (NT p58)
 6.30 p.m. Ps 34
 1 Chron 29.6-19 (OT p397)
 John 4.19-29a (NT p91)

We welcome our guest preacher **Rev. Jeanette Richardson** from Bromley Common Methodist Church.

There will be a united service at St Luke's, Bromley Common **TODAY** at 4pm. **THERE WILL NOT BE AN EVENING SERVICE AT ST AUGUSTINE'S**

Please pray for **Cedric Clancy** who will be moved to St George's, Tooting this weekend for surgery to repair his broken hip on Wednesday 27th January

PCC Meeting 27th January 2010 at 8pm in the Garden Room

Shrove Tuesday 16th February

Chocolate Feast three course meal with chocolate being used in each course. Wine and soft drinks included. Adults £7.00 Children £2.00 6.30 for 7.00 pm

For tickets please contact *Paul or Lynn Morton on 0208 467 3887*



THE ABBEYFIELD BROMLEY CONCERT

In Aid of Abbeyfield Bromley Society

Saturday 6th February 2010
7.30pm

at St. Mary's Church,
College Road Bromley

Details on notice board at back of church.



Nigel and Ann Pope are planning to start a new house group to be held at their house in Hawthorne Road and meeting on alternate Monday evenings. The first meeting is planned for Monday February 22nd at 8pm. If you are interested and would like to find out more, please speak to Nigel or Ann

FREEDOM PASSES All current Freedom Passes will cease to work on 31 March. This process begins on 4 January and the application form is now available online and in Post Offices. It is a new form - which is the same as is used for new applications. The pass is normally renewed every two years to help prevent fraud but the new pass is different in a number of ways:

- your new style pass will be valid for five years
- for additional security, your new pass will include a photograph of you on the card itself rather than on a separate photocard, **so you will need to produce a passport-style photograph of yourself before you apply.**
- your new card will take up to 10 working days to arrive and will be sent to you in the post.

A/B/C/D/E surnames: **4-16 January 2010**

F/G/H/I/J surnames: **18-23 January**

K/L/M/N/O surnames: **25-30 January**

P/Q/R/S/T/U/V/W/X/Y/Z surnames:
1-6 February

If you miss your week, please apply **8-13 February**

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

Parish Weekend 8-10th October 2010

The Rev. John Pantry from Premier Radio will be leading our sessions on the theme:
'Come, now is the time to worship'
Details to follow

Owing to family circumstances and after many years of faithful service, Cliff Reed is stepping down as Sacristan with immediate effect. Eric Hines is also stepping down as Server after many years of faithful service. We are very grateful for all they have done. If you are interested in becoming a server or able to help in the meantime please see Katrina asap.

The Parish of St Augustine's will be prayed for within the Diocesan Cycle on Sunday 14th February 2010 at the sung Evensong in Rochester Cathedral at 3.15pm. If you are interested in going, please let Katrina know.

Is anyone is thinking of purchasing or upgrading their washing machine and not sure what to do with their old one?? As long as it is in working order we may have a home for it!!

Please let Kathy in the office know asap

New Envelopes for Planned Givers.

A new set of planned giving envelopes are available at the back of the church. This is 3 months early as we are aligning with St Augustine's Financial year, which is January to December. Please start using the new envelopes ASAP and throw away your remaining old envelopes.

Lent Groups 2010

If you would like to host or attend a Lent Group this year please sign the form at the back of the church

ADVANCE NOTICE - APCM

If you wish to ATTEND this years Annual Parochial Church Meeting, you will **NEED** to be on the Electoral Roll . Please see Kathy or Katrina for a form.

Children's Society Collection Boxes

Just a reminder; if you have a collection box, please return it asap to **Erica or Tom Manthorpe** or the **Church Office** so that the money can be paid over to the Society.



JUST A THOUGHT



The time is always right to do what is right.