

WORSHIP TODAY & SEVENDAYS



St Barnabas with Christ's Chapel, Dulwich

WORSHIP IN THE PARISH Sunday 10th – Sunday 17th January 2016

Sunday 10th January	Baptism of Christ
8.00am President	Holy Communion (<i>Christ's Chapel</i>) Anthony Buckley
10.00am President Preacher Deacon Intercessor	Parish Communion with Baptism (<i>St Barnabas</i>) Anthony Buckley Ross Gunderson Ross Gunderson Helen Pattison
6.30pm Minister	Evensong (<i>Christ's Chapel</i>) Ross Gunderson

Please note that filming and photography are not permitted during our worship.

WORSHIP IN THE PARISH THIS WEEK:

Morning & Evening Prayer takes place on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 9.00am and 5.00pm in the chapel at St Barnabas. The Church is also open for prayer whenever the Parish Office is open.

Wednesday 13th January

10.30am **Holy Communion (*St Barnabas*)**

Sunday 17th January

8.00am **Baptism of Christ (1st Sunday after Epiphany)**
Holy Communion (*Christ's Chapel*)
10.00am **Parish Eucharist (*St Barnabas*)**
10.30am **Choral Matins – Dulwich College (*Christ's Chapel*)**

The Collect

Eternal Father, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son, anointing him with the Holy Spirit: grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit, that we may be faithful to our calling as your adopted children; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 43: 1-7 read by Diane Taylor

A reading from The Prophet of Isaiah. Let us listen for the Word of the Lord

But now thus says the LORD, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. For I am the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Saviour. I give Egypt as your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you. Because you are precious in my sight, and honoured, and I love you, I give people in return for you, nations in exchange for your life. Do not fear, for I am with you; I will bring your offspring from the east, and from the west I will gather you; I will say to the north, 'Give them up', and to the south, 'Do not withhold; bring my sons from far away and my daughters from the end of the earth – everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made.'

For the word of the Lord Thanks be to God

New Testament Reading Acts 8: 14-17 read by Myah Gordon-Campbell

A reading from The Acts of the Apostles. Let us listen for the Word of the Lord

Now when the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them. The two went down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit (for as yet the Spirit had not come upon any of them; they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus). Then Peter and John* laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

For the Lord Thanks be to God

Gospel Hymn 92 Christ, when for us you were
[baptised]

Gospel Reading Luke 3: 15-17,21-22 read by Hannah Robinson

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke. Glory to you, O Lord

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, 'I baptise you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing-fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing-floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.'

PRAYER MATTERS:

If there is anyone you would like us to pray for in church, or whose anniversary of death you would like remembered, please email or call the parish office, or see one of the clergy. Likewise, if you know of anyone who would appreciate a visit, or Home Communion, please get in touch.

- ♦ **From the Parish Cycle of Prayer:** The residents of Railway Rise, Melbourne Grove, Trossachs Road and Tarbert Road.
- ♦ **In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer:** We Pray for The Anglican Church in Australia and The Most Revd Philip Leslie Freier Archbishop of Melbourne and Primate of Australia.
- ♦ **For the Suffering Church:** We pray for Christians and the Church who live in United Arab Emirates. Here Islam dominates private, public and political life. The law does not recognise conversion from Islam to Christianity, the legal punishment is death. Christians from a Muslim background suffer high levels of persecution from family and society. The government also does not allow any religious education other than Islam. Evangelism is prohibited, but expat Christian can worship in dedicated buildings or private homes.
- ♦ **For those who have asked for our prayers:** We pray for Christ's strength and healing to touch upon all those who suffer, among them: Valerie Austin, the Bailey family, Vera King, John Brothwood, Dennis Corcoran, Christopher Parker, Sheila Riddle, Desmond Warner, Dave Williams, Barbara Smith, for Mary Skinner's family Ruth and Anthony. We hold before God those whose struggles are known to Him alone.
- ♦ **For those who have died:** We pray for all our departed loved ones and thank God for their lives. Among those who have recently died we pray for Phyllis Grover, Olive Pigeon, James Johnston, Barbara Smith and Mary Skinner We pray for those with no one to pray for them, and for those whose year's mind falls at this time.

SEVENDAYS:

Wednesday 13th January

11.15am

Wednesday Fellowship.

Friday 15th January

10.00am

6.15pm

Women's Bible Study with Crèche (*Eileen Francis Library*)

Choir Practice (Adults 7pm)

NOTICES

◆ PECAN'S NEW VENTURE

Pecan have opened a pop-up shop selling beautiful up-cycled furniture and other locally sourced craft items from the shop based in Peckham Square. The shop will trade initially until the beginning of 2016, with profits going to the food bank.

The shop is open from Tuesday, each day, until Saturday, from 10am to 6pm and volunteers are needed to support this project. If you would like to help and could commit to either one morning or afternoon, per week, or could step in at short notice on an ad-hoc basis, please see Sue Boreham in the welcome area after the service for more information or contact Pecan directly by emailing val.freeman@pecan.org.uk. No previous retail experience necessary as training will be given. Thank you for your interest.

◆ PRISONERS OF CONSCIENCE MEETING TODAY AT 11.15 AM

The prisoners of conscience meeting will be taking place to at 11.30 am in the Library after the Parish Communion.

◆ CONFIRMATION AND FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES

From Wednesday 6th January we will be running Confirmation and First Communion classes. There will be Confirmation classes for adults (Wednesdays from 6th January to 3rd February 8-9pm) and for those aged 12-18 (Wednesdays from 6th January to 10th February 6.30-7.30pm). First Communion classes are for those aged 7-11 (Wednesdays 6th January to 10th February 6.30-7.30pm). Please contact the Parish Office for information and/or to sign up for a class or use the ChurchApp.

THINKING AND TALKING STARTS AGAIN ON THE 17TH JANUARY 2016.

The first session of Thinking and Talking for 2016 will be held after morning services next Sunday at 11.30 am in the Eileen Francis Library. Ross Gunderson will introduce an exploration of the relationship of mind and body in the Christian tradition. Everyone is most welcome to attend and join the discussion.

◆ ST. BARNABAS CHURCH AND CHRIST CHAPEL COMMEMORATIVE MUGS

Those of you who bought mugs depicting St Barnabas and Christ Chapel around the Christmas and New year of 2011/2012, and subsequently have now had time to drop them and require replacements, will be able to get further opportunities to purchase these bone china mugs at the unchanged price of £8 each in the forthcoming weeks. Please contact Ian Hunter, 25 Champion Hill, London, SE5 8AL. Telephone 020 7274 5688.

◆ THE BIG QUESTIONS

BBC1's flagship religious, ethical and moral debate programme, hosted by Nicky Campbell, invites you to be part of our audience in London (Peckham) on Sunday 17th January. If you'd like a seat for this live broadcast, please get in touch with Jet on audience@mentorn.tv or 0141 611 9626.

WINE AND WISDOM QUIZ

The quiz in aid of the Children's Society will be held in the Parish Hall on Saturday 5th March. This is always a fun evening and your chance to get the grey cells out of storage. You will also be helping the Children's Society (childrenssociety.or.uk), which supports children in desperate situations. Last year they were in contact with 23,000 children. Tickets cost £10 and there will be a pay br. You can organise a table of 8, or come as an individual, couple or small group and you will be assigned to a table. For tickets or offers to help behind the scenes then please contact Philip Wedmore on 07785736350 or philip@wedmore.net. Act soon as tickets are liable to sell out before the date.

- ◆ **THE WEDNESDAY EVENING HOUSEGROUP THAT TAKES PLACE AT 53 GILKES CRESCENT**
The group will restart on 6th January. There will be 5 sessions taking place, looking at the book of James this term (6th January, 20th January, 3rd February, 24th February and the 9th March). It starts at 8.00pm and ends at about 9.15pm. If anyone is interested in joining the group, please speak to Anthony or Monica Buckley (or email: antmon64@hotmail.com or monica.buckley@hotmail.com)

- ◆ **A TALK BY JOHN LENNOX AT ALLEYN'S ON THE 19TH JANUARY, 2016 AT 7.30PM.**
John Lennox, Professor of Maths at Oxford, is one of the leading figures in the English-Speaking world in the debate about science and faith. He is coming to speak at the Chaplaincy Lecture at 7:30pm on 19th January at Alleyn's. The school is trying to free up some further tickets (the initial release were all taken within a few hours) If you are interested in coming, please email Anthony (Buckley) on chaplain@alleyns.org.uk.

- ◆ **HELP WITH CRÈCHE NEEDED**
The crèche needs someone to take over its running and administration, as well as helping out. The administration would include establishing an archive system for the registers and keeping on track of the current data etc. Running the crèche includes drawing up the rota and programme in conjunction with Angela Batty four times a year, completing details on ChurchApp, keeping an eye on the toy cupboard and supporting the teams each week as required. Please speak to Monica Buckley or contact the parish office if you are interested.

- ◆ **MARY SKINNER'S FUNERAL.**
A Big Thank You to all who contributed to the Funeral , either by bringing food, drinks , helping with the organisation and even the clearing up. It turned out to be a wonderful send off our dearest Mary.

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VISITING ST BARNABAS AND CHRIST'S CHAPEL

The Barnabas Chapel is open for prayer Monday to Friday 10.00am to 3.00pm (when the parish office is open).

Christ's Chapel is open each Tuesday from 1.30 to 3.30pm. Entrance can be gained via Dulwich Picture Gallery, past the Gallery Café.