

CHRIST CHURCH HIGHBURY

June 25 2017 – Second Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to Christ Church

If you are new to Christ Church or need to tell us of any change of address, please fill in a white card from the pew chair pockets and hand it in at the Welcome Desk in the Fellowship Room, where coffee is served after the 11am service.

9.00am HOLY COMMUNION

Leader: Jonathan Brewster

Preacher: Paddy Marsh

Reading: Matthew 10: 24-39

11.00am MORNING WORSHIP WITH BAPTISM

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**If you would prefer to receive non-alcoholic wine, please bring this noticesheet with you to the altar-rail*

6.30pm JAZZ VESPERS

Leader: Jonathan Brewster

PLEASE PRAY FOR – Magda, Alderman Walker, Inez Smith, Stefan Karas, Leroy Gyles, Sylvestre and Florence Price and family, Carmen Binns and Eva Newnham *(Names of people to be prayed for appear for four weeks)*

and also our five Mission Links – Cambodia Action, Church Mission Society in the Middle East, Church Army (UK), Potential Edge (Uganda), and the Delhi Bible Institute.

Prayer Ministry: Members of the team will be in the Prayer Corner after the 11am service to pray with anyone who would value this.

MORNING PRAYER –Monday 9am (except Bank Holidays), Tuesday 9am, Wednesday 10.30am, Thursday 9am.

VISITS - if you would like a visit from one of the visiting team, call the office on 7354 0741.

VESTRY HOUR – Mondays, 5.30-6.30pm, in the Vicarage Basement. Please come to Vestry Hour if you would like to talk to one of the clergy. No appointment required.

You are welcome to take this noticesheet away with you



CHRIST CHURCH news

FLOWERS FOR THE CHURCH: Valerie Brett would like to remind everyone that it is possible each Sunday to donate money for flowers in memorium or to mark any special occasion. Please pass your donation into the parish office or if you would like to send your donation via bank transfer, please call Jules in the office.

Today's flowers have been donated by Sue Stevens in memory of her parents

FAREWELL FOR JONATHAN, SARAH, POPPY AND MILLIE: Jonathan's final service will be held on Sunday 9th July at 11am. We will be celebrating with a bring and share BBQ party after the service from 12.30-14.30. Please do come along (there will be activities for the children). We hope that you will be able to bring a salad or pudding for us all to share. If you can attend, please can you let us know by signing up on the Welcome Desk. There is also a collection for Jon and the family and a book to sign. Please see Jackie Mair at the Nine o'clock service or Janet and Michelle at the Eleven o'clock service or Jules in the office during office hours.

JONATHANS INSTALLATION SERVICE: Jonathan will be installed as Residentiary Canon and Treasurer of St Pauls Cathedral on Sunday 23 July at Choral Evensong, 3.15pm. Everyone is more than welcome to attend. If you would like reserved seating under the dome please contact the Church Office and Jules can supply you with a ticket by email or a printed ticket from the office.

JAZZ VESPERS: Tonight will be Jonathan's last Jazz Vespers service with us, so it would be wonderful to see as many people there as possible to make this an extra special service. There are refreshments from 6pm and the service will start at 6.30pm.

SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUB: There will be a Summer Holiday Club at St Augustine's Church from Monday, July 24 to Friday July 28 for primary school-aged children. On Monday 9.30 - 10.30am for registration; Tuesday - Friday it will run from 9.30 – 12.30pm. Come and join the Guardians of Ancora as we search for the lost story treasures! Bible discovery, quizzes, songs, crafts and games. Free – for more information please email us at info@staugustine.org.uk or phone 020 7354 5515.

NUMBERED GIVING ENVELOPES: For those who use the numbered giving envelopes, the new sets are in the vestry ready for you to collect.

THE SPIRE AND HERITAGE PROJECT: CELEBRATION AND THANK YOU: The Spire and Heritage Steering Committee would like to invite members of the congregation to a special evening to mark both the successful completion of the spire repairs and also the unveiling of the exciting new Highbury Heritage project on a dedicated touchscreen in the church. We want to thank not only the HLF, but also the dozens of local people who have contributed to the project in so many ways - through their time, money, talents and expertise. Please do join us for celebratory drinks on Tuesday, July 4 at 7pm in the church. You will be among the very first people to explore the unexpected delights of the history of Highbury's people and places! To help us establish numbers for catering, please sign up at the Welcome Desk if you are able to be there. And if you can help us in the preparations for the evening or on the day itself, we would be very grateful: please see Evelyn, Janet or Michelle.

MORE NEWS...

WANTED-CHILDRENS HELPERS FOR PARISH WEEKEND AWAY!: We are in search of two people aged over 18 to help with the children's activities during our weekend away at High Leigh 14-16 July. The sessions will be run by a children's worker and you will be there to help supervise and support the children during the day and early evening. Accommodation is included and you will receive a payment of £150 for your endeavours. Please get in touch with Ruth Crease for more information ruthlaw100@hotmail.com

VOLUNTARY TREASURER VACANCY: Do you have the time to become Christ Church Playgroup's Treasurer? We are a small committee who desperately need the support of a local person with accounting knowledge. The job includes BACs transfers (salaries, HMRC, suppliers) as well as financial reporting. We use a payroll company for working out salaries. Christ Church Playgroup is a nurturing pre-school run by qualified Early Years staff. It is managed by a voluntary committee which has the key job of overseeing the running of the Playgroup and setting its future direction. The Treasurer role is vital to the Playgroup's health and growth, and we welcome anyone who feels capable of taking on this community role to get in touch with Jules in the office or ccplaygroupcommittee@gmail.com

ISLINGTON CENTRE FOR REFUGEES AND MIGRANTS – Is celebrating its twentieth anniversary this year. Fundraising has been successful and since the beginning of March the Centre has been able to open for 3 days a week in term time. Since September the Centre has enjoyed the benefit of free space to rehearse at Christ Church. In addition to the teaching of English, advice, support and practical help is given to students. The Centre welcomes the generous donations by the congregation. Tea, coffee, lunch are provided and food supplies are distributed. Non-perishable food such as instant coffee, tea bags, milk (UHT), sugar, rice, pasta, sauces, tinned meat and vegetables, cereals, tins of tuna, tomatoes, beans, cooking oil and toiletries can be brought in to Christ Church on Sundays (clearly marked for the Centre) and either left on the table to the right of the kitchen hatch, or handed to me. All contributions very welcome. www.islingtoncentre.co.uk. Facebook and Twitter (Follow @IslingtonCentre) - Thank you, Christine O'Brien.

HOW TO GIVE - Giving from the congregation is our major source of income - over 70% of the total - and vital to the mission of the church. Thank you to all those who continue to give so generously. If you would like to discuss further please talk to the clergy or Evelyn Thomas, the giving secretary. Leaflets explaining the giving process are available on the welcome desk or go to www.christchurchhighbury.com/giving

NEXT SUNDAY AT CHRIST CHURCH...

July 2nd 2017	9.00am 11.00am 6.30pm	Holy Communion Holy Communion Jazz Vespers
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Notices for this sheet should reach the Church Office by 12 noon on Thursday. Thank you

TIME TO PRAY AND READ ...

Faithful Creator,
whose mercy never fails:
deepen our faithfulness to you
and to your living Word,
Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

MONDAY, June 30	Psalm 44	Judges 2
* For Felix who was baptised here yesterday, for his parents and Godparents		
* For all who work in farming and fishing		
TUESDAY, July 1	Psalm 48	Luke 13:10-21
* For all who were injured in the Finsbury Park attack last week		
* For those in the midst of famine or disaster		
WEDNESDAY, July 2	Psalm 119:57-80	Judges 5
* For us all to welcome and include those who are new to our church		
* For all who work in the criminal justice system		
THURSDAY, July 3	Psalm 57	Judges 6:1-24
* For the people of Portugal as they start to rebuild after the devastating fires		
* For all who provide local services		
FRIDAY, July 4	Psalm 51	Judges 6:25-end
* For those who work in the police force, hospitals and fire service		
* For peace and justice in the world		
SATURDAY, July 5	Psalm 68	Judges 7
* For all those involved in the Brexit negotiations		
* For those whose time is spent caring for others		
SUNDAY, July 6	Psalm 55:1-15; 18-22	Romans 6
* For us all as we come together to worship today		
* For the leaders of the nations		

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