#### **OUR PRAYERS**

In the Anglican Communion we give thanks for the work of the Anglican Church of Malawi in supporting girls, so they can receive an education, rather than find themselves in early marriages.

**In Burundi** we pray that reconciliation may enable an end to violence, so that the country may become a beacon of peace rather than a place of fear and death.

**In our diocese** we pray for safe travel for all those going on holiday this summer, and that care and wisdom may be given to all responsible for carrying passengers on public transport.

**In our parish** we pray for all who live in Sir Henry Parkes Road & Southleigh Avenue and for the residents and staff of St Andrew's House.

In our CTEC Prayer Cycle we give thanks for our partner churches as we work together in a spirit of fellowship and friendship, and we pray for all who will participate in the Prayer Breakfast here on Saturday.

#### Those in need:

In hospital:

All those who are ill / recovering from surgery / awaiting results of recent medical tests / the housebound, of whom we name today:

Valerie Loft, John Montgomery, and Ray and Gay Stopher.

# We commemorate the departed:

### In Annual Remembrance:

Margaret Ireland, Eva Romer and John Bowskill,

O Lord, our palm trees can no longer hide us from the world. Strengthen our hearts that we may look with confidence to the future. from Tahiti

If you would like someone mentioned in the **Weekly Sick List**, please ring lan Leitch on 024 7667 7683. If you would like a name placed on the **Prayer Chain** (which can be confidential), please speak to Christine O'Brien or email her at prayerchstb@gmail.com.



## ST BARBARA'S EARLSDON NINTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY SUNDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2018

8.00 AM HOLY COMMUNION President: Rev'd Charles Higgins

10.00 AM SUNG EUCHARIST President: Very Rev'd James Martin

**HYMNS** 183, 50, 1222, 1419, 1404, 148 Green Books

**SERVICE BOOK** Eucharistic Prayer "G" (p 18, buff)

**CHORAL SETTING** Mathias

**EPISTLE** Ephesians 3:14-*end* Elaine Parnell **GOSPEL** John 6:1-21 Preacher

**SERMON** Very Rev'd James Martin

MINISTER Keith Wright INTERCESSIONS Mark Owen

The young people will withdraw to *Hive*. After the 10am service you are invited to refreshments in the Hall

This morning we welcome **Rev'd Charles Higgins** and **Very Rev'd James Martin**, formerly archdeacon in the Diocese of Matabeleland in Zimbabwe, who are presiding at our Eucharists this morning.

Please note the **Order of Service, Weekly Leaflet and hymns** are available in large print at the back of church each week. We have a loop system in church and you should <u>switch to 'T' position</u> for best reception.

### **Instructions for taking Communion**

Please wait for the sides-person (who gave you your hymn book) to direct you to the altar rail. If you wish to take communion in your seat please let a sides-person or duty warden know, if possible before the service starts.

If you have decided to make our church your spiritual home and would like to introduce yourself to the Vicar, Rev'd Tulo Raistrick, please take a **Yellow Card** from the back of church and hand it to a sidesman or put it in the Vicar's pigeon hole at the back of the church.

## **Collect for the Ninth Sunday after Trinity:**

Almighty God, who sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of your Church: open our hearts to the riches of your grace, that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit in love and joy and peace; 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.

#### DIARY

## Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> August

No *Prayers and Bears* (during school holidays); No midweek Communion:

11.30am House Communion at Belvedere Park (Ian Leitch);

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## Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> August

7.15pm Film Night: Snoopy (U);

# Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> August

9.30am Church Knitting Group (Church); No Choir Practice during August;

# Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> August

8.00am Prayer Breakfast (Chapel);

## Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August

8.00am Holy Communion; President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick; 10.00am Sung Eucharist; President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick;

Readings: Ephesians 4:1-16 Rosa Gilham;

John 6:24-35 Preacher;

Sermon: Ed Manning;

Intercessions: Margaret Cuttler;

**The CTEC Prayer Breakfast** on Saturday, 4<sup>th</sup> August at 8am will be HERE. If you can help prepare the breakfast, please speak with Marjorie Leitch, otherwise just come at 8am.

**Many thanks** to our young people (and to the *Hive* leaders) for so ably leading our All Age Worship last Sunday. Well done!

**Our Sports Day and Barbecue** last Sunday were enjoyed by all who participated. Many thanks to our chef, Craig McGrory, to Andrea & Richard French who bought all the food, to the "sports" organisers and to all who worked in the kitchen. It was a good day, and your efforts were appreciated by all.

**To contact the Vicar, Rev'd Tulo Raistrick**, please phone 024 7501 7889 (preferably not Mondays) or email tulo@raistricks.com

#### **NOTICES**

**Data Protection:** In May new regulations giving greater protection to personal data came into force. The Church is required to have your written consent before it can hold the basic information about you required to send you the details you need to take part in the life of the church. Consent forms have been distributed, and more are available at the back of church. Please read it, sign it and place it in the box at the back of the church. Full details about why your data is needed, the person to consult if you have any concerns and your right to withdraw consent at any time are given in a Privacy Notice. Copies are available in church, or you may ask for a personal copy to be sent to you. If you want to talk before signing the consent form, please contact Andrea French or lan Leitch.

**Carriers of Hope** send thanks for the generous donations of goods that you make each week. However, <u>no more clothes are required</u> until September at the very earliest. Items always in demand include Household goods, towels bedding, new rugs, cleaning products, dry food, toiletries, female sanitary protection, nappies and baby equipment.

The Diocesan Prayer Diary for August is in the lobby. Please take a copy this morning for your daily use.

**Fancy a Strawberry Tea?** Then drop in at St Mary Magdalen Church at 3pm on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> August for a strawberry tea at £3 per person. All members of CTEC churches are warmly invited.

Curry and Comedian: To celebrate the Diocesan Centenary, our deanery has planned a Curry Night with Christian comedian Andy Kind at the Village Hotel (CV4 9GZ) from 7pm on Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> October. The menu is: Main Course: Chicken Curry & Naan Bread - OR - Vegetable Lasagne Desert: Chocolate Fudge Cake with Chocolate source

- OR -Crème Caramel with whipped cream and strawberry. The cost will be £18 per head. Places are limited, but you can book now by sending an e-mail to CSKchurches@gmail.com. When you book, please indicate your choice of main course and desert. Further publicity material will be produced later - including physical tickets. This should be a good time for church to come together and enjoy ourselves. But this should also be seen as an opportunity to invite people who wouldn't normally go to church events.

**Information for inclusion** in the WL should be sent in writing to lan Leitch (email: ianleitch094@btinternet.com or 94, Earlsdon Avenue South) before the copy deadline of 6pm on Wednesday.