OUR PRAYERS

In the Anglican Communion we pray for those forcibly displaced by climate change, that they may find a sense of home wherever they are.

We pray for the **European Council** meeting later this week. Guide the leaders who will meet there, and give them a generous concern for the good of all people.

In our diocese at the start of National Adoption Week we give thanks for all those who are adoptive parents, and we pray for the 3,000 children in England who are currently waiting for the right adoptive parents.

In our parish we pray for all members of the congregation who live outside the parish and their communities and for the residents and staff of Belvedere Park Nursing Home.

In our CTEC Prayer Cycle we pray for the members of All Souls' Church, for their priest, Father Paul Burch, and for their deacon, Paul Rabvukwa.

Those in need:

In hospital:

We pray for all in our church family who are ill or housebound, recovering from surgery or awaiting results of recent medical tests.

We commemorate the departed: David Welford and Diana Thomas

In Annual Remembrance:

Margaret Pavitt, Masie Elvin, Alice Arnold, Mabel Broadberry, Andre Coates, Thomas Cooper, Leslie Harris, Raymond Westwood, John Stott and Dave Wild.

You must treat the earth well. It was not given to you by your parents. It is loaned to you by your children.

Kenyan proverb

If you would like someone mentioned in the **Weekly Sick List**, please email lan Leitch on ianleitch094@btinternet.com. 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 SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY SUNDAY 13TH OCTOBER 2019 HARVEST FESTIVAL

8.00 AM HOLY COMMUNION President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick SERVICE BOOK Ordinary Time – (8am) Service D (p 31, green)

10.00 AM ALL AGE COMMUNION President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick

HYMNS 645, 664, screen, 32 Green Hymn Books

SERVICE BOOK Special Service Booklet

OLD TESTAMENT Psalm 67

GOSPEL Matthew 25:31-46 SERMON Rev'd Tulo Raistrick

INTERCESSIONS T.B.A.

We welcome **Ian Burton of Christians Against Poverty** to our service.

After the 10am service you are invited to refreshments in the Hall and to the auction of fresh food for Christians Against Poverty. Non-perishable Harvest gifts will be sent to the Foodbank.

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.

6.30 PM CHURCH PRAYER MEETING

Lady Chapel

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 Harvest:

Eternal God, You crown the year with your goodness and you give us the fruits of the earth in their season. Grant that we may use them to your glory, for the relief of those in need and for our own well-being, 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

Tuesday 15th October

7.30pm Property Committee (office);

Wednesday 16th October

9.30am Prayers and Bears, WellSpring, (doors open 8.45am);

11.30am Holy Communion; President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick;

2.15pm Wednesday Fellowship; Annual General Meeting; WellSpring, Earlsdon Methodist Church.

Thursday 17th October

9.30am Earlsdon Primary School Harvest Service;

Friday 18th October

9.30am Busy Bees @ St B's; aka the Knitting and Creatives; 7.00pm Choir Practice;

Sunday 20th October

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

Readings: 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5 Sofia Matthews
Luke 18:1 - 8 Preacher

Sermon: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick; Intercessions: Bernardo Cañas;

On behalf of the Nightingale family, I would like to thank you all for your many words of comfort on the death of Jeff and the superb attendance at his Thanksgiving Service. Donations raised in his memory total £600 for Send a Cow and £562.70 for Myton Hospice. Thank you again, Jean

Christmas Fayre - Saturday 30th November: Please put the date in your diary to join us for the St Barbara's Christmas Fayre! If you would like to find out more or to volunteer on the day, please speak to Kate McGrory, call on 07791591625 or email craigandkate@hotmail.co.uk

Dates for your diary:

Sat 16th Nov at 6.30pm – **Big Quiz Night**, with fish-and-chip supper.

Tickets at £4.50 per person are available from Ian Leitch.
Sat 30th Nov from 10am to 2pm – **St Barbara's Christmas Fayre**.
Sat 7th Dec at 3pm – **Poems and Pies** in the vicarage.

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

NOTICES

GDPR: Data protection regulations do not permit us to hold any personal information about you without your expressed permission. This includes basic contact information such as address, phone number or email address. We should not even send you a copy of this W/L without your prior consent. Many members of our regular congregation have not yet given their consent. We feel certain that this is an accidental oversight, but ask you to sign a GDPR Member Consent Form as soon as possible. If you are in any doubt, please speak with Andrea French, Ian Leitch or Keith Wright, who will check whether you have already signed and, if necessary, provide you with a form.

Diocesan Courses: Four courses from the diocese starting soon will be held in Coventry and Leamington Spa.

- a. God's Mission and the Old Testament: In this course we seek out the God of mission by looking at how the five marks of mission have their roots in the theology of the Old Testament. The course is on Monday evenings from 7pm to 9:30pm from 4th Nov until 2nd Dec. at the Old Blue Coat School, Trinity St., CV1 1FL.
- b. Discovering and Using Our Spiritual Gifts: This course seeks to provide you with an understanding of Spiritual Gifts and what they are for. The course is on Tuesday evenings from, 7pm to 9:30pm from 5th November until 3rd December at St Margaret's, School Lane, Hunningham, Leamington Spa.
- c. Digital Issues Facing Christians Today: This course aims to help people to explore the value and challenges of technology for Christians in a digital age. The course is on Wednesday evenings from 7pm to 9:30pm on 6th November to 4th December in St. Mark's Church, Leamington Spa, CV32 6DL
- d. Leading Worship Services: This is aimed at anyone who is involved in leading any aspects of the worship services in their churches, from how to structure a service to leading prayers and music. The course is on Thursday evenings from 7pm to 9:30pm from 14th Nov until 12th Dec at St Margaret's, School Lane, Hunningham, Leamington Spa

You can find details of these and other courses run by the diocese are at www.dioceseofcoventry.org/BCDM/modules

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.

St Barbara's Church PCC has the Registered Charity Number: 1185293.