

## OUR PRAYERS

**In the Anglican Communion** we give thanks for the Church in Malawi as it creates farmers' clubs to train households in "smart farming" and increase resilience to extreme weather conditions.

We hold to you **all refugees** who are fleeing for their lives. We thank You for opening the hearts of many to them, that the desperate may find new hope, and lives torn apart be restored.

**In our diocese** we pray for all those working for the eradication of poverty throughout the world and for those who promote awareness of the need to eradicate poverty and destitution. We pray for those who live in poverty.

**In our parish** we pray for all who live in Ainsbury Road & Albany Road and for the residents and staff of Elsie Jones House.

**In our CTEC Prayer Cycle** we pray for the members of Earlsdon Methodist Church and their minister, Rev'd Doreen Koffie-Williams.

### 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:

Maureen Shankster, Dorothy Hope, Ben Spriggs,  
John Montgomery, and Gay Stopher.

**We commemorate the departed:** Diana Thomas and Don Driver

### In Annual Remembrance:

Edmund Green

*All that God is, and all that God has, is at the disposal of prayer.*

*Prayer can do anything that God can do,*

*and as God can do everything, prayer is omnipotent.*

*R.A. Torrey*

If you would like someone mentioned in the **Weekly Sick List**, please email Ian Leitch on [ianleitch094@btinternet.com](mailto: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](mailto:prayerchstb@gmail.com).



## ST BARBARA'S EARLSDON EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY SUNDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2019

**8.00 AM HOLY COMMUNION**

**President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick**

**10.00 AM SUNG EUCHARIST**

**President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick**

### HYMNS

142R, 227R, 166R, 804G, 865G, 892G

Red and Green Hymn Books

### SERVICE BOOK

Ordinary Time – Service B (p 12, blue)

### CHORAL SETTING

Mathias

### EPISTLE

2 Timothy 3:14 – 4:5

Sofia Matthews

### GOSPEL

Luke 18:1 - 8

Preacher

### SERMON

Rev'd Tulo Raistrick

### INTERCESSIONS

Bernardo Cañas

The young people will withdraw to *Hive*.

After the 10am service you are invited to refreshments in the Hall.

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 switch to 'T' position 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 Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity:

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us your gift of faith that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to that which is before, we may run the way of your commandments and win the crown of everlasting joy; 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 23<sup>rd</sup> October

No *Prayers and Bears* (half-term holiday);

No Midweek Communion;

11.00am Service at St Andrew's House (David Butler);

### Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October

9.30am *Busy Bees @ St B's*; aka the Knitting and Creatives;

7.00pm Choir Practice;

### Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October

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

10.00am Parish Communion; President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick;

Readings: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18 Peter Raistrick;

Luke 18:9 - 14 Preacher

Sermon: David Butler; Intercessions: Victoria Mason;

5.00pm *Buzz @ StBs*; Minister: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick;

A short service for young families with stories, crafts, drama and songs, followed by tea.

**Many thanks** to everyone who brought for your Harvest gifts last week. The auction of fresh produce raised £131, to support Christians Against Poverty, as CTEC considers how best to collaborate with them. The imperishable foods will be collected to the Coventry Foodbank, for which they are very grateful.

**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

**Messy Church** will take place at Central Hall, Coventry on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> October from 10 am – 12 noon and Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October from 10 am – 12 noon. It is free and there is no need to book. All children must be accompanied by a responsible adult. For more information contact John at jr9245@gmail.com, or Tel: 02477112251.

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

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

## NOTICES

**Don Driver:** It is with great sadness that we announce the death of Don Driver. Don died in the early hours of Monday morning. He became unwell during Sunday afternoon, went into hospital and died that night. Don has been an active member of St Barbara's for very many years, and was so well loved by so many. He will be greatly missed. Don's funeral will be in church at 10.30am on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> November. Please hold Andrea and the family in your prayers. May Don rest in peace and rise in glory.

**Service of Commemoration and Thanksgiving:** On Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November at 3.00pm we will be holding our annual service where we remember loved ones who have died. If you would like the name of a loved one to be read out during the service, please print their name on the list at the back of church.

**The Big Quiz Night** is 16<sup>th</sup> November and will be shared by hundreds of churches and thousands of people up and down the country all joining in the biggest multi-venue, nationwide quiz ever. Organised by Tearfund to raise money to fight poverty, you can get together with family and friends for an evening of fun. At St Barbara's we start at 6.30pm and the evening includes a fish-and-chip supper (with four other options available). Tickets at £4.50 per person (including supper) are available from Ian Leitch and Jo Johanson. Why not come and help transform the lives of people living in poverty – or better still, why not bring a team with you? See you there.

**Mary Dale,** a long-standing member of our congregation, has moved south to be closer to her son in Reading. We send her our best wishes.

**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.

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