

Welcome to St. Nicholas' Church, Blundellsands

Sunday 13th January 2019

Services::

8.30am: Eucharist
10.30am: Eucharist. Tea and coffee served at the back of church afterwards.
5pm: Toddler church

Readers:

8.30am Steve Bailey
10.30am Mike Birch

Prayers:

8.30am Clergy
10.30am Jennifer Levick

Hymns:

Morning has broken
150 Do not be afraid
658 There is a redeemer
487 Oft in danger, oft in woe

The week ahead:

Mon 14th Jan:

2.30pm: Heritage meeting
7.30pm: Shared Ministry Team

Tues 15th Jan:

10am-12noon: Heritage Tours and tea
8pm: New Start course begins, anyone can come to this at the vicarage.

Wed 16th Jan:

9am: Church open
10.15am: Eucharist in the church hall
11.30am: L23 clergy meet

Wed 16th Jan cont:

5.15pm: Churches together meet

Thurs 17th Jan:

9am: Morning prayer
11.30am-1.30pm: Kind Hearts café (side room off church hall)
1.30-2.30pm and 7.30-8.30pm: Heritage recruitment event in the church hall

**Christian Unity begins and concludes with joint service at St. Josephs RC Church at 10.30am on the 27th Jan where Ravi will preach. However we also have Revd Amanda Bruce preaching at St. Nicholas, the Capernwray team here and Janet preaching at St. Michaels.*

Following week:

Wed 23rd Jan:

9am: Church open
10.15am: Eucharist in the church hall
6pm: Church @ school

Thurs 24th Jan:

9am: Morning prayer
11.30am-1.30pm: Kind Hearts café (side room off church hall)
1.30-3pm: Heritage tours and tea

Fri 25th – Sun 27th Jan:

Capernwray visit
Sat 26th Jan:
9am-12noon: Men's working party
2pm: Walking group meet at church for local walk

Please remember the following in your prayers: Amy Flowerdew, Daisy Hennessey, Bethan, Ben Blanchflower, Stephanie Cater, William Dobie, Baby Mason, Annie Kilroy, Vicky Gaunt, Lynn Peers Shaw, Peter Curran, Shirley Fairclough, Pat Gadd and Micaela McLaughlin. Bereaved families of John MacPhie and the Gorman family. **If you would like us to pray for someone, please put their name in the prayer book (next to the Prayer Tree) at the back of church.**

Altar Linen

We urgently need someone to wash and iron the communion tablecloths. Sam Rooney has done this job for a number of years, alongside a number of other jobs. We'd like to say a big thank you to Sam for this. Would anyone be willing to take this job on?

Julie Molyneux

Over £200 in donations was given in memory of Julie and the same amount to the Alzheimers Society. Thank you very much to the family for this donation.

Urgent Foodbank Appeal

Following an extremely busy Christmas, some of the local Foodbanks actually ran out of food, having provided for over 100 families in the days leading up to the festive season. Stocks are now desperately needing to be replenished with ANY food that you can donate. There is a comprehensive list at the back of church, but basic items such as soup (especially cup a soups), tinned meals, rice, pasta, tinned pies, tinned veg, potatoes etc. are very welcome. Please ensure that all food is in good packaging and within at least 3-6 months of its expiry date. Thank you so much.

Thank you

Stephen and Rose Green would like to thank everybody for the kind donation they were given, for what they did with regards to the heating repairs. It was very much appreciated.

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Sanctuary at Seven

A new short Service of Holy Communion in St. Barnabas Chapel in Church called Sanctuary at Seven will begin on 30th Jan. We will listen to the readings of the day, a short piece of music for reflection and then share in The Eucharist. All very welcome. Wednesdays at 7pm on 30th January, 27th February, 27th March, 10th April, 15th May, 12th June, 10th July.

Forthcoming dates

17th Jan 1.30-2.30pm and 7.30-8.30pm: Heritage volunteers recruitment event, see poster at back of church / Facebook

18th – 25th Jan: Week of prayer for Christian unity

23rd Jan 6pm: Church @ School (please note NOT the 16th as per previous bulletin).

25th – 27th Jan: Visit of four Capernwray students in preparation for their visit for ten days at the end of next month. Can anyone offer accommodation?

26th Jan 9am – 12noon: Men's Working Party

2pm: Walking group meet at church – open to all, children and dogs

30th Jan 7pm: Sanctuary at Seven in St Barnabas Chapel in church.

9th Feb at 9am: Pastoral Care Training at All Saints and St Frydeswides for all who visit on behalf of St. Nicholas' or anyone who would like to. Ask Janet for details.

2nd March: Quiz night

19th May at 3pm: Confirmation service, anyone who would like to be confirmed please speak to Janet or Ravi.