

**SAINT MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS
BARNES
CHURCH OF ENGLAND**



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**Sunday 10th October 2021 - Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity
(Charities Sunday)**



SERVICES AND EVENTS THIS WEEK

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| Sunday 10th October | 8.00am | Low Mass |
| | 9.00am | Morning Prayer |
| | 10.00am | Sung Mass <i>followed by coffee</i> |
| | 11.30am | Children's Mass |
| | 6.00pm | Evening Prayer |
| Monday 11th October | 9.00am | Morning Prayer (<i>S. Ethelburga</i>) |
| Tuesday 12th October | 9.00am | Morning Prayer |
| Wednesday 13th October | 9.00am | Morning Prayer (<i>S. Edward Confessor</i>) |
| | 12 noon | Angelus and Mass |
| Thursday 14th October | 9.00am | Morning Prayer |
| Saturday 16th October | 9.00am | Morning Prayer |
| | 9.30am | Mass <i>followed by coffee</i> |

PEOPLE, READINGS AND MUSIC THIS SUNDAY

8.00am LOW MASS

Celebrant and Preacher: Mthr Judith Roberts, *Assistant Priest*

10.00am SUNG MASS

Celebrant and Preacher: Fr Stephen Stavrou, *Vicar*

Mass Setting: Mass of the Redeemer, *Martin Neary*

Stewards: Frances Tarr & Lizzie Hackett-Brown

Old Testament Reading: Amos 5.6-7, 10-15 *Read by Frederick Appleby*

New Testament Reading: Hebrews 4.12-end *Read by Charlie Law*

Gospel: Mark 10.17-31

Intercessor: Asha Pandit

Voluntary Fanfare by *William Mathias (played by Ben Law)*

11.30am CHILDREN'S MASS

Celebrant and Preacher: Fr Stephen Stavrou, *Vicar*

Stewards: Gemma Curran and Maire Flynn

Server: Freddie Duncan

Musician: Coralie Day

6.00pm EVENSONG (said)

Officiant: Fr Stephen Stavrou, *Vicar*

PRAYERS

Collect of the Day

O God, forasmuch as without you we are not able to please you; mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Please remember in your prayers: Our church charities: Richmond Borough Mind and Jeel al Amal school.

The sick: Anne Gretton, Alex Finn, Dawn Dyerson Sadie Ward and Clare Catford

Recently Departed: Gwendoline Page and Louis

Anniversary of death: Nick Phillips, Nicholas Parsons and Daniel Sherwin

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

(351)

Come, ye faithful, raise the anthem,
cleave the skies with shouts of praise;
sing to him who found the ransom,
Ancient of eternal days,
God of God, the Word incarnate,
whom the heaven of heaven obeys.

Ere he raised the lofty mountains,
formed of the seas, or built the sky,
love eternal, free and boundless,
moved the Lord of life to die,
foreordained the Prince of princes
for the throne of Calvary.

Now on these eternal mountains,
Stands the sapphire throne, all bright,
With the ceaseless alleluyas
Which they raise, the sons of light;
Sion's people tell his praises,
Victor after hard-won fight.

Bring your harps, and bring your incense,
sweep the string and pour the lay;
let the earth proclaim his wonders,
King of that celestial day;
he the lamb once slain is worthy,
who was dead, and lives for ay.

Laud and honour to the Father,
laud and honour to the Son,
laud and honour to the Spirit,
ever Three and ever One,
consubstantial, co-eternal,
while unending ages run.

GRADUAL PSALM

(Psalm 8)

¹ O Lord our Governor, how excellent is thy Name in all the world : thou that hast set thy glory above the heavens!

2 Out of the mouth of very babes and sucklings hast thou ordained strength, because of thine enemies : that thou mightest still the enemy and the avenger.

3 For I will consider thy heavens, even the works of thy fingers : the moon and the stars, which thou hast ordained.

4 What is man, that thou art mindful of him : and the son of man, that thou visitest him?

5 Thou madest him lower than the angels : to crown him with glory and worship.

6 Thou makest him to have dominion of the works of thy hands : and thou hast put all things in subjection under his feet;

7 All sheep and oxen : yea, and the beasts of the field;

8 The fowls of the air, and the fishes of the sea : and whatsoever walketh through the paths of the seas.

9 O Lord our Governor : how excellent is thy Name in all the world!

Glory be ...

OFFERTORY HYMN

(466)

Thou, whose almighty word
chaos and darkness heard,
and took their flight;
hear us, we humbly pray,
and, where the Gospel day
sheds not its glorious ray,
let there be light!

Thou who didst come to bring
on thy redeeming wing
healing and sight,
heal to the sick in mind,
sight to the in-ly blind,
now to all humankind,
let there be light!

Spirit of truth and love,
life-giving holy Dove,
speed forth thy flight!
Move on the waters' face
bearing the gifts of grace,
and, in earth's darkest place,
let there be light!

Holy and blessèd Three,
glorious Trinity,
Wisdom, Love, Might;
boundless as ocean's tide,
rolling in fullest pride,
through the world far and wide,
let there be light!

COMMUNION HYMN

(353)

Dear Lord and Father of mankind,
forgive our foolish ways:
re-clothe us in our rightful mind;
in purer lives thy service find,
in deeper reverence praise.

In simple trust like theirs who heard,
beside the Syrian sea,
the gracious calling of the Lord
let us, like them, obey his word:
‘Rise up and follow me.

Drop thy still dews of quietness,
till all our strivings cease;
take from our souls the strain and stress,
and let our ordered lives confess
the beauty of thy peace.

Breathe through the heats of our desire
thy coolness and thy balm;
let sense be dumb, let flesh retire,
speak through the earthquake, wind and fire,
O still small voice of calm!

COMMUNION ANTHEM
Beati quorum via - *C V Stanford*

Beati quorum via integra est
qui ambulant in lege Domini. Amen.

Blessed are they whose road is straight
who walk in the law of the Lord. Amen.

FINAL HYMN
(357)

**Father, hear the prayer we offer:
not for ease that prayer shall be,
but for strength, that we may ever
live our lives courageously.**

**Not for ever in green pastures
do we ask our way to be;
but the steep and rugged pathway
may we tread rejoicingly.**

**Not forever by still waters
would we idly rest and stay;
but would smite the living fountains
from the rocks along our way.**

**Be our strength in hours of weakness,
in our wanderings be our Guide;
through endeavour, failure, danger,
Saviour, be thou at our side.**

NOTICES

WELCOME to representatives of Richmond Borough Mind who will be telling us about the work of the charity today. Richmond Borough Mind is our local charity of the year, alongside Jeel al Amal school in Bethany as our international charity. Thank you to those who have contributed to the display at the back of church.



CHARITABLE GIVING Each year St Michael's models Christian giving by giving 5% of its donated income to charities nominated and chosen at the Annual Church Meeting. However, today there is also a special collection for Mind. You are welcome to donate via the bowl near the display and flower arrangement at the back of church, or during the week via the wall safe next to it. Alternatively, if you wish to give electronically please make a transfer to the church bank account with the reference 'MIND' and we will pass it on.

CHARITY GROUP St Michael's has a small charity group that supports and highlights our charitable work. Mother Judith has been Chair of the group, working with Jean King, Stephen Beard and Charlie Law as a PCC Representative (until he stepped down at the last APCM) Jean King is now taking over the chairing of the group and we are looking for a couple more members. We need passionate and thoughtful people interested in increasing our engagement with our charities and reflection on the issues they represent - could you help?

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC TO RETIRE. A few weeks ago we announced that our Director of Music and Organist, Martin Neary, is to retire at the end of January 2022. We will be very sorry to see him go but look forward to giving thanks for his musical ministry among us. The PCC has begun the process of reflecting on our vision for music at Saint Michael's over the next few years, and will be working on an appointment process reflecting those aims.

WINES FOR CHRISTMAS. Join us for a relaxed, fun evening wine tasting with Michael Stobbs of Latimer Vintners in Barnes on Saturday 13th November at 7pm in the Community Centre. Tickets £20 each. Tickets available from events@stmichaelbarnes.org or in person from the Parish Office.

SAINT MICHAEL'S CHRISTMAS CARDS are available from the Parish Office during opening hours, but will also be on sale at some services after Mass. This year there are two designs. £1 for 1 card, £5 for 6, £10 for 15.