

OUR PRAYERS

In the Anglican Communion we pray for the survivors of the Grenfell Tower disaster as they rebuild their lives after losing loved ones, homes and possessions.

In Burundi we pray for the surrounding countries that they may remain at peace, act justly and broker a just settlement.

In our diocese we hold before You those men and women who have died in active service. As we honour their courage and cherish their memory may we put our faith in Your future, for You are the source of life and hope.

In our parish we pray for all who live in Huntingdon Road, Ingram Road & Karlingford Close and for the residents and staff of Belvedere House.

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

Those in need:

In hospital: Mason Thompson (Rachel Moorley's grandfather)

Those who are ill / recovering from surgery / awaiting results of recent medical tests / the housebound:

Michael Quinn

We commemorate the departed: Muriel Grimmett

In Annual Remembrance:

Timothy Payne, Lizzie Chambers, Constance Elliot,
Frank Oliver, Elsie Thomas and Betty Newman.

We remember all who have made sacrifices for the good of others. We also give thanks for the ending of conflicts and the coming of peace. May God bless all peacemakers and help all nations and communities to be tolerant and understanding of one another, so that wars and conflicts may cease throughout the world.

If you would like someone mentioned in the **Weekly Sick List**, please ring Ian Leitch (Churchwarden) 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 THIRD SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT SUNDAY 12TH NOVEMBER 2017 REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

8.00 AM HOLY COMMUNION President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick
1 Thessalonians 4:13-*end*; Matthew 25:1-13

Refreshments in the Hall from 10.00am for Pipe Band and early arrivals.

10.30 AM Service of Remembrance Minister: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick

HYMNS 207R, 40G, 292R, 192R, 1235G, 293R (v1)
Red and Green Hymn Books

SERVICE BOOK Special Service booklet
OLD TESTAMENT Isaiah 2:1-5 Scouts
NEW TESTAMENT 1 Thessalonians 4:13-*end* Royal British Legion
SERMON Rev'd Charles Higgins
INTERCESSIONS Dan Rathbone

Please use the Remembrance Sunday Service booklets and the separate Remembrance Sunday Hymns sheets

We welcome **the Royal British Legion (Coventry No 4 Branch), the Royal Marine Association and the 42nd Coventry (St Barbara's) Scout Group.**

*They shall not grow old, as we that are left grow old.
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun and in the morning
We will remember them.*

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.

6.30 PM SOUL SPACE Minister: Rev'd Charles Higgins

Collect for Remembrance Sunday:

Almighty God, whose will is to restore all things in your beloved Son, the King of all; govern the hearts of those in authority, and bring the families of the nations, divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin, to be subject to his just and gentle rule, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

DIARY

Monday 13th November

10.30am Service at Herald Lodge (John McCutcheon);

7.00pm Shoebox Appeal Packing Evening (church);

Tuesday 14th November

7.30pm PCC (meeting room);

Wednesday 15th November

9.30am *Prayers and Bears* (doors open 8.45) in the WellSpring;

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

2.15pm Wednesday Fellowship (incorporating Friendship Group);

Speaker: Christine Temple on *God has a plan for you*;
WellSpring of Earlsdon Methodist Church;

7.30pm House Group (vicarage);

Thursday 16th November

7.30pm Pilgrim Group (vicarage);

Friday 17th November

7.00pm Choir Practice;

Sunday 19th November

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

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

Readings: 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11 Josie Howie;
Matthew 25:14-30 Preacher;

Sermon: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick;

Minister: Dan Rathbone;

Intercessions: Keith Wright;

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

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

Birthday Congratulations to Katherine Owen (tomorrow) and Andrea French (Wednesday).

The Flowers this morning have been donated by Sheila Maries, in memory of her late daughter Jane on her birthday.

Children's Society: Please return your boxes to Anna Stevens as soon as possible. Many thanks for your continued support.

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

NOTICES

Buzz @ St B's continues next Sunday (19th Nov) at 5pm. Do encourage any young families to come and enjoy the service and take part in the craft, drama or music activities. If you can contribute an item of food for tea, please sign up on the sheet at the back of the church.

Poems and Pies: Share your favourite poem and enjoy a mince pie & a cup of tea in the vicarage on Sat 9th December from 3.00 to 5.00pm. Make a donation to receive a ticket from Marjorie Leitch.

Rev'd Charles Higgins: Today Charles' time with us comes to an end. We have appreciated his ministry among us, and we offer him our thanks.

Shoebox Appeal: Shoebox packing takes place tomorrow evening (Mon 13th Nov) from 7pm in church. Please come and help. Lists of suitable items for donation is on the board at the back of church. Please take one. The cost of sending each box is £5, and donations are welcome.

Our Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, 25th November will have stalls with Christmas gifts & produce, and games & refreshments. Other attractions will include a Christmas hamper raffle, a chocolate tombola, and a bottle tombola. To ensure the success of these divertissements, we are appealing for donations of chocolate items (in date, please), bottles of wine, or Christmas items for the hamper. We are able to accept such gifts already. Please pass them to Andrea Driver or Jo Johanson or put them in the hamper. Thank you.

Would you like to sing with the Choir at Christmas? Rehearsals will start on Fri 17th Nov. If you want to contact Katherine Owen, please ring her on 01926 851568 or email her katherinemowen@tiscali.co.uk. You are welcome just to turn up to the first rehearsal, although it would help Katherine to know in advance, so that she has enough music.

City Praise and Prayer Evening: The next City Praise and Prayer evening, a united gathering of Praise and Prayer for Coventry and beyond, will take place this evening (Sunday 12th November) at 6:30pm at the Coventry Welcome Centre.

Canon Paul Oestreicher will be delivering this year's Lord Mayor's Annual Coventry Peace Lecture on *Justice and Peace: Can we have both?* in the Cathedral Nave tomorrow (Mon 13th Nov) at 7pm. All are welcome.

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.