

## OUR PRAYERS

**In the Anglican Communion** we give thanks for the Church in Sierra Leone as it reaches out to communities affected by mudslides, and we pray for all initiatives to fulfil UN Sustainable Development Goal Thirteen so that more can be done to tackle climate change.

**In Burundi** we pray that You will strengthen your church to stand for the ways of justice and righteousness and to reach out in love to the suffering.

**In our diocese** we rejoice at the wide variety of music available to us, and we give thanks for those who write songs and hymns, particularly those that have helped us on our faith journey.

**In our parish** we pray for all who live in Earlsdon Avenue North and South and for the residents and staff of Belvedere Park Nursing Home.

We give thanks for the Earlsdon Festival. Particularly we pray for our fête tomorrow. and we bring before you all who will take part, as stall holders or visitors. May all our visitors enjoy a time of fun and relaxation.

**In our CTEC Prayer Cycle** we pray for the Day of Spiritual Refreshment next Saturday, for the leader, Rev'd Joan Whyman, and for all who take part. May it be for each person a time of spiritual uplift and renewal.

### 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:

Anthony Buckley, Ann Mahiques, Monica and Gerald Harrison, Ruby Brown, Hazel Cantes and Stephen Rowley

### We commemorate the departed:

#### In Annual Remembrance:

Hilda Hollyoak and Rita Watkin.

*Never be afraid to trust an unknown future to a known God."*  
*Corrie ten Boom*

If you would like someone mentioned in the **Weekly Sick List**, please ring Ian Leitch 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 SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER SUNDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2018

**8.00 AM HOLY COMMUNION**

**President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick**

**10.00 AM SUNG EUCHARIST**

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<b>HYMNS</b>	525, 830, 488, 122, 1002, 377	Green Hymn Books
<b>SERVICE BOOK</b>	Eucharistic Prayer "G" (p 18, buff)	
<b>CHORAL SETTING</b>	Coventry (p 36, green)	
<b>NEW TESTAMENT</b>	Acts 10:30 – 35, 44 – 48	Preacher
<b>GOSPEL</b>	John 15:9 – 17	Marjorie Leitch
<b>SERMON</b>	Dan Rathbone	
<b>INTERCESSIONS</b>	Margaret Cuttler	

The children will withdraw to *Hive*.

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

**1.30 PM BAPTISM of JOEL and REMI HENDERSON**

**Minister: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick**

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.

**6.30 PM CHORAL EVENSONG**

**Minister: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick**

<b>HYMNS</b>	296G, 9G, 51G, 87R	Green & Red Hymn Books
<b>SERVICE BOOK</b>	Book of Common Prayer (p 17)	
<b>PSALM</b>	127 (BCP p 516)	
<b>OLD TESTAMENT</b>	Lara Collins	
<b>NEW TESTAMENT</b>	Suzanne Frey-Kupper	
<b>SERMON</b>	Ed Manning	
<b>INTERCESSIONS</b>	Rev'd Tulo Raistrick	

### Collect for the Sixth Sunday of Easter:

God our redeemer, you have delivered us from the power of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of your Son: grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life, so by his continual presence in us he may raise us to eternal 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

### Monday 7<sup>th</sup> May

All day Our May Fête (see note opposite);

### Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> May

7.30pm PCC (meeting room);

7.30pm Deanery Synod (at St James, Fletchamstead);

### Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> May

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

2.30pm House Communion at Belvedere House (Ian Leitch);

### Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> May – Ascension Day

11.00am Ascension Day Holy Communion;

President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick;

### Friday 11<sup>th</sup> May

6.15pm Evening Prayer - Prayer week (see note opposite);

7.00pm Choir Practice;

### Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May

10.00am CTEC Day of Spiritual Refreshment,  
led by Rev'd Joan Whyman (see note opposite).

### Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> May

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

10.00am All Age Worship; Minister: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick;

Readings: T.B.A.;

Talk: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick; Intercessions: T.B.A.;

6.30pm Soul Space; Minister: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick;

A short service with space for silent reflection;

**The Diocesan Prayer Diary for May** is in the lobby. Please take a copy this morning for your daily use.

**Christian Aid Week – 13 – 19 May:** Can you help with this house-to-house collection and allow there to be Life before Death. The amount we can collect depends directly on the number of collectors. Please speak with Helen Cawley if you can help – even to do a short street.

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

## NOTICES

**Our May Day Fête is TOMORROW!** We shall start getting the Church and Hall ready for the fête from 9.00am, and they will be open to the public from 11am until 4pm. We need lots of volunteers throughout the day in order to make it a success - even an hour of time is valuable! Can you come and help? Anything from setting up or clearing away, making sandwiches for an hour, to running a stall or game event for part of the day, or in kitchen or on the cash till - whatever your skill, we need you! Not only do we have lots of fun, but it is the major fund-raising event for the Church. Can you come and help? We are collecting items of quality bric a brac, raffle prizes, bottles for bottle stall, plants, for our stalls. If you could bake a cake for our cake stall, it would be excellent. Bring these items along as early as you can tomorrow. We are relying on you, as we need a successful fête. Please speak to Joanne Johanson or Andrea Driver if you can help in any way.

**Prayer Week: Ascension to Pentecost: From 10th-20th May** St Barbara's will be joining in an exciting nation-wide initiative of prayer. From Thursday, the church will be open from 7am to 9pm every day for prayer, and there will be lots of creative prayer stations to aid prayer and meditation. There are also free prayer booklets available and there will be a daily prayer email (email [tulo@raistricks.com](mailto:tulo@raistricks.com) if you would like to receive this). Do join us in prayer, whether at home or in church, during this week.

**The CTEC Stall at the Earlsdon Festival** will be outside Earlsdon Methodist Church (or inside the WellSpring, if wet) from 10am to 4pm. Contributions to the stall of any Christian books or 'pre-loved' crockery will be most welcome – just turn up with them. These will be sold in aid of Manos Internacional, the CTEC charity this year.

**CTEC Day of Spiritual Refreshment** will be held on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May from 10am to 4pm at Breathing Space, Birmingham Road, Allesley. The Day will be led by Joan Whyman. Drinks will be provided but come with something to share at a bring-and-share lunch. All are welcome.

**Religion and Science** is the main theme of the Deanery Synod at 7.30pm on Tuesday, 8<sup>th</sup> May at St James' Church, Fletchamstead, Speaker: Rev'd Graham, Warden of Ordained Scientists. All are welcome.

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