

OUR PRAYERS

In the Anglican Communion we pray for the church in Syria and for all peace-makers who seek the welfare of the people. May all violence come to an end, that the country might once again experience peace and prosperity.

In Burundi we pray for peace to come, and for the leaders of the two sides boldly to reach out a hand of friendship to one another.

In our diocese during British Food Fortnight, we give thanks for the growers and producers of food in this country. We thank God for the care that goes in to making food safe for us to eat, and we remember those around the world who do not have enough food.

In our parish we give thanks for our Church family, for its years of service to the parish and for its growing links with Earlsdon Primary School. We rejoice in the continued growth of *Prayers and Bears* and *Buzz@StBs*, as our younger children learn to know you. We pray for our Good Neighbours project befriending older people, and we ask that it may continue to grow and develop.

We pray for all who live in Arden Street & Avondale Road and for the residents and staff of St Andrew's House.

In our CTEC Prayer Cycle we pray for the members of St Mary Magdalen Church and their minister, Rev'd Dwayne Engh, as they prepare for the prayer Breakfast on Saturday.

Those in need:

In hospital: Maurice Arnett

All those who are ill / recovering from surgery / awaiting results of recent medical tests / the housebound, of whom we name today:
Mabel Cronin, Diana Thomas, John Montgomery and Ray & Gay Stopher.

We commemorate the departed: Sylvia Pearce and Carol Butcher

In Annual Remembrance:

Inez Barker, Peggy White, Peter Wright, Leslie Hancox,
Peter Johnson, Joan Perrens and Oliver Bellamey

Let justice roll down like waters, and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream.
Amos 5:24

If you would like someone mentioned in the **Weekly Sick List**, please email Ian Leitch on 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.



ST BARBARA'S EARLSDON EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY SUNDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER 2018 87TH DEDICATION FESTIVAL

8.00 AM	HOLY COMMUNION	President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick
10.00 AM	SUNG EUCHARIST	President: Bishop John
HYMNS	203R, 1229G, 209R, 1377G, 1419G, 1199G Green and Red Hymn Books	
SERVICE BOOK	Eucharist Prayer "G" (p 18 buff)	
CHORAL SETTING	Coventry	
EPISTLE	James 5:15-20	Andrea French
GOSPEL	Mark 9:38-50	Rev'd Tulo Raistrick
SERMON	Bishop John	
INTERCESSIONS	Elaine Parnell	
ANTHEM	<i>Jubilate</i>	Britten

The children will withdraw to *Hive*.

After the 10am service you are invited to refreshments in the Hall followed by a **Bring-and-Share** lunch (see inside).

We welcome the Rt. Rev'd John Stroyan, Bishop of Warwick, who will preach at our Dedication Festival this morning.

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	CHORAL EVENSONG	Minister: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick
HYMNS	100, 129, 126, 125	Red Hymn Books
SERVICE BOOK	Book of Common Prayer (p 17)	
PSALM	121 (BCP p 513)	
OLD TESTAMENT	Exodus 24	Ian Leitch
NEW TESTAMENT	Matthew 9:1-8	Geoff Lea
SERMON	Harry Johnson	
INTERCESSIONS	Sheila Maries	
ANTHEM	<i>Hail gladdening light</i>	

Collect for Dedication Sunday:

Almighty God, to whose glory we celebrate the dedication of this house of prayer; we praise you for the many blessings you have given to those who worship you here, and we pray that all who seek you in this place may find you and, being filled with the Holy Spirit, may become a living temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. Amen.

DIARY

Monday 1st October

10.45am House Communion at Melbourne House (Ian Leitch);

Tuesday 2nd October

2.00pm Christian Fellowship at 94 Earlsdon Avenue South begins to study the Psalms;

Wednesday 3rd October

9.30am *Prayers and Bears* (doors open 8.45) in the WellSpring;
11.30am Holy Communion; President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick;
11.30am House Communion at Belvedere Park (Ian Leitch);
2.15pm Wednesday Fellowship (incorporating Friendship Group);
with *The Kaleidoscope Singers*; in the WellSpring of Earlsdon Methodist Church;
7.30pm Home group (vicarage);

Thursday 4th October

7.15pm Film Night: *The Post* (PG) - Meryl Streep & Tom Hanks;
7.30pm Pilgrim group (vicarage);

Friday 5th October

9.30am Church Knitting Group (Church);
7.00pm Choir Practice;

Saturday 6th October

8.00am Prayer Breakfast (St Mary Magdalen Church);

Sunday 7th October

8.00am Holy Communion; President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick;
10.00am Sung Eucharist; President: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick;
Readings: Job 1:1, 2:1 - 10 Elaine Parnell;
Mark 10:2-16 Preacher;
Sermon: Rev'd Tulo Raistrick;
Intercessions: Simon Harper;
6.00pm Service at Earlsdon Park Village (Ian Leitch);

The Diocesan Prayer Diary for October is in the lobby. Please take a copy this morning for your daily use. It also includes further information about the Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Holy Land (see note opposite).

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.

NOTICES

Bring-and-Share Lunch: After our 10am service this morning we shall continue the celebration of our Dedication Festival with a Bring-and-Share lunch. You are very welcome to stay – even if you have come without a food contribution. Do join us for this celebration meal!

Youth Alpha: for Years 9, 10 and 11 is on alternate Mondays. Explore the meaning of life, with the new Youth Alpha Film Series. Find out more details by contacting Sarah Raistrick on sarah@raistricks.com

Hall Booking: After 27 years of dedicated service Elaine Parnell is stepping down as Hall Booking Secretary. If anyone is interested in being involved in part (or all) of Hall Bookings, please speak to Elaine who will tell you what it involves.

Good News from Carriers of Hope: Carriers of Hope is proud to announce that we have been awarded £320,000 of National Lottery funding for three new members of staff for five years to manage the warehouse and transport operation. This is their largest grant by far, enabling the services provided by Carriers of Hope to expand in response to the growing need.

Diocesan Centenary Conference: bookings are now open for the Coventry Diocese Centenary Conference on Saturday 3 November. Lunch in the Cathedral. Drinks are being provided, and the cost of the conference is: £7.50 for bookings during September; £15 for bookings during October. There is also a free children's programme for primary school children, and provision for parents with pre-school children. Further details are available at cov100.org/centenaryconference/

Diocesan Pilgrimage to The Holy Land January 2020: A Diocesan Pilgrimage to The Holy Land is being planned for 20 -29 January 2020 in association with Lightline Pilgrimages. It will be led by Bishop John with Revd Sheila Bridge. It will be for 10 days and take in Galilee, Bethlehem and Jerusalem. On Wednesday 17 October we will be holding an event at 7.30pm in St Peter and St John's Church, Rugby, CV21 3QP to give a 'taste of the Holy Land' to anyone who would like to join us. The evening will include light snacks, a presentation about the Pilgrimage and a full brochure explaining the costs and content of the pilgrimage will be available on the night. Please let us know if you'd like to come to this event by emailing Kerry Rumney at kerry.rumney@covcofe.org

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