

ST GEORGE, BICKLEY

NEWSLETTER 12th November 2023

32nd Sunday of the Year/ 23rd after Trinity

TODAY is Remembrance Sunday, and we are delighted to welcome Cllr Kira Gabbert, one of our ward councillors, to lay the civic wreath at the war memorial. This will take place at the beginning of the 10.30 Requiem Mass, when we pray for all those who have died in war.

WELCARE IN BROMLEY have their annual celebration tomorrow (Monday 13th) at 11.30 at Ss Peter & Paul, Bromley Parish Church. All are welcome to celebrate the good work that they do.

PATRICK WILLSHEAR'S FUNERAL is on Tuesday. The normal 9.30 Mass on Tuesday morning will be kept as a requiem for Patrick. There will then be a cup of tea available. The funeral service itself will be at 11am, followed by cremation at Eltham, and a reception in Bexley. All Patrick's friends are welcome to any or all of these.

EVENTS COMMITTEE meets on Tuesday 14th at 7.30pm in the Hall.

NEXT YEAR IS OUR 160TH ANNIVERSARY and we are planning a programme of celebrations. If you have an idea for an event you would like to see, please tell Fr Henry or the churchwardens.

ADVENT CAROL SERVICE Our beautiful Advent Carol Service takes place on the First Sunday of Advent, which is 3rd December, at 6pm. Do invite your friends to come for this feast of traditional music.

ANNUAL SERVERS' MEETING will be on Sunday 26th November, following the 10.30 Mass. Servers unable to attend, please send apologies to Paul Gregory. The intention is to go for a meal afterwards; please give your name to Fr Henry (frhenry@yahoo.co.uk) if you wish to come for the meal.

ALAN BARNARD invites you all to his 80th birthday celebration. There will be a buffet in the hall after Mass on Sunday 10th December, to which you are all very welcome.

PCC MEETING Tuesday 21st at 7.30pm in the Hall, following the Mass at 7pm.

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

THOSE IN NEED:

Anne, Janet Aves, Sylvia Braybrooke, June Callow, Susan Cannell, Ron Carpenter, Julie Couldridge, Linda Courquin, Beatrice Dadson, Sandra Donohue, Stuart Esk, Jan Good, Antonia Gowers, Elaine Greasley, Alison Hadfield, Mary Huggins, Catherine Jones, Ralph Jones, Archdeacon Allie Kerr, Marie Kerrigan, Dona Ledger, Nadeen Majid, Elsie Neill, Nelly Oakeshott, Jennifer Paddock, David Pain, Lee Ramsey, Lyn Ramsey, Scott Ramsey, Angela Shaw, Rosemary Spear, Michael Turner, Joan Turpin, Elaine Warner & family, Ann-Louise Whittaker, Laila Williams.

THE DEPARTED:

David White, Patrick Willshear, Christine Weeks.

Fr Henry Everett, Parish Priest.

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Please note: there is no answering machine on the Vicarage landline.