

Welcome

Sunday, 10 September, 2017

The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity (green)

EAST BARNET 
PARISH CHURCH
St Mary the Virgin

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In Ordinary Time the church celebrates God as Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and we commit ourselves to grow in knowledge of God, and loving service to God, each other, and the created world.

10.00am

12 noon

6.30pm

Parish Eucharist with Sunday Club

Bring and Share Lunch at

Church Hill School

Evening Prayer

10.00am

Parish Eucharist

¶ Opening Hymn

467 Tell out, my soul

¶ Collect

Almighty God, who called your church to bear witness that you were reconciling the world to yourself; help us to proclaim the good news of your love, that all who hear it may be drawn to you; through him who was lifted up on the cross, and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

¶ First Reading

Exodus 12.1-14

¶ Psalm 149

- 1 Alleluia. O sing to the Lord a new song; sing his praise in the congregation of the faithful.
- 2 **Let Israel rejoice in their maker; let the children of Zion be joyful in their king.**
- 3 Let them praise his name in the dance; let them sing praise to him with timbrel and lyre.
- 4 **For the Lord has pleasure in his people and adorns the poor with salvation.**
- 5 Let the faithful be joyful in glory; let them rejoice in their ranks,
- 6 **With the praises of God in their mouths and a two-edged sword in their hands;**
- 7 To execute vengeance on the nations and punishment on the peoples;
- 8 **To bind their kings in chains and their nobles with fetters of iron;**
- 9 To execute on them the judgement decreed: such honour have all his faithful servants. Alleluia.

¶ Second Reading

Romans 13.8-end

¶ Gospel

Matthew 18,15-20

Jesus said to his disciples, "If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax-collector. Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them."

¶ Offertory Hymn

During this hymn a collection will be taken

We pray thee, heavenly Father,
To hear us in thy love,
And pour upon thy children
The unction from above;
That so in love abiding,
From all defilement free,
We may in pureness offer
Our Eucharist to thee,

All that we have we offer,
For it is all thine own,
All gifts, by thine appointment,
In bread and wine are shown;
One thing alone we bring not,
The wilfulness of sin,
And all we bring is nothing
Save that which is within.

Within the pure oblation,
Beneath, the outward sign,
By that his operation -
The Holy Ghost divine -
Lies hid the sacred body,
Lies hid the precious blood,
Once slain, now ever glorious.
Of Christ our Lord and God.

Wherefore, though all unworthy
To offer sacrifice,
We pray that this our duty
Be pleasing in thine eyes;
For praise, and thanks and worship,
For mercy and for aid,
The catholic oblation
Of Jesus Christ is made.

¶ Hymn during Communion

463 Sweet Sacrament divine

¶ Choir anthem

Cantate Domino - Giuseppe Pitoni

Sing to the Lord a new song, his praise in the assembly of the faithful. Let Israel be glad in its Maker, let the children of Zion rejoice in their King.

¶ Post Communion Prayer

God our creator, you feed your children with the true manna, the living bread from heaven; let this holy food sustain us through our earthly pilgrimage until we come to that place where hunger and thirst are no more; through Jesus Christ our Lord, **Amen**

¶ Final hymn

Onward, Christian soldiers,
Marching as to war,
With the cross of Jesus
Going on before.
Christ, the royal Master,
Leads against the foe;
Forward into battle,
See, His banners go!

Refrain

Onward, Christian soldiers!
Marching as to war,
With the cross of Jesus,
Going on before.

Crowns and thrones may perish,
Kingdoms rise and wane;
But the Church of Jesus
Constant will remain.
Gates of hell can never
'Gainst that Church prevail;
We have Christ's own promise,
Which can never fail.

Refrain

Onward, then, ye people!
Join our happy throng;
Blend with ours your voices
In the triumph song.
Glory, laud and honour
Unto Christ, the King;
This through countless ages
Men and angels sing.

Refrain

¶ Please pray for

All victims of war, natural disasters, and famine, and refugees; victims of terrorist attacks, and emergency services

Those who have asked for our prayers

John; Trevor and Luke; Janet; Don, Jilly and family;
Deborah and family; Joan; Mike and Gwyneth;
David; Mary; Elizabeth; Lee and Victoria; Queenmary and family; Beccy and Sam;

RIP

Judy Smith

Anniversary of Death

Linda Eade, Violet Hutton, Raymond Newman

Those living in

Doggets Close, East Barnet Road, East Walk



Notices & Information

6.30pm Evening Prayer

¶ Psalm 108

- 1 My heart is ready, O God, my heart is ready; I will sing and give you praise.
 - 2 **Awake, my soul; awake, harp and lyre, that I may awaken the dawn.**
 - 3 I will give you thanks, O Lord, among the peoples; I will sing praise to you among the nations.
 - 4 **For your loving-kindness is as high as the heavens and your faithfulness reaches to the clouds.**
 - 5 Be exalted, O God, above the heavens and your glory over all the earth.
 - 6 **That your beloved may be delivered, save us by your right hand and answer me.**
 - 7 God has spoken in his holiness: "I will triumph and divide Shechem and share out the valley of Succoth.
 - 8 **"Gilead is mine and Manasseh is mine; Ephraim is my helmet and Judah my sceptre.**
 - 9 "Moab shall be my wash pot, over Edom will I cast my sandal, across Philistia will I shout in triumph."
 - 10 **Who will lead me into the strong city? Who will bring me into Edom?**
 - 11 Have you not cast us off, O God? Will you no longer go forth with our troops?
 - 12 **O grant us your help against the enemy, for earthly help is in vain.**
 - 13 Through God will we do great acts, for it is he that shall tread down our enemies.
- Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit:
As it was in the beginning, is now and shall be for ever. Amen**

¶ First reading

Ezekiel 12.21- 13.16

¶ Second reading

Acts 19.1-20

¶ Collect

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¶ Church School admission

Parents and guardians of children who will be applying for admission to church schools should sign in the book confirming their attendance at our Sunday services, to support their application. The book is available from a Churchwarden.

¶ Parish Conversations

As part of its Mission Action (Strategy) Planning for 2018, PCC members and clergy will be making contact with all members of the church's Electoral Roll, and others who are regular attenders at St Mary's, to have simple "one-to-one" conversations about St Mary's Church.

These conversations will be fed into the PCC's planning day on Saturday 30 September and a Mission Action Plan will be prepared for approval in November.

The idea behind this is to ensure that the PCC members have a broad "grass-roots" impression of the congregation's views when it meets to discuss the year ahead.

¶ Food bank

Our local foodbank gives food to households in crisis and also gives to a refuge for those fleeing domestic violence. Food banks give out food to people suffering from financial insecurity, price rises, housing costs, disability and mental health issues. They currently have the following shortages:

Biscuits, tinned rice pudding, tinned meat, tinned fish, tinned vegetables, rice, sugar,

They have plenty of beans, soup and pasta. There are boxes for donations in the south aisle at St Mary's and in the atrium at Brookside. Many thanks for your ongoing generosity.

¶ Children's Society Coffee Morning

Saturday 16 September 10.30 am - 12 noon in church. Collection boxes will be opened then. There will be a cakes stall, a raffle and a bring and buy stall. Everyone is welcome.

¶ Christmas Fayre 1 December

Please put the date in your diaries. If you can make any jams and chutneys this autumn for the preserve stall, that would be really appreciated.

Notices & Information

¶ Next Sunday 17 September 2017

The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity (green)

10.00am **Parish Eucharist
with Prayers for Healing
and Sunday Club**

6.30pm **Evensong**

¶ Traidcraft

Have a happy and fairly traded Christmas! Traidcraft catalogues, order forms and samples of this year's range of Christmas cards are at the back of church. Traidcraft have a fine range of crafts and edible gifts, including the ever-popular Fairtrade Chocolate Advent Calendars. Margaret will put in a bulk order on **November 6**, benefitting from free delivery, so if you would like to have an order included in this, please leave your order form and details in the box. Alternatively do feel free to order from them direct.

¶ Harvest Supper Saturday 7 October 7.00pm

Tickets for the Harvest Supper will be on sale from 17 September onwards. They will cost £10 for adults, £5 for children and will be available either at church or from the parish office. There will be live musical entertainment at the supper.

¶ This week

Daily Office

Morning Prayer 8.45am Tue—Fri

Evening Prayer 5.15pm Mon—Fri

Monday 11 September

9.15am Staff prayers and meeting

1.30pm Monday Club

7.30pm Bible Study followed by PCC

Tuesday 12 September

8.00pm Choir practice in church

Wednesday 13 August

10.30am **Holy Communion (BCP)**

4.00pm Children's choir practice at
Brookside

Thursday 14 September

10.45am Communion at Brookside

5.45pm Brownies at Brookside

7.30pm Guides at Brookside

Friday 15 September

9.30am **School worship in church**

1.30pm Little Tots group at Brookside

Saturday 16 September

10.30am The Children's Society Coffee
Morning and Box opening in
church

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