



**SUTTON TEAM  
MINISTRY**



**St BARNABAS**  
St Barnabas Road  
Sutton SM1 4NP



**CHRIST CHURCH**  
Christchurch Park  
Sutton SM2 5TN



**St NICHOLAS**  
St Nicholas Way  
Sutton SM1 1ST

# NOTICE SHEET

## Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2016

### Remembrance Sunday

Team Rector: **Revd Justine Middlemiss** 020 8642 3499 - [rector@suttonteamministry.org](mailto:rector@suttonteamministry.org)  
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**Welcome to all who gather in our churches today.  
Please ask one of the welcomers if you are unsure of  
anything or would like assistance.**

We have gluten free communion wafers available in all of our churches. If you would like to receive a gluten free wafer at Communion, please let the clergy know before the start of the service. We do not currently have non-alcoholic wine available. If this would be helpful for you, please speak to the clergy.

#### Worship today:

- 8.00am BCP Communion at Christ Church
- 9.00am BCP Communion with singing at St Nicholas
- 10.30am Remembrance Service at Christ Church
- 10.30am All Age Eucharist for Remembrance at St Nicholas
- 10.30am Parade Service at St Barnabas
- 6.30pm LEP Remembrance Service at Trinity Church

#### Worship this week

- Monday 8.30am Morning Prayer at Christ Church
- Tuesday 8.30am Morning Prayer at Christ Church
- Thursday 10.00am Communion at St Nicholas

#### Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November – Christ the King

- 8.00am BCP Communion at Christ Church
- 9.00am BCP Communion at St Nicholas
- 10.30am Morning Praise at Christ Church
- 10.30am Morning Worship with Communion at St Nicholas
- 10.30am Communion at St Barnabas
- 6.30pm LEP Service at Trinity Church

#### LECTIONARY READINGS

This Week: **Remembrance Sunday:** Malachi 4:1-2a; 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13; Luke 21:5-19; Luke 21:5-19.

Next Week: **Christ the King:** Jeremiah 23:1-6, Colossians 1:11-20; Luke 23:33-43.  
Please note that these readings may be changed for special and different services.

#### CHURCHES OPEN

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| Tuesday: Christ Church | 9.00am-11.00am (during term time)                           |
| Thursday: St Nicholas  | 10.00am-2.00pm (weekly)                                     |
| Saturday: St Barnabas  | 9.00am-3.00pm (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturdays) |

**PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL NOTICES FOR THE NOTICESHEET  
SHOULD BE EMAILED, BY NOON ON TUESDAY EACH WEEK,  
TO: [suttonteam23646@gmail.com](mailto:suttonteam23646@gmail.com)**

## CHRIST CHURCH

**Grassroots:** Junior Church will be holding a sale of Christmas gifts and cards, after the service on **Sunday November 20<sup>th</sup>**, in aid of their charity - Grassroots. Through this charity Junior Church are sponsoring the education and general welfare of two children in Tanzania - Samwel and Saluma. Please support the children in their efforts.

**Silence Group Christmas Meeting:** Will take place on Friday 2 December 2016, 12 noon, at the home of Margaret Golding, 10A Christchurch Park. Half an hour of silent prayer will be followed by a frugal lunch and time of fellowship. All are welcome but for catering purposes please let Margaret know if you are planning to attend. Her phone number is 8642 1915. Estelle Ghose.

**Clearing afternoons:** The next clearing afternoon - the last one in 2016 - will be on Saturday 19th November (2-4pm).

**Grassroots:** Geof Haseler is in Tanzania and hopes to see Samwel and Saluma. You can follow the blog of his trip at: [www.grassroots.org.uk/blog](http://www.grassroots.org.uk/blog)

## St BARNABAS

**Christmas Leaflets:** The PCC has agreed that a leaflet giving details of Christmas services should again be delivered to as many homes in the Parish as possible. They will need to be delivered between Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> December and Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> December. Volunteers are still required for these roads:

**Carshalton Road; Lower Road; Thicket Crescent; Godstone Road; Manor Lane; Thicket Road; Greyhound Road; Palmerston Road; Water Gardens Estate; Lind Road; Sutton Grove.**

If you would like to help please have a word with Humphrey today or next Sunday or telephone him on 020 8661 1016. Last year 2,000 leaflets were delivered to homes in the Parish.

**ON FRIDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER at 12 Noon here in St Barnabas Church:** There will be a short Vigil Service conducted by the Revd Phil Brooks to mark the start of this year's **SIXTEEN DAYS OF ACTIVISM AGAINST GENDER BASED VIOLENCE**. One in three women across the World will be affected by domestic violence at some point in their lives. All are welcome.

**THE 5 O'CLOCK CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS EVE NATIVITY SERVICE** at St Barnabas will once again this year include some 'Wriggly Nativity' songs as a part of the service. St Barnabas 'Wriggly Nativity' tells the Christmas Story. Everything is easy to learn and the narration between the songs is brief. Children, or even adults, who would like to take part in the 'Wriggly Nativity' part of the service should come along to the church at 3.00pm on Christmas Eve and join in. They can wear their own Nativity costume (e.g. angel or shepherd) or can be dressed in a St Barnabas' one.

So, if you have children or children staying with you at Christmas, why not bring them along at 3.00pm to join in with a rehearsal, or just before 5.00pm for the actual service. Everyone else between the ages of 0 and 100+, please come along at 5.00pm to enjoy a lovely Christmassy service.

Please speak to Eleanor Holley (telephone: 07793 988396) if you are interested or would like to know more.

**THIS MONTH'S CHARITY OF THE MONTH which is in aid of THE MACULAR DISEASE SOCIETY:** This is the national charity for anyone affected by central vision loss and provides free information and support to improve lives to ensure that no one has to face macular disease alone. It has 300 support groups in the UK and beyond, including one in Sutton. It funds research so that one day macular disease can be overcome.

The "Charity of the Month" Box is on the Sidesman's table at the back of the church. If you wish to "Gift Aid" your donation, please use one of the pink labelled envelopes by the Box. Last Month's Charity of the Month for OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD raised £106.25 to help defray the costs of the transportation of the shoeboxes.

## GENERAL

**Trinity Church - Advent Lecture:** "The BBC: Explainer of the Faith or of the Faiths?" The speaker is Professor Jean Seaton, who is the official historian of the BBC. It takes place on Tuesday 29 November at 7.30pm in Trinity Church. Tickets cost £5 and are available from Alistair Cruickshank or from the Trinity website: [www.trinitychurchsutton.org.uk](http://www.trinitychurchsutton.org.uk).

**The Band of the Surrey Yeomanry:** Christmas concert at Christ Church on Saturday December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 7.30 - 9.30pm. This is a free concert with a collection in aid of the Mayor of Sutton's Charities - The Alzheimer's Society and Sutton Mobility Scheme. Mince pies and mulled wine on sale during the interval.

## St NICHOLAS

**Draft rota for December:** The draft rota for December is at the back of church. Please note that no tasks have been allocated for Saturday, 24 December (Christmas Eve) and Sunday, 25 December (Christmas Day). If you are around on those days, please volunteer yourself for one or more of the duties by adding your name to the list. The list will remain until Sunday, 20 November: the final rota will be available on Sunday, 27 November.

**During Advent:** Starting on Sunday 27th November, we will be using the South Porch as an Advent Window. For each of the 4 weeks of Advent, we will create a different window using art materials, images and text to help passers-by reflect on the meaning of Christmas. **Cecile and Sharon.**

## St Nicholas

### Patronal Festival Lunch

Tickets on sale 20th November @ St Nicholas  
Reserve Tickets from Emma Cann. 0771 944  
2480  
Theme: Red, gold and sparkles!



Put the date in your diary now!

11:45 - 12:30  
Blessing of the Pumps  
in Robin Hood Pub

Lunch in the Community Hall @ 1pm.  
Doors open 12:45  
Tickets £8, under 12s £4

**Charity of the Month:** Our Charity of the Month for November is Help for Heroes. To find out more, take a look at the notice board in the West Porch. The amount raised for Sutton Community Farm during September and October from both the charity box and Sunday evening services in October was £335.50.

**Open Saturday:** The church will be open from midday to 4pm on Saturday, 10 December when we will offer passers-by a cup of coffee and mince pie. Do sign up on the form at the back of church if you can lend a hand.

7:30pm Tuesday

December 6th 2016

### Christmas Dinner @ No.1 Thai. St Nicholas Dads' Group

Dads, Granddads and meta dads welcome.

Text Jeff Richards if you want to come  
07725 704573



**Prayer List:** to include someone on the prayer list please ask their permission first. Then send the request to [suttonteam23646@gmail.com](mailto:suttonteam23646@gmail.com) by Tuesday. Please note that Clergy/SPAs/Staff will not be able to answer questions about people on the prayer list. *In our prayers this week: Jason.*

## Remembrance Sunday

13 November

6.30pm



**The Armed Man : A Mass for Peace**

by Karl Jenkins

A performance by Trinity Festival Choir  
at Trinity Church Sutton

Cheam Road (opposite the library)

All welcome - free admission



## It's not ok!

One in three women across the world will be affected by domestic violence at some point in their life.

**Join us!** For 16 Days of Activism Against Gender Violence, to call for an end to all forms of violence against women and girls.

**EVENT** A SHORT VIGIL SERVICE

**DATE** FRIDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2016

**TIME** 12 NOON

**LOCATION** ST BARNABAS CHURCH,  
ST BARNABAS ROAD, SUTTON, SM1 4NP

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**MOTHERS' UNION**

# CHRISTMAS COUNTDOWN



**Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> December**

2.00-4.00pm

## Christmas activities

Fondant penguins

Advent flowers

3D sheep

refreshments



Scratch art

Headbands

Face painting

and more...

## hear the story of Christmas

### Christ Church

Christchurch Park, Sutton, SM2 5TN  
Children of all ages welcome ~ No charge  
(children must be accompanied by an adult)

