

St Nicholas Church Sutton

27 October 2024

Worship

Please check the website and mailings for the most up to date information about our services.

This week: Sunday 27 October last Sunday after Trinity	10.30 Holy Communion led by Revd Charles Cotton
Readings	Jeremiah 31.7-9; Hebrews 7.23-end; Mark 10.46-end
Hymns	232 I know that my Redeemer lives; 193 Hail to the Lord anointed; 270 Jesus is Lord; 466B Teach me my Lord and King.
Thursday 31 October	**10am Holy Communion** led by Revd Alison Way (followed by Private Prayer to 12.30pm)
Next Week: Sunday 3 November All Saints/All Souls	10.30 Holy Communion led by Revd Alison Way
Readings	Isaiah 25:6-9, Revelation 21:1-6a and John 11:32-44

Please note, that on **10 November, Remembrance Sunday**,
there will be a 10.30am service of Holy Communion at St Nicholas led by The Venerable Moira Astin,
and at 6.30pm a choral service at Trinity Church - See below.

Church of England worship - *Daily Prayer app and podcast*

This is the app to help you follow Morning, Evening and Night Prayer wherever you are. It includes Bible readings (NRSV translation) and psalms.
https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/join-us-service-daily-prayer/daily-prayer-app-and-podcast

Prayer List

Shuk Yee Wu, Roger Barnes, Bishop Christopher, Wilhelmina Robson, Jennifer Emptage, John Stannett, Georgie B

Departed

Neil Donovan, Doreen Kennett

To include someone on the prayer list please ask their permission first. Then send the request to:
PCCSecretary.StNicholas@suttonteamministry.org by Wednesday.
Please note that Clergy/Staff will not be able to answer questions about people on the prayer list.

The October edition of **The Bridge** is live!
Read and download The Bridge from:southwark.anglican.org/thebridge
Look out on page 5 for an article and photo, about the Gibson Tomb Opening!

Charity of the Month for October is London and Surrey SERV

London and Surrey SERV is a volunteer group that helps the NHS by transporting medical supplies, like blood and urgent samples, at night and during holidays. This frees up NHS resources for other tasks.

Charity of the Month for November is THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

NOTICES AND WHAT'S ON

ALL SOULS

At the close of the 10.30am service on Sunday, 3 November (All Saints/All Souls) we will remember the departed. There will be an opportunity to light a candle for those who have a special place in your heart. If there is anyone who you would like to be especially named, please write (print) their name clearly on the sheet at the back of church no later than Thursday, 31 October, or send the name by email to Richard West (richjwest@btinternet.com).

PATRONAL LUNCH

The date set for the patronal lunch is Sunday 8th December 2024. We need a volunteer to co-ordinate a planning meeting. Please contact Jeff or Nicki Richards if you can act as coordinator.

CHATTY CAFÉ CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Chatty Cafe Christmas Lunch on Tuesday 17th December 2024 noon to 2 PM. Please add your name to the list at any of the regular Chatty Cafe sessions during October and November.

VISIT TO HERTFORD COLLEGE, OXFORD

Hertford College is the Patron of St Nicholas, Sutton. The College Chaplain, the Rev Anthony Buckley has invited the people of St Nicholas to visit one Saturday in February. If you would like to help plan the visit, including transport, then please contact Jeff Richards.

FLOWERS

Don't forget that if you would like to contribute to the cost of the flowers there is a red collection box for flowers at the back of church.

CAN YOU HELP

We are all grateful to all those who help out on Sundays in so many ways. But we could do with more help, especially with the refreshments after the service, readings and being Sidespeople. The more who can help, the less frequently all are asked to assist. If you feel you can help in any way, please have a word with Gill Ayres or Richard West. Many thanks.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Saturday 2 November 2024 9:30 am to 1 pm Community Garden and Churchyard	Bulb Planting: Volunteers are needed to plant bulbs in the Dr George Rice Community Garden and the St Nicholas Churchyard. All equipment provided. We also need help with refreshments for the team. Meet at the Dr George Rice Community Garden at 9:30 am
Remembrance Sunday 10 November 2024 6.30pm Trinity Church Sutton	 The Trinity Remembrance Sunday evening service will include a performance of *The Armed Man* by Trinity Festival Choir with an instrumental ensemble. Sir Karl Jenkins' ever-popular *The Armed Man* was commissioned by the Royal Armouries to mark the millennium in 2000. It reflects on the passing of 'the most war-torn and destructive century in human history' and looks forward in hope to a more peaceful future. Musically, it draws on a range of compositional styles, from Renaissance counterpoint to Romantic and 'heart on sleeve' melodic invention, including a beautiful cello solo in the 'Benedictus'. **All are welcome, there is no charge. There will be a retiring collection.** Webpage www.trinitychurchsutton.org.uk/choral
Friday 22 November 7pm	**SUPPER TALK - Memories from Tanzania** Revd Beth Lewis speaks of the years she lived and worked in rural Tanzania. Tickets now available at £10 each from Richard West (places can be reserved by telephone or email to Richard at 020 8644 7834 or richjwest@btinternet.com)
Saturday 23 November 4pm	**Confirmation Service at Southwark Cathedral –** further details to follow
Sunday 24 November 2pm	**Mothers' Union Annual Christmas Stir Up!** We will be stirring up Christmas puddings on Sunday, 24 November from 2 pm at Emma's house! Above is what you will need to bring. Don't worry if you don't have everything - we usually have extras to share. I will try to sort out small containers and labels. Everyone welcome! Please speak with Nicki Richards or Emma Cann to get more details