

**St Barnabas Church
Emmer Green
Sunday Service
& Weekly News
Church of England**

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Service of the Word: Fruits of the spirit

Welcome! Please join us in the Parish Centre after the service for refreshments
and make some time to get to know each other.

Hymn: MP 488 O Breath of Life

Opening Reflection

Confession & Absolution

The Collect

Psalm 1

Hymn: MP 579 Restore O Lord

Bible Reading: Luke 6:37-45

Bible Reading: Galatians 5:13-26

Hymn: StF 363 My Jesus, my Saviour (x2)

Talk

Affirmation of Faith

Offertory Hymn: MP 428 Lord for the years

Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

Notices

Hymn: MP 664 The Spirit lives to set us free

Blessing

**Readings for next Sunday: 2nd Sunday before Lent
Genesis 2:4b-9,15-25 Revelation 4 Luke 8:22-25**

Please e-mail any notices to vicar@saintbarnabas.org.uk
by midday on a Wednesday or contact Derek by that time.

ST BARNABAS SUNDAY SERVICES & EVENTS

Said Communion BCP (each Sunday) 8.00am

COGS (1st Sunday of month) 9.30am for all ages

Parish Communion (2nd & 4th Sundays) 9.30am

Service of the Word (3rd Sunday of month) 9.30am

The 3rd Space (Last Sunday) 2.00pm for families

Benefice Service (5th Sunday of month) 10.30am

ST BARNABAS WEEKDAY SERVICES

Morning Prayer each Tuesday 8.00am

Said Communion each Wednesday 10.00am

CHILDREN'S CHURCH most Sundays 9.30am

ST BARNABAS FISH & CHIP SUPPER

Sat 23rd Feb – details and tickets from Shirley Corti available now. Acts of singing, dancing, poetry etc to Wendy Howell

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

Theme: 'Come – Everything is Ready' prepared by the women of Slovenia and hosted this year in Caversham at Our Lady & St. Anne's RC Church, on Fri 1st Mar at 7.30pm. Refreshments available from 6.45pm.

ST BARNABAS GARDEN GROUP

Join Tony and Juliet Holland on Tue 5th Mar 1-3pm in the grounds of StB for garden maintenance & fellowship

ASH WEDNESDAY WITH THE BISHOP OF READING

This year Ash Wednesday on 6th March will be a united service of the Anglican Churches in the Caversham area presided over by the Bishop of Reading, Rt Revd Andrew Proud. United service at St. Andrew's, Caversham Heights 7.30pm. Refreshments served after the service. All welcome.

CTC LENT GROUPS 2019

Information sheets on a selection of different courses for Lent from Churches Together in Caversham are now available in the Parish Centre. Or follow this link online: <http://cavershamchurch.org.uk/lent-courses/>

ADMINISTRATORS & PHOTOGRAPHERS

St. Barnabas Church needs your help! Can you spend some time doing administration or photography for our church community? To know more please speak to the vicar, churchwardens, or any member of the PCC.

PRAYER CHAIN MINISTRY

Contact Susie Downer if you, or someone you know, would like to be prayed for

CAVERSHAM PARK CHURCH

Caversham Park Church Open Coffee Mornings at The Milestone Community Centre 10am-12 noon. 4th Tuesday of each month. Next meeting: 26th Feb

FUNDRAISING SOCIAL EVENTS FOR 2019

Handyman Sale 4th May, Garden Party 20th July, Christmas Fair 30th November.

ST BARNABAS PARISH CENTRE ACTIVITIES,

Busybees is songs, Bible stories, and crafts for babies, toddlers, and those who look after them, Mondays during term 2-3pm in the Parish Centre.
Bible Study Group alternate Mondays 8pm.

Contact: Sandra Rice

Tea & Coffee Drop In every Tue & Thu 8.30 – 11am.

Craft Group every Tuesday 9.30am–11am.

Bible Study Group every Wednesday 8pm.

Contact: David Howell Tel: 07976610833 email: dhowell194@gmail.com

Monthly Evening Prayer Circle 1st Wednesday of the month 8pm-9pm. Contact: David Howell Tel: 07976610833 email: dhowell194@gmail.com

Living with Loss bereavement support on 1st Friday of each month 2.00-3.30pm.

Tea and Company fellowship for older people on 2nd Friday of each month 2.00-3.30pm.

Lunch & Company for older people on the last Friday of each month 12.45 for 1pm. Contact: Mary Cameron or Juliet Holland.

Church Hall activities listed in Parish Centre

TABLE TENNIS

Table tennis (usually 1st Sun in month) in the Church Hall, from 2.30pm to 4pm. All welcome.

ST BARNABAS FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

Meet monthly in people's homes for fellowship and faith-based topical discussion. Contacts:

BREAKFAST & LUNCH GROUPS

Ladies who Lunch are visiting the Packhorse at Mapledurham on Thu 21st Feb at 12.30pm. Please sign up on the sheet at the back of church. More info: Wendy Howell **Advance notice:** We are booked in at The Bull in Sonning for 21st March.

Men's Breakfast Club meets Wednesday mornings monthly at 8.15am. Next meeting 6th Mar at The Bite, Emmer Green. Book a place with David Howell Tel: 07976610833 or email: dhowell194@gmail.com



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