

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

**26<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

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**with Caversham Park LEP**

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**6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter – Rogation Sunday**

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

**MP 7 All Creatures of our God and King**

**Old Testament Reading Ezekiel 37:1-14 (OT p820)**

**New Testament Reading Acts 16:9-15 (NT p132)**

**MP 200 Great is Thy Faithfulness**

**Gospel Reading John 14:23-29 (NT p106)**

**MP 435 Lord Jesus Christ**

**MP 723 We come as guests invited**

**MP 545 Open our eyes Lord**

**MP 467 Morning has Broken**

**Next Sunday is COGS at 9.30am celebrating the Baptism  
also Ascension Day Communion Service on Thu 30<sup>th</sup> May at 8.00pm**

Please e-mail any notices to [vicar@saintbarnabas.org.uk](mailto: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** (1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of month) 9.30am for all ages

**Parish Communion** (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays) 9.30am

**Service of the Word** (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of month) 9.30am

**The 3<sup>rd</sup> Space** (Last Sunday) 2.00pm for families

**Benefice Service** (5<sup>th</sup> 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

Contact: Debbie Burton

### BAPTISM ENQUIRERS

Today in the Parish Centre at 11.30am.

### ASCENSION DAY

Sung Communion service to celebrate Ascension Day  
on Thu 30<sup>th</sup> May 8.00pm at St Barnabas Church.

### CHURCHES TOGETHER IN CAVERSHAM AGM

Churches Together in Caversham Annual General  
Meeting at Caversham Baptist Church on Wed 5<sup>th</sup> Jun  
7.30pm.

### YELDALL MANOR

Yeldall Manor 'Ride for Recovery' sponsored event on  
Sat 8<sup>th</sup> Jun to help men unable to receive assistance  
from state drug and alcohol recovery programmes.  
More info: [www.rideforrecovery.co.uk](http://www.rideforrecovery.co.uk)

### SUNDAY AFTERNOON OPEN GARDENS 3-5pm

Afternoon tea and fellowship at the following places to  
begin our open garden season – all welcome:

### GARDENING GROUP

Join gardeners to learn hints and tips and to help with  
the gardening at St. Barnabas Church from 9.30-  
11.30am on: **Tue 11<sup>th</sup> June, Fri 12<sup>th</sup> July, Tue 6<sup>th</sup>  
Aug, Tue 10<sup>th</sup> Sept.**

### 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](mailto:dhowell194@gmail.com)

**Monthly Evening Prayer Circle** 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of  
the month 8pm-9pm. Contact: David Howell Tel:  
07976610833 email: [dhowell194@gmail.com](mailto:dhowell194@gmail.com)

**Living with Loss** bereavement support 1st Friday of  
month 2.00-3.30pm. Contact Gillian Wilson 9478772.

**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 (9722942) or Juliet Holland.

### Church Hall activities listed in the 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:

Ruth Thomas (meet Thu morn)

Shirley Corti (meet Thu eve)

### STUDY & DISCUSSION GROUP

Usually meets 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month 7.30pm.  
Email: Mark Burton

### BREAKFAST & LUNCH GROUPS

**Ladies who Lunch.** More information from Wendy  
Howell 9461365

**Men's Breakfast Club** meets Wednesday mornings  
monthly 8.15am. Next meeting 5<sup>th</sup> June at Richfield  
Deli, Caversham. Book a place with David Howell Tel:  
07976610833 or email: [dhowell194@gmail.com](mailto:dhowell194@gmail.com)

### 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**  
Milestone Community Centre 10am-12 noon. 4<sup>th</sup>  
Tuesday of each month. Tel: Dorothy Lever

### ADVANCE DATES

**Sat 20<sup>th</sup> July: Summer Garden Party**

**Sat 30<sup>th</sup> November: Christmas Fair**



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