

## 2019 St Gabriel's Year of Invitation

### St Gabriel's Church, Aldersbrook

[www.stgabrielsaldersbrook.org.uk](http://www.stgabrielsaldersbrook.org.uk)

#### Weekly Newsletter

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> January  
Baptism of Christ

8.30am Holy Communion  
*Celebrant* Fr. Chris Smaling

10.00am Parish Eucharist  
*Celebrant* Fr. Chris Smaling  
(172, 491, 451, 383, 427)

Revd. Pat is away on a training weekend.

Fr Martyn is preaching at one of our MMU partners, Holy Trinity Hermon Hill, this morning

#### This Week

##### **Wednesday**

11.00 am Holy Communion

##### **Morning & Evening Prayer**

Morning prayer:  
Mon 10 am & Tue – Thu 8am  
Evening prayer:  
Mon - Thur 5pm

##### **Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> January**

7pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Eucharist  
Followed by:  
8pm PCC Meeting

##### **Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> January**

MMU meeting about what we can do to make a difference on global warming @ St Gabriels 8pm. All welcome

#### **Messy New Year.**

Many thanks to everyone who helped out at this event.

#### **Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January**

8pm Contemplative prayer

Our **Annual Burns Supper** will be held on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> January, 7.15pm arrival for 7.45pm "Address to the Haggis".

The evening will be supported by music from Pipe Major Trevor Sharp and Fiddlers and Co., with traditional Ceilidh dancing.

Tickets cost £15 for adults and £5 for children under 14 years. Bring your own drinks and pre-dinner nibbles.

Please contact Caroline (07) or Martyn () to book your places.

#### **Foodbank Update**

Many thanks again to all who contributed through the Christmas and New Year season. We are reverting now to our normal collections, and are particularly keen to receive toiletries for the next few weeks.

You may be interested to know that the film 'I, Daniel Blake' is available on iPlayer till the end of January. Helen

Items for weekly notices need to be submitted by Thursday evening. ([sarabertrand47@gmail.com](mailto:sarabertrand47@gmail.com))

#### Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

We are invited to send representatives to URC church in Wanstead at 10.30 am service.

Anyone who'd like to represent St Gabriel's at that service please let Martyn know.

4pm Evening prayer at Our Lady of Lourdes – preacher Fr Martyn. Do please support this if you can

#### **Connections**

Thursdays 10 – 11.30am

Connections for older people and

Mondays 9 – 10.30am

The weekly drop-in for parents, carers and pre-schoolers starts tomorrow Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January

#### For Our Prayers

##### **Those who are sick:**

Madeleine Arnold, Mark Arnold, Frances Bonnick, Katie Cooper, Pauline Duncombe, Peter Ellis, Maureen Kenyon, Phyllis Lehreman, Jacqueline McNie, John Mitchell, Comfort Owusu Ansah, Carol Perryman, Maija Pettit, Christine Shannon, Prue Tribe, Cynthia Williams & Johnno Woods

##### **For the recently departed**

John Holdsworth

##### **and those whose anniversaries of death occur at this time:**

Vic Joslin, Albert Beare

**Next Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> January**