

## 2019 St Gabriel's Year of Invitation

### St Gabriel's Church, Aldersbrook

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

#### Weekly Newsletter Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> August

8.30am Holy Communion  
*Celebrant* Revd Canon Ann Clarke

10.00am Parish Eucharist  
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(467, 579, 340, 339, 642)

A big thanks to Canon Ann for  
presiding and preaching for both of  
our services this morning

#### This Week

##### **Wednesday**

11am Holy Communion  
*Celebrant* Fr Neil Allen-Walsh

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

No morning or evening prayer this  
week and no Tuesday evening  
service this week

##### **Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> August**

Connections Cafe 10 - 11:30 with  
Tai Chi from 10:15 - 11:15.

##### **Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> August**

Due to holidays, there will be no  
Connection Cafe or Tai Chi.

##### **Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September**

Redbridge Brass concert in church.

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

#### **Stewardship programme**

During the month of September we  
are preparing for reflections and  
action around our stewardship as a  
parish – time, talents and finance.  
This will provide an opportunity  
for everyone to review and  
evaluate what they do, give and  
what they might like to do in the  
future.

More to follow... but if you're  
thinking you might like a break  
from something, or might like to  
explore doing something new at St  
Gabriel's the time for that is  
coming!

#### **Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> September**

2-5 pm St Gabriels cream teas in  
aid of Helping Hands charity.  
Sample menu: finger sandwiches  
including salmon & cream cheese,  
ham & tomato, Brie & cranberry,  
mini muffins, fondant fancies and  
fruit cake. Scone with jam and  
cream. Tea or Coffee. Sign up  
sheet at back of church, see  
Gaynor or Caroline or phone  
07943414900 email  
[Ghenry057@aol.com](mailto:Ghenry057@aol.com) to book

#### **Foodbank Update**

"Food banks scramble to stop a  
million children going hungry over  
holidays", so ran a headline in the  
Observer recently. There is real  
concern from the Trussell Trust,  
and other foodbank organisations,  
for families unable to meet the cost  
of food over the long six week  
break. We can help by  
remembering to buy a few extras  
in our regular food shop and by  
leaving them in the box in the  
church porch. Thank you as  
always for your support. Helen and  
the team.

#### **Visiting Organists**

Belated thank you to last week's  
organist James Bluff and thank  
you to today's organist Peter  
Ashley.

#### **Message from Evelyn & Family**

I would like to thank you all for  
your kind words of sympathy, the  
many cards, the beautiful flowers  
and the most generous donation to  
Alzheimer's Research in Bob's  
memory. The donations amounted  
to £700. My Family and I were  
uplifted by everyone who came to  
Bob's funeral. Thank you for your  
love, comfort and support.

#### **Spiritual Book Club**

Our book for the next meeting on  
19<sup>th</sup> September is Barchester  
Towers by Anthony Trollope. We  
meet at 8pm in the Vicarage. All  
new members are welcome to join.

#### **For Our Prayers**

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

Madeleine Arnold, Mark Arnold,  
Pamela Barnes, Frances Bonnick,  
Ann Brown, Victor Christie,  
Pauline Duncombe, Peter Ellis,  
Phyllis Lehreman, Jacqueline  
McNie, John Mitchell, Comfort  
Owusu Ansah, Pat Pratley,  
Christine Shannon, Norma  
Stevenson, Cynthia Williams, Jean  
Winstone & Johnno Woods

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

Marian Newbold, Sylvia Silver,  
Tony Casselle