

St Gabriel's Church,
Aldersbrook
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Weekly Newsletter
Sunday 13th June

10am Parish Eucharist
Celebrant Fr Chris Smaling
Preacher Fr Mark Kenny
Hymns: 467, 719, 475, 430
In Church and online on Zoom and
YouTube

11.30 am First communion class in
church

Today we hope to be able to offer
coffee in the play area behind the
church hall after the service.
Weather permitting.
Collect your coffee from the
church hall fire doors on the
carpark side and enjoy some
fellowship outside today.

This Week

Open Church

We will be open for private prayer
only from 10 - 12noon on Tuesday
and Thursday this week.

5pm Evening Prayer

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday
In church, on zoom & YouTube
Tuesday & Friday
On zoom only

Wednesday

11am Holy Communion
In church, on zoom & YouTube

Wednesdays

12noon – 1.30pm. Carers and pre-
school drop in.
Please share this information with
those who might value company,
conversation and a cool place for
children to play.

Wednesdays

3.30 – 4.30pm After-School Club

Thursday

10:30-11:30am Connection/Tai
Chi Group restarting with masks
and social distancing. £5-£6 a
session to cover costs. All are
welcome. See Amelia for further
details.

Next Sunday 20th June

11.15 refreshments after the
service followed by 11.30am
Sunday Feast – help required with
welcome and refreshments please.

Knit and Natter

1.30 to 3 in the Hall on Tuesdays

Traidcraft

June Cocksedge will be leaving a
copy of the latest traidcraft
magazine in the Narthex. If you
would like to place an order please
speak to June & she will combine
orders to save postage costs.

Family Fun Day

Saturday 24th July

We would appreciate helpers on
the day, homemade cakes, bottles
of Pimms, other bottles for the
tombola, clean like-new toys,
books, good quality bric-a-brac
and vouchers for the raffle. Sign
up sheets at the back of church.

Annual Summer Club

27th - 30th July we will be hosting
our annual summer club again.
Please consider volunteering to
help out at this exciting event. You
would be required to help out from
9:00-12:30. Please speak to
Anthony or Amelia for more
information and see the poster for
details and download an
application form from
aldersbrookstgabriels@gmail.com

Foodbank Update

The Trussell Trust have created a
very moving and thought
provoking video from a poem
written by someone using one of
their foodbanks, read by some of
their volunteers. You will find it
on their website. It is called
Acceptable? Please do take a look.
Thank you

Tuesday 20th July

8pm Spiritual Book Club
We are reading 'Tales from
Lindford' by Catherine Fox.
Meeting in person at the Vicarage
with zoom for those who prefer.

*Items for weekly notices need to
submitted by Thursday evening.
(sarabertrand47@gmail.com)*

Congratulations!

Ron & Margaret Filer celebrate
their 62nd wedding anniversary
today. Married on 13 June 1959.

Stewardship

Thank you for responses to the
Stewardship Programme – still
time to get back last minute
responses today! Currently one-off
donations stand at £2000 and a
number of generous offers to
increase existing regular giving.

Bishop Peter is retiring at Bishop
of Barking in August. If you'd like
to contribute towards a collection
for a retirement gift please put an
envelope on the collection plate
designated Bishop Peter.

Sunday 18th July

Celebration of First Communion in
the Sunday Feast. Followed by a
parish picnic on Wanstead Flats.
Save the date!

St Gabriel's Fruit & Veg Show

Advance notice to get your
produce planted & photographed
before it's eaten! Categories will
be the same as last year. £5 for up
to 5 entries with prizes for each
category & £20 garden voucher for
best in show. Further details can be
obtained from Gaynor
Ghenry057@aol.com

For Our Prayers

For those who are sick:

Frances Bonnick, Sara Booker,
Karl Brooks, Ann Brown, Keith
Childs, Dermot Devine, Pauline
Duncombe, Peter Ellis, John Filer,
John Henry, Phyllis Lehreman,
John Mitchell, Motunrayo, George
Moule, Iain Palfreman, Jean Salter,
Christine Shannon, Grace Sparks,
Mariya Stoilova, Thelma Thomas,
Revd Pat Wallson, Anita Watts,
Mary Watts, Cynthia Williams,
Rebecca Williams, Johnno Woods
& Karl.

For the recently departed

Margaret Paterson
**and those whose anniversaries
occur at this time**
Edith Smeed, Geoffrey Galer, Ivor
Brown