



Christ Church Sutton

NOTICE SHEET

Sunday 29th September 2019

Trinity 15

**Welcome to all who gather in our church today.
Please ask one of the welcomers if you are unsure of
anything or would like assistance.**

We have gluten free communion wafers available. If you would like to receive a gluten free wafer at Communion, please let the clergy know before the start of the service. Please ask the clergy about non-alcoholic wine.

Today: 8am Holy Communion; 10.30am Morning Worship

Sermon series 4- Luke 7:36-50

Sunday 6th October: 8am Holy Communion; 10.30am All-age Communion to celebrate harvest
See inside this noticesheet for details about donations.

Every Third Sunday Prayer - from 12.00 to 12.30pm in the side chapel there will be a time of prayer:
for the World, our nation, our community and Christ Church, and individuals. All are welcome.

Morning Prayer: 8-8.25am, Monday to Thursday, at church. Please use the side door (entrance from the car park via side door, adjacent to the office, on the north side).

**Praying for the service - every Sunday morning at 10am in the side chapel. All are welcome.
We'll pray for that morning's service. The prayer will last no more than ten minutes.**

Community Wednesdays: 9am-1pm

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PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL NOTICES FOR THE NOTICESHEET SHOULD BE EMAILED, BY 5pm ON TUESDAY EACH WEEK - suttonteam23646@gmail.com.

PLEASE TAKE THIS NOTICESHEET WITH YOU AS A REMINDER OF DATES AND EVENTS

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Mission Action Plan - Community Group: Praying for positive responses to the delivery of letters in Christchurch Park.

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Lord, hear our prayer

A monthly prayer meeting held on first Saturday of each month at 9.30am in the church office. Join us to pray for our world, our nation and our parish on **5th October.**

Community Wednesdays: 9am-1pm

9.00-11.30: Serving tea, coffee and biscuits

11.30-12.00: Morning Prayer (Communion on last Wednesday of month)

12.00-12.45: Serving a light lunch

**Can you help? Please sign up on the rota at the back of church.
Ask John or Catherine if you have any questions about helping.**

Community Wednesdays:

Arts and Crafts Morning, on the 1st Wednesday of every month, next on 2nd October, 10am-1pm in the church.

Free of charge for time and materials; card making, painting, crocheting and more. No previous experience needed, just turn up for a social session, refreshments and, may be, stay for a light lunch too – all part of Community Wednesday.

Our Harvest Festival Service will be on Sunday 6th October: People are asked to bring non-perishable foods which will be donated to Sutton Foodbank. They are in particular need of:

- Long life orange juice
- Tinned rice pudding
- Tinned spaghetti
- Dried milk

All cash donations received in the offertory at this service will be donated to the work of HomeStart in Sutton.

Community Wednesday: Coffee Morning for MacMillan Cancer Support. Thanks to all those who helped to raise £...to be announced...

New Home Group at Christ Church: In October, Verna and Arthur Baguley will be starting a new church home group at their home (on Christchurch Park) on Wednesday evenings. All are welcome to join for fellowship, Bible study and prayer. No experience of home groups is necessary! Please be in touch with Verna and Arthur in church, by email on bags@iafrica.com or telephone 02086433198 if you are interested.

Harvest Craft Activity Afternoon: Saturday 28th September, 2.00-4.00pm.
Thanks to everyone who helped with this, on the day and beforehand.

China and the changing face of global Christianity:

A talk by Heather Clements (Bible Society) on the growth of Christianity in China.

At Christ Church, Christchurch Park, SM2 5TN.

Friday 1st November, 8pm. Free entry. Refreshments for a donation.

Sidespeople and Welcomers:

We urgently need more people to volunteer for these roles, especially for the months of October, November and December. If you are able to help with this, please speak to Catherine Keen.

Operation Christmas Child: We would like to support this charity again this year. The leaflets with explanation on how to fill the boxes are at the back of the church. If you have not taken part in this venture before, please speak to Jean Carver. There are certain items which are not allowed to be included in the boxes - please read the instructions carefully. **Filled boxes need to be returned to church on or before Sunday 3rd November.**

BLUEBIRDS BABY & TODDLER GROUP: We meet every Monday afternoon in term-time 1.45-3.00 pm in the Church Hall and provide a wide variety of toys and things to do and a chance to meet people and make new friends in the area.

If you'd like to know more, do email Denise: denisesh100@gmail.com or just turn up and you will receive a warm welcome!

TO BE A PILGRIM – SOUTHWARK DIOCESE PRAYER and SPIRITUALITY DAY:
Saturday 19th October 2019, 10am-4pm. Venue: Southwark Cathedral
A day conference of prayer and reflection.

Prayer for the Borough of Sutton and our Nation: Sun 29th Sept - 7-8pm

Sept 27-29th is the National Weekend of Prayer, so we will be joining in with an hour of praying for our borough and nation in these turbulent times.

COME AND EXPLORE THE OPPORTUNITY TO GET INVOLVED WITH THE

WINTER **shelter**
OPEN MEETING

Saturday 5th October, 10-11.30am, at River Church Sutton, Highfield Hall, 320 Carshalton Road, Carshalton, SM5 3QB

You are invited to attend a meeting to explore the opportunity of volunteering at the proposed Sutton Winter Shelter in early 2020. Come and find out more.

RSVP to suttonshelter@gmail.com

This is not a training session.



The Christ Church Silent Prayer Group is resuming and will be meeting again on Monday 14th October, 10.30am, at 28 Alford Court, Bonchurch Close, SM2 6AY. 30 minutes of silent prayer will be followed by light refreshments and a time of fellowship.

All are welcome and if you would like more information please contact Estelle Ghose, 8770 7731.