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We have been asked to pray for:

Charles Gibson	Karen Lonsdale
Mimi Heinrichs	Fred Mills
Richard Awotwe	Matthew Keens
Luke Bertrand	Norman Browne
Ken Morgan	Khulna Stylus
Camilla Hext	
Constanza Burkett Guerrero	

(and for your private prayers)

Daniel Mens	Olivia Thomson	Beverley Major
Hannah Searle	Simone Smith	June Cowley
Marian Gittens	Ben Jordan	Stella Cullen
Robyn Wallis	Mavis Weare	Mary Harris
Cherie Grove	Penny Lee	Janet Riggs-Long
Daphne Austin	Chris Shepherd	
Susan Kearton	Gwen Settle	Muriel Small
Derek Aidoo	Andrew Johnson	Vicky Mefia Mills
Regina Aba Johnson		Hannah McWann Ghani
P K and Akim Telien		
Rachel, John and Imogen Perusco		
Taylor Mitchell- Henry		

RIP:

11 th November	Mark Ryder
	Colin Dobson

Year's Mind:

9 th December	Seymour Samuel
12 th December	Roy Hooper
	Heinz Max (Harry) Pfarrer
13 th December	Gwyneth Margaret Barber

Sunday 9 December ADVENT 2

8:00	Eucharist President: <i>Rev'd Canon Anna Norman-Walker</i>
10:00	Advent 2 Eucharist <i>Preacher: Rev'd Neil Dawson</i>
17:00	Taize Song Practice
18:30	Taize

Monday 10 December

10:30 – 11:30	Toddler Church
11:30 – 14:00	Church Open
12 noon	Morning Prayer
13:30 – 14:30	Broomwood Hall School Rehearsal
19:30 - 21:30	Streatham Choral Society

Tuesday 11 December

11:30– 14:00	Church Open
12 noon	Morning Prayer
13:00 – 15:00	Broomwood Hall Decorating Church
19:30 – 21:00	Bell Ringing Practice

Wednesday 12 December

7:50 - 10:15	Broomwood Hall School Service
11:30 – 14:00	Church Open
12 noon	Eucharist <i>Presiding: Rev'd Neil Dawson</i>
20:00	Choir Practice

Thursday 13 December

11:30 – 14:00	Church Open
12 noon	Morning Prayer
19:30	A Quiet Advent

Friday 14 December

14:00	Colin Dobson Funeral
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Saturday 15 December

9:00 – 12:00	Christmas Tree Decorating
10:00 – 11:00	Clergy Office Hour
14:00 – 16:00	Streatham Choral Society Rehearsal
19:30	Streatham Choral Society Christmas Concert

Sunday 16 December ADVENT 3

8:00	Eucharist President: <i>Rev'd Eileen Turner</i>
10:00	Advent 3 Eucharist <i>Preacher: Rev'd Ian Yates</i>
15:00	Piano Concert Suzuki Method Piano Tutors
17:00	Choir Practice
18:30	Carols by Candlelight

Notices

NEW EMAILS

We have set up a new and more efficient system of emails in the office. Please now send any administration, queries or church office and notice emails to:

office@stleonard-streatham.org.uk

Please do add this new email address to your address books but you can also access this address directly from the new web page.

(Please note that e.gillette87@gmail.com and officestleonards@btinternet.com will no longer be used)

Church Office

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

In St Leonard's tradition Christmas greeting labels for our 'tree' are available from Sue Phil or Kate Heeley all proceeds to the Children's Society.

Sue Heeley

NEW CHAIRS ARE ARRIVING THIS WEEK !

We were delighted to hear from the company in Ireland who are supplying our new chairs to say that they will be delivered the Week beginning December 10th.

This means that NEXT Sunday we shall be sitting very comfortably indeed!

A few people have asked if they can have some of the old chairs – and the answer is YES! We are not charging but if you feel you would like to make a donation we would be delighted. The Rector.

PLEASE ALSO DO NOT FORGET:

Our letters of thanks and outline of next steps are available. If you have pledged or purchased a new Chair, please collect your letter in the Narthex today.

Rector

70 PEOPLE FOR LUNCH ON CHRISTMAS DAY

That's the order for the day at Spires! We try to ensure everyone who sits down for lunch also receives a present. Please will you help this happen by getting a small gift (wrapped and ready) for a man or woman and attach one of the gift tags on the stand in the narthex. We will make sure all the gifts are taken over to Spires in readiness for the big day - and as ever, thank you for your thoughtfulness and generosity.

NEW FACES AT THE HATCH?

Some of us have been serving coffee and tea after the service for many years and would now like to step off the rota or step down onto the reserve list. I would therefore be very pleased to receive offers to fill our places once a month on either the 2nd, 3rd, or 4th Sunday starting in the New Year.

It is now a delightfully easy commitment to serve in the new, spacious kitchen with all its mod cons.

So any volunteers please contact Sue Gibson on 0208 677 9462 or susanjudithgibson@gmail.com

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR SENSE

Sense on Streatham High Road are a looking for some volunteers to help in their shop. If you think you may be interested in helping them, please visit them at: 200 Streatham High Road, SW16 1BB (near Iceland) or call: 01322 554999

New Trustee for LOVE STREATHAM

Love Streatham is an ecumenical group which gathers Christians together from different churches to serve in local mission together.

There is a vacancy on the board of trustees for a representative of St Leonard's.

If you are interested, please have a word with the Rector.

Rector

REMINDER TO MINDFUL MOVERS

There is no Mindful Movement tomorrow - next series in spring 2019



CRÈCHE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

This is a call to everyone who likes playing with duplo, cars, reading stories or singing nursery rhymes and wouldn't mind being surrounded by toys and children once every 5-6 weeks. The Sunday morning crèche is a space where parents can stay with or leave their babies and toddlers (under 3) during the 10am service. The crèche has children coming and going as and when they (or their parents) need to use the space. We need to replenish our supply of crèche volunteers. Our aim is that volunteers are on duty no more than 1 week in 6. That is becoming increasingly difficult to achieve with a shrinking number of volunteers. We enjoy the time we get to spend with the children and their parents; getting to know the families who are often new to St Leonard's. This is our ministry to those parents who like to know their children are safely occupied so they can concentrate on the service and their own prayers without distraction. Because the St Leonard's family take our responsibilities towards vulnerable people very seriously, we follow our safeguarding policy and all volunteers working with children are DBS checked and will have an interview with the Rector (or her representative).

Rector

CHRISTMAS IS COMING ... AND THE CHRISTMAS CARDS ARE READY FOR DELIVERY AROUND THE PARISH

Can you help? If you live in the parish will you deliver the cards for your road? If someone has beaten you to it then can you take a road nearby? And if you don't live in the parish what a lovely opportunity to get to know the parish better! And those who take on delivery for Streatham High Road ... and Drewstead Road deserve a very big thank you! PS We need to deliver them before 16th Dec, that's the date of our Christmas Carol Service.

Looking forward to December

Thursday Evenings 'A Quiet Advent'

An hour of guided prayer, silence, readings & music.

Thursday 13th and 20th @ 7.30pm – 8.30pm

Quiet Advent Reflective Service

Sunday 23rd @ 6.30pm

