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We have been asked to pray for:

Charles Gibson	Karen Lonsdale
Henry Fergusson	Edia Brown
Matthew Keens	John Millen
Luke Bertrand	Norman Browne
Ken Morgan	Khulna Stylus
Camilla Hext	Marian Gittens
Constanza Burkett Guerrero	

(and for your private prayers)

Daniel Mens	Olivia Thomson	Beverley Major
Hannah Searle	Simone Smith	Muriel Small
Ben Jordan	Stella Cullen	Derek Aidoo
Robyn Wallis	Mavis Weare	Mary Harris
Cherie Grove	Penny Lee	Janet Riggs-Long
Daphne Austin	Chris Shepherd	Fred Mills
Susan Kearton	Gwen Settle	Andrew Johnson
Hannah McWann Ghani		Akim Telien
Taylor Mitchell- Henry		

RIP:

10 th February	P K Telien
5 th February	Joy Hughs
26 th January	Mimi Heinrichs

Year's Mind:

8 th March	Pauline Pascoe
10 th March	V. Gibson Cairi Pearl Barlow Mr Curtis Leopold (George) John Marson
14 th March	Gobind Parkash Sehgal

WHAT WAS THE PCC MEETING ABOUT THIS MONTH?

We discussed the yearly budget, hiring the building and the lighting. We have good news for the North porch. The grants and many efforts of the congregation means that works will begin in March. The PCC is very interested in your responses to the worship audit. This will be used along with the parish day (June last year) to shape the pattern of worship at St Leonard's for the future. We also considered Christian Aid week and thought a focus on fund-raising events would be excellent. Several members' 3 year terms on the PCC will be ending at the AGM on April 7th. If you may like to join us please come and talk to us.

Liz Ridout, PCC Secretary.

Sunday 10 March

LENT 1

8:00	Eucharist President: <i>Rev'd Neil Dawson</i>
10:00	Parish Eucharist <i>Preacher: Rev'd Ian Yates</i>
17:00	Taize Song Practice
18:30	Taize

Monday 11 March

10:30	Toddler Church
11:30 – 14:00	Church Open
12 noon	Morning Prayer
13:30	Mindful Movement
19:30	Streatham Choral Society

Tuesday 12 March

10.30	The Crown showing at St. Leonard's
11:30 – 14:00	Church Open
12 noon	Morning Prayer
19:30	Bell Ringing Practice

Wednesday 13 March

8:00	Broomwood Hall School Service
11:30 – 14:00	Church Open
12 noon	Eucharist Presiding: <i>Rev'd Neil Dawson</i>

Thursday 14 March

11:30 – 14:00	Church Open
12 noon	Morning Prayer
19:30	Lent Course

Friday 15 March

Saturday 16 March

10:00	Clergy Office Hour
11:00	First Communion Club

Sunday 17 March

LENT 2

8:00	Eucharist President: <i>Rev'd Neil Dawson</i>
10:00	Parish Eucharist <i>Preacher: Rev'd Canon Anna Norman-Walker</i>
17:00	Choir Practice
18:30	Sung Evensong President: <i>Rev'd Alison Tyler</i>

Notices

ELECTORAL ROLL RENEWAL

We are currently preparing a new Electoral Roll of everyone who worships at St Leonard's Church (we are required to prepare a new one every six years). Everyone who was on the previous roll is asked to fill in a new application form to be listed on the new roll and anyone who was not on the previous roll is also welcome to apply.

THE CROWN CONTINUES - TUESDAY MORNING AT 10.30 a.m.

Take your seat for the next two episodes supported by popcorn, tea, coffee, cakes... Don't worry if you've missed earlier episodes - we all know the story... or think we do! Riveting!

Streatham Senior Connections / Freedom Club

PARTY TIME!

Plans are coming on for our Parish Party to coincide with Tim's 70th Birthday and laying down his responsibilities as Churchwarden. A murder mystery with Italian flair and food. No charge but donations to Christian Aid. Everyone (probably everyone over 10!) put Friday April 5th 7.30 in your phone or diary or just a knot in your handkerchief.

MINDFUL MOVEMENT TOMORROW!

Oona's series of Mindful Movement for seniors is in full swing on Mondays until 8th April, but it is not too late to join in! Starts at 1.30 in church followed by tea and coffee. No need to book, just turn up for a warm welcome and moderately energetic and thoughtful workout.

SPIRES COLLECTION FOOD & CLOTHES

Following the recent visit of Nigel Carpenter from the Spires to our Sunday worship we shall be hosting a 'GIFT BOX' in the Narthex each Sunday into which you are invited to put gifts of food and warm clothes for those who access the Spires services. Non-perishable foods and clean warm clothes are most welcome. The contents will be collected on a weekly basis by the Spires staff.

SAVE THE DATE!

Our 2019 **Annual General Meeting** will be held this year on

Sunday 7th April after the morning Eucharist.

After coffee and before a 'bring and share' lunch.

If you usually submit an AGM report, please can you do so by Sunday 17th March. Please email them in WORD format to:

office@stleonard-streatham.org.uk

SPIRES TRUSTEES

An opportunity to support the SPIRES CENTRE as a Trustee is advertised on the notice board in the Narthex.

They would be delighted if members of St Leonard's church applied.

LENT AT ST LEONARD'S

FIRST COMMUNION CLUB – CHILDREN AGE 7+

Saturday mornings during Lent 11am -12noon with the Rector. First Communion on Easter Sunday. Please speak to the Rector to book a place.

ARE YOU THINKING ABOUT BAPTISM AS AN ADULT or NEW TO CHURCH AND WOULD APPRECIATE A 'BACK TO BASICS' GROUP?

On Monday evenings we will explore the basics of the Christian faith and think about the meaning of Baptism. Baptisms on Easter Day.

Email the rector for more information:

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The LENT COURSE:

FINDING CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVES ON A CONTEMPORARY ISSUE: FAIRNESS BETWEEN THE GENERATIONS

On Thursday evenings during Lent we will consider the issue of fairness between the generations. Evidence suggests younger generations in Britain face missing out on the opportunities that were available to many older people - as well as having to pay for escalating health care and pension costs of a large and long living generation of elders. This is an issue that affects us all, it challenges to think about how we take account of justice in the future as well as today. But what does this mean for us as Christians? Is there a distinctive Christian perspective? Anna and Ann (Morisy) will host the group, using Ann's book 'Borrowing from the Future' to stimulate debate and then draw on Biblical insights and personal experience. Through this issue of intergenerational fairness, we will consider issues such as generosity, resentment and the habits of the heart that our faith inspires and supports. We will gather in church from 7.00 p.m. for a light supper (donations towards the Bishop's Lent Appeal) and begin our reflections and discussion at 7.30 and conclude at 8.45 p.m.

Date of first meeting Thursday 14th March running through until Thursday 11th April.

In order to get our catering requirements right please sign up on the board in the Narthex for week 1.

Many thanks.

DAYTIME LENT COURSE

Wednesdays after the mid-week Eucharist there will be an opportunity to explore some of the material from the evening course with Ann Morisy and members of the Clergy Team.

12noon Eucharist, followed by a light lunch (12.45) and study concluding by 2pm.

FROM HELEN BLAKELY:

Thank you for your continued prayers in support of me over this last year while I've been in St. Johns. Also thank you for praying for my brother John Millen who died February 25th. Please continue to pray for all the family at this difficult time.