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Day off: **Friday**

St. Leonard's Streatham

We have been asked to pray for:

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

(and for your private prayers)

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

RIP:

11th November — Mark Ryder
Colin Dobson
Sally Bowdery

11th December — John Wilkins
Elizabeth Hunzinger

Year's Mind:

17th January — Graham Michael Cooper

Sunday	**13 January**	**BAPTISM OF CHRIST**
8:00	Eucharist	
	President: *Rev'd Eileen Turner*	
10:00	Parish Eucharist	
	Preacher: Rev'd Canon Anna Norman- Walker	
17:00	Taize Song Practice	
18:30	Taize Office	

Monday	**14 January**
10.30	Toddler Church
11:30 – 14:00	Church Open
12 noon	Morning Prayer
19:30	Streatham Choral Society

Tuesday	**15 January**
11:30 – 14:00	Church Open
12 noon	Morning Prayer
19:30	Bell Ringing Practice

Wednesday	**16 January**
8:00	Broomwood Hall School Service
11:30 – 14:00	Church Open
12 noon	Eucharist
	Presiding: *Rev'd Lisa Wright*
20:00	Choir Practice

Thursday	**17 January**
11:30 – 14:00	Church Open
12 noon	Morning Prayer

Friday	**18 January**

Saturday	**19 January**
10:00	Flower Arrangers
10:00 – 11:00	Clergy Office Hour

Sunday	**20 January**	**EPIPHANY 3**
8:00	Eucharist	
	President: *Rev'd Neil Dawson*	
10:00	Parish Eucharist	
	Preacher: Nigel Carpenter (CEO Spires)	
15:00	Thanksgiving Open Day Activities Begin	
16:00	Thanksgiving Tea and Refreshments	
16:30	Service of Thanksgiving	
	Preacher: Ven Simon Gates	

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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

COULD YOU BE A CHURCHWARDEN?

I shall be stepping down as Churchwarden on 7th April. Please consider if you would like to step into this interesting role. You would be making a valuable contribution to the work of St Leonard's Church and have the pleasure of working alongside our Rector Anna and Churchwarden Ann Morisy. Please ask for further details if interested. 07740 854168

Tim Davies

CHRISTMAS TREES AND FLOWERS

Thank you to everyone who helped in any with the Christmas Trees and flowers which made the Church look so beautiful. The amount received in donations was £80.00

Mary Treacy

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

CRECHE 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

CHURCH OPEN AFTERNOON AND SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING, NEXT SUNDAY 20TH JANUARY

To celebrate the successful completion of our new kitchen, chairs, loos, and other development work, we will be holding a church open afternoon and service of thanksgiving on Sunday 20th January.

The service will take place at 4:30pm and the open afternoon will start at 3:00pm, with children's activities, heritage tours of the building and tea and cakes.

We hope that as many people as possible will be able to join us, so please do put the date in your diaries.

CALL FOR CAKES!

Please can you help with cake for the tea prior to the Thanksgiving service on 20th January. If you can drop them off at church on the Sunday before 3pm that would be great. If you can let me know what you are bringing that would be helpful for advising others what to bake or bring.

020 8769 8669

Moyra Heggie

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR NIGHT SHELTER FOR ROUGH SLEEPERS IN STREATHAM.

Love Streatham are supporting a new initiative to offer night shelter accommodation in Streatham during the coldest months. If you are interested in volunteering help the following local churches are hosting a night's shelter on the following evenings:

Tuesday evening - Streatham Vale Baptist Church
Wednesday evening - Southcroft Icthus Church
Thursday evening - New Covenant Church (we pray)
Friday evening - Streatham Baptist Church

Volunteers are needed for the following tasks:

7pm - 10pm	Preparing and serving meals and clearing up afterwards
10pm - 6am	Men only - for safety and security
6am - 8am	Light breakfast and final clear up.

It began on Wednesday 2nd January 2019 at Southcroft Church and will be continuing to the middle of March.

Please contact **Howard Giles** <hgiles@streathambaptist.com

If you would like to help out.

The Rector.

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

or call: 01322 554999

STREATHAM DEPRESSION SELF HELP GROUP

We are a confidential, non-judgemental self help group that meets at 7.00 – 8.30pm in the Vestry at St. Leonard's Church. If you suffer from Depression or Anxiety this group is for you. Family members, Carers or Partners are also welcome.

For more information please contact:
Alisha Marguerie
Tel: 07762278610
Email: streathamdepressiongroup@gmail.com

The next meeting dates are:

22nd January 2018

5th February 2018

Alisha Marguerie