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Welcome

4th September 2016

17th Sunday after Trinity

A warm welcome to everyone
at St Stephen's today.

If this is your first visit we are
delighted to welcome you and
would love to talk to you after
any service.

Sunday Services

9.00am Traditional Service
10.30am All Age Worship
6.30pm Evening Prayer
7.30pm Open to God

Weekday Services

Mon 8.00am Morning Prayer
Tues 8.00am Morning Prayer
8.00pm Prayer Meeting
Weds 9.30am Communion
Thurs 8.00am Morning Prayer
Fri 8.00am Morning Prayer

9.00am Traditional Service

Service Leader: Steve Newbold
Speaker: Dinos Horattides

Readings: Jeremiah 18:1-11 Page 777
Luke 14:25-33 Page 1048

Theme: The pot reshaped

Hymns:

At the name of Jesus 41
Ye servants of God 784
Go forth and tell 178

**Café between
the services**



10.30am All Age Worship

**Service Leaders: Steve and Caroline
Newbold**

Readings: Matthew 28:16-20 Page 1001

Theme: Holiday Club Service

Songs:

Give thanks to the Lord our God and King
Let our praise be your welcome
I'm a friend of God
Wide and long and high and deep
O Lord my God (how great Thou art)

**Prayer Ministry is available at both
services. If you have come with any need
or concern or you have felt
challenged during the service, do
seek prayer this morning.**

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PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

Lord God, defend your Church from all false teaching and give to your people knowledge of your truth, that we may enjoy eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Readings at 6.30 pm

Psalms 121	Page 622
Isaiah 43:14-44:5	Page 728
John 5:30-end	Page 1069

CAFÉ EXTRA

Our monthly café extra is back **TODAY** after the 10.30am service.

TRAIDCRAFT STALL

TODAY we open with new stock. Browsers and buyers most welcome. Sign the Petition for Justice Matters too, urging the government to update laws to protect workers employed by UK companies abroad. More information on the stall on 4th, the Mission Team notice board or at www.traidcraft.co.uk.

OPEN TO GOD

Our fortnightly informal evening service returns this evening at 7.30pm with extended sung worship, teaching and prayer. All welcome.

FLOWERS

This week's flowers have been provided by Liz Cooper to celebrate her birthday and are also in memory of departed family and friends whose birthday's and anniversaries fall in September.

If anyone has something special to celebrate or someone they would particularly like to remember this October please do think about signing up to provide flowers for one of the Sundays in October.

ANDREW DAND

From today Andrew will be providing cover at St Gabriel's Cricklewood during the long term sickness of their Vicar Jane Morris. This means that Andrew will be in Cricklewood on many Sunday mornings and only with us about once a month but he will be here during the week as normal.

STUART MELCHOR

Today, and for the next few months we welcome Stuart Melchor who is training for ordained ministry at St Mellitus College. Stuart will be with us to learn about life in a different tradition to his home Church of All Soul's Harlesden. Please make him feel welcome and at home.

TUESDAY PRAYERS

Our usual monthly prayer meeting is on **Tuesday (6th)**. Can you come and pray for an hour—we will particularly be praying for Alpha and the new Missional Community?

COMING SUNDAYS

Next **Sunday (11th)** we will be thinking about our Vision for the coming term and praying for the new Missional Community on Gurnell Grove. We will also be welcoming Ash Abbott, our new Worship Minister to the 10.30am Service.

On **Sunday 18th** we will be launching this term's Alpha and baptising a number of people by full immersion.

ST DAVIDS

Join us at St David's on Sunday 11th September at 3pm for '*The Last Sunday of The Proms*' hymns of Praise. Please contact Sally Horattides 020 8840 6047 or Peter Devereaux 020 8579 7884.

INTER FAITH CLIMATE SYMPOSIUM

St John's, Waterloo 21st September from 5.00-9.00pm. Speak to Sue Charlton for more information.

PEOPLE & PLANET GATHERING

You are all invited on Sunday 18th September to meet Joel Rodridgues from Nicaragua. He will be with us to share lunch and tell us how Climate Change is devastating his country. He brings news too of how a development program supported by our Mission Partner, The Amos Trust, is helping farmers to develop new techniques in the production of food. Bring friends and family at 12.30 for lunch or 2pm for the talk and tea. See the sign up sheet or speak to Sue Charlton.

EALING HALF MARATHON

The Ealing Half Marathon is on Sunday 25th September. Can you volunteer to help marshal the event on the roads around St Stephen's—if so please sign up <http://www.ealinghalfmarathon.com/volunteer/> stating you wish to help out near to St Stephen's.

FUTURE DATES

Sunday 25th September—Café Church at 4.30pm—this replaces *all* other services that Sunday because of the Ealing Half Marathon. Children's groups will be provided during Café Church.

Sunday 2nd October — Harvest Thanksgiving Sunday.

Saturday 26th November — Christmas Bazaar.

ALPHA

Got questions about life? then try Alpha, or invite a friend along to this term's Alpha. Over 10 interactive sessions Alpha explores life's big questions and is suitable for all, many here at St Stephen's have found it a great experience in exploring faith. Alpha starts on **Tuesday 4th October here at church at 8:00pm**. To register or find out more please speak to Andrew Dand or email admin@ststephens-ealing.org



Our mid week Groups for worship, prayer, Bible Study and Fellowship.

Our groups are now resuming after the summer break. Contact the leaders for more information..

Daytimers

Meets every **Wednesday at 11.00am** in the Church Centre for cake, coffee, fellowship, Bible reflection and prayer.

Tuesday Group

Details from Steve Newbold (8810 4929).

20's and 30's Group

Details from Susy or Andrew Dand (8991 0933).

P&P small group

Meeting fortnightly from 5th September. Details from Dinos Horattides (8840 6047) or Peter Charlton (8997 8236)

Film Group

September film will be Eddie the Eagle. Meeting Thursday 15th to watch the film and Thursday 22nd September for a discussion about it and the issues it might raise for us as Christians. For further information please contact Rosemary or Philip on 07733 441 431.

THEATRE TRIP

A provisional group booking has been made for the musical 'Stepping Out' at Richmond Theatre on Thursday 27th October at 7.30 pm. The show which is going to the West End stars Amanda Holden and Tamzin Outhwaite. Tickets cost £35. Please contact Rosemary Beardow for more details.