

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.

# 9:00am Community Cafe

Offering free tea/coffee and pastries to those watching or participating in the Ealing Half Marathon



# 4:30pm Cafe Church

For the whole Church with activities for children Leader: Steve Newbold Preacher: Steve Newbold

Reading: Philippians 3:10-21 Page 1180

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

**First Tuesday Prayers** Our October prayer meeting will be on Tuesday 2nd at 8pm. Join us for just one hour to pray for this church and its mission.

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7th October Harvest Festival Gifts of non-perishable food goods and money will be welcomed at church for Harvest. All donations will go to Ealing Food Bank. Please see the October Bulletin for stock needed.

### Traidcraft

The stall will be run on 7th Oct during Cafe. Come and see new products and stock up with old favourites of Fairtrade, Eco and ethical goods.

## Love Nigeria

6:30-8pm St John's, Mattock Lane. An evening to highlight, celebrate and pray for Open Doors, an organisation that works with the persecuted church around the world. The guest speaker is, Suleiman Regional Director of Open Doors West Africa.

(Note no evening service at St Stephen's this week)

#### Prayer for the Week

God, our judge and saviour, teach us to be open to your truth and to trust in your love, that we may live each day with confidence in the salvation which is given through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### **Open Synod and Deanery Eucharist**

On Wednesday 10th October at 7:30pm we will welcome our new Bishop of London, Dame Sarah Mullally, to the Ealing Deanery. She will lead a Eucharist at Christ the Saviour Church in Ealing Broadway and then answer questions. Questions must be submitted to Steve Newbold in advance. There is no parking on site. All Welcome.

## St Stephen's Book Club

We had a brilliant first meeting with eight people attending. Our next meeting will be on Wednesday 10th Oct at 8pm in Church. We will be discussing Eleanor Oliphant is completely find by Gail Honeyman. Info from Morgen Edwards in the Church office admin@ststephens-ealing.org or 8991 0164.

#### **Church Big Clean** Sat 27th Oct 1pm-5pm

If you can spare half an hour or more then please come along. We need people to clean and do some painting. Please contact Geoff Thomas for more information geoff@ststephens-ealing.org.

Save the Date 11th Nov - 100 years on 24th Nov - Christmas Bazaar