

# March 15th 2020

### 9.00am Traditional Service

Leader Enid Barron Preacher Sam Sanya Readings Daniel 10:1-11 Page 896 Matthew 6:16-18 Page 970

#### 10.30am Informal Service

Leader Steve Newbold Preacher Sam Sanya Reading Daniel 10:1-11 Page 896

## **6.30pm Evening Prayer**

Readings Psalm 40 Page 566 Joshua 1:1-9 Page 216 Ephesians 6:10-20 Page 1177

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# Weekly Update

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#### **Today**

We continue our sermon series titled 'Life Changing Habits'. The theme today is 'Fasting'.

#### **Evening Prayer**

Tonight at 6.30pm - Celtic Style Evening Prayer for Lent

#### **Tea Timers**

Special session - Fri 20th Mar 2.30-4pm. A visiting duo bring us an electrifying how, singing and dancing through the hits of the 50s and 60s. If you have never tried one of these sessions before do come! Suggested donation £4

#### **Mothering Sunday 22nd March**

Next Sunday all mothers will receive a gift a both morning services and we will especially celebrate mothers at All Age Worship at 10:30am. Cool Christians will be fund raising with a cake sale at cafe time for Hospices of Hope. All purchased or home-baked effors by children and parents would be greatly appreciated.

#### Lent appeals

Please give what you can for 'Wheels for Climate Emergencies' giving relief to those in Angola and Mozambique.If you missed the film in church last Sunday, see The Diocese of London website. Yellow gift aid envelopes in church. Loo rolls for donations to ALMA and Easter Eggs for the Marylebone Project for Homeless Women at the Traidcraft stall during Cafe today. £4.50 will pay for a Fairtrade egg with the Easter story for a resident.

#### St Stephen's Walking Group

Amble through Denham Country Park on Saturday, 21st March at 10:30am. 1 or 3 mile walk followed by a pub lunch. Start at Visitor Centre UBG 5PG. Phone Fred Eaves (07958519791) for details.

#### **Quiet Morning 28th March**

The theme will be Wholelife Worship with meditations available to focus on aspects of life. Drop in anytime between 10am – 12.30 pm. Tea and coffee.

#### Earth Hour with P&P gathering

Saturday 28th March at 7:30pm All welcome to share supper by candle light as we celebrate God's Creation of our world. See the sign up sheet or speak to Sue Charlton 8997 8236

#### Songs of Praise 29th March

At 3.30pm the Pastoral Care Team are hosting a Songs of Praise service. Come and hear hymns chosen by the congregation and their 'reflection' why they were chosen. Tea and cakes. All welcome. Please sign up if you are coming. Pete Devereux 07759 877 140.

#### **Thanks**

The Devereux family would like to thank everyone for their messages of support and sympathy during their recent family bereavement.

#### Prayer for the week

Eternal God, give us insight to discern your will for us, to give up what harms us, and to seek the perfection we are promised in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen