

## News & Events

### JANUARY CHURCH FINANCE

Our income for the month was £4,566 and expenditure was £9,354. Income included £1,353 church collections; £2,179 hall rents; £974 Ingleby Road flats rents. Expenditure included: £4,560 monthly payment to the diocese (new amount for 2019); £445 gas and electricity; £502 hall cleaning; £132 music Licence; £1,446 repair work at Ingleby Road flats; £200 donation to Cold Weather Shelter from Christmas collections.

### CITIZENS UK

On Sunday 24 February from 2pm to 5pm, Redbridge Citizens/Citizens UK are organising a Vision Day to come together, strengthen the relationships within our institutions and across the alliance and plan our work for the year ahead. This is an opportunity to find out more about how Redbridge Citizens/Citizens UK work together with communities, local politicians and Redbridge Council to tackle social issues such as homelessness, lack of affordable housing and hate crimes. The event will take place at Al-Noor Primary School, 619-625 Green Lane, IG3 9RP (Bus 364, 128 or 150, bus stop Goodmayes Primary School). Please talk to Andrea or Jenny to find out more or if you would like to attend

On a related note, Redbridge Council is organising a Redbridge Tenants Forum to provide legal advice for tenants in privately rented accommodation. The first meeting will be held on Wednesday 13 February 7pm to 9pm at the Gloucester Room, Redbridge Central Library, Clements Road, Ilford. IG1 1EA.

### Stay in touch

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### CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL

Every six years the Church Electoral Roll has to be renewed. This year (2019) is one of the years when we have to produce a totally new Electoral Roll - that is to say, all the names on the current Electoral Roll will be removed and everyone must re-apply to be on the new list.

The Church Electoral Roll is nothing to do with political elections to parliament or local councils. It is basically a list of the congregation. The 'electoral' bit refers to the fact that people on the Church Electoral Roll can vote at the Annual Parochial Church Meeting in the election of Churchwardens and members of the Parochial Church Council.

To have your name on the Electoral Roll you have to be aged 16 or above (or be 16 in the coming 12 months); to have been baptised; to be a member of the Church of England, or a Church in communion with the Church of England or a Church that subscribes to the doctrine of the Holy Trinity.

The Electoral Roll Officer at St Margaret's is Sharon Daughters, and she can help you fill in the form if necessary or answer your questions. Please complete and return a form as soon as possible, but no later than Sunday 17 March. The Annual Parochial Church Meeting at St Margaret's will be on Sunday 7 April in the church hall after the Sung Eucharist.

### AREA DEAN OF REDBRIDGE

Bishop Stephen has appointed Fr Martyn Hawkes, the Parish Priest of St Gabriel, Aldersbrook to be the new Area Dean of Redbridge. Fr Martyn is known to many of us at St Margaret's - he has covered services here on several occasions, and St Gabriel's (with St Luke, Ilford) is one of the parishes we go with on our annual cathedral pilgrimage in September.

Our cathedral pilgrimage this year is on Saturday 7 September, to Peterborough Cathedral.

## St Margaret of Antioch, Ilford

Welcoming, transforming and growing together in God's love

### Weekly News Sheet

Sunday 10 February 2019

Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

## Worship & Intercessions

### THIS MORNING

#### Welcome Team:

Dorish Thason and Vijin Paulraj

#### Mass Setting:

*A New People's Mass* Gregory Murray

**Readers:** Emile Foster and Ann Rotondaro

**Intercessions led by** Helen Cansick

#### Eucharistic Ministers:

Gerard Ouattara and Ruby Hughes

### THIS WEEK

**Thursday** Eucharist 10.30am  
(*St Cyril and Methodius*)

### NEXT SUNDAY

SIXTH SUNDAY  
OF ORDINARY TIME

10.30am Sung Eucharist

### WE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR:

#### The sick and those in need:

Loraine Arnold, Janet Edwards, Anne Fox, Grace Martin, Joergen Nielsen, Hemendra Rai, Reema, Avril Sangowawa, Matilda Sikder, Marjorie Tarran, Christobel Trumpet

#### The recently departed,

#### Those whose anniversaries of death fall this week:

10<sup>th</sup>: Ivy Anderson

11<sup>th</sup>: Leonard Chapman, Sylvia Pugh

13<sup>th</sup>: James Fullard, Dolly Davie

14<sup>th</sup>: Mabel James

16<sup>th</sup>: William Newman (*Priest*)

## Welcome to St Margaret's Church

We hope you enjoy worshipping with us. If you are here for the first time please or visiting from another church, please introduce yourself. If you would like more information about anything to do with St Margaret's please contact us.

### PARISH PRIEST AND CHURCHWARDENS



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## Collect

Lord of the hosts of heaven,  
our salvation and our strength,  
without you we are lost:  
guard us from all that harms or hurts  
and raise us when we fall;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.  
**Amen.**

## First Reading: Isaiah 6: 1-8

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of his robe filled the temple. Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. And one called to another and said: 'Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory.' The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. And I said: 'Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!' Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: 'Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out.' Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?' And I said, 'Here am I; send me!'

## Psalm 96

**R: Before the angels I will bless you, O Lord**

I thank you, Lord, with all my heart,  
you have heard the words of my mouth.  
Before the angels I will bless you.  
I will adore before your holy temple. **R**

I thank you for your faithfulness and love  
which excel all we ever knew of you.  
On the day I called, you answered;  
you increased the strength of my soul. **R**

All earth's kings shall thank you  
when they hear the words of your mouth.  
They shall sing of the Lord's ways:  
'How great is the glory of the Lord!' **R**

You stretch out your hand and save me,  
your hand will do all things for me.  
Your love, O Lord, is eternal,  
discard not the work of your hand. **R**

## Second Reading: I Corinthians 15: 1-11

I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you – unless you have come to believe in vain. For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: **that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures**, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to someone untimely born, he appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace towards me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them – though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

## Gospel Acclamation

**Alleluia .....**

I call you friends, says the Lord,  
because I have made known to  
you everything I have learnt from my Father.  
**Alleluia .....**

## Gospel: St Luke 5: 1-11

## Prayer over the Gifts

Creator God,  
you provide food and drink  
to sustain us on this earth.  
Grant that this bread and wine  
may be the sacrament of our eternal life.  
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

## Post Communion Prayer

Go before us, Lord, in all we do  
with your most gracious favour,  
and guide us with your continual help,  
that in all our works  
begun, continued and ended in you,  
we may glorify your holy name,  
and finally by your mercy receive everlasting life;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**