

St Gabriel's Church,
Aldersbrook
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Weekly Newsletter
21st May
Easter 7

10am Parish Eucharist
Celebrant Fr. Martyn Hawkes
120, 644, 97, (540), 16

Children's Choir
Rehearsals 11.30am – 12.15pm
today. For Father's Day Service
Performance on Sunday 18th June at
10am service. For more information
please speak to Fr Martyn

This Week

Evening Prayer
5pm Monday, Wednesday &
Thursday in church & Zoom
Tuesday on Zoom only
No evening prayer on Friday

Monday 22nd May
7.15pm Forest Philharmonic
rehearsing
7.30pm Standing committee at the
vicarage

Tuesday 23rd May
10-12 Open Church
7.30pm Contemplative Prayer

Wednesday
9.30am Prayer Hour
11am Holy Communion
12 noon Pre-school carers group
3.30pm After-school club

Thursday
10:00 - 11:45 am Open Church
10:15 - 11:15 am Tai Chi in church
11:45am – 1pm. Meditation and
Reflection in church
1 - 2.15pm Yoga class in church.

Friday 26th May
11am Roderick Milroy Funeral at
crematorium

Tuesday 30th May
10.30am Jean Pirie Funeral in
church
1.30 Johanna Summers Funeral at
crematorium

*Items for weekly notices need to
submitted by Thursday evening.*
[sarertrand47@gmail.com](mailto:sarabertrand47@gmail.com)

**Thank you to Gigi for playing for
us while John is away.**

Next Sunday: Pentecost

If you have another mother tongue
and would be willing to translate, or
read a short part of the bible reading
for next Sunday in your own
language please let Fr Martyn know
either at church today or by email.

Messy Church is back!

Saturday 17th June 2- 4pm

There's a meeting over coffee after
church **today** to discuss plans for
this with Clare, our children &
families coordinator. This is a
chance to sit together to share
successes & be inspired for our next
event. Do come along if you're
interested in learning more! Contact
Clare at on 07986180230 or
www.families@gmail.com

Magazine Articles Please

We are collecting articles for the
next parish magazine. Please send
articles to teresasmith@me.com.
The closing date for articles is
Monday 29th May.

St Gabriel's Church Directory.

We are offering parishioners the
chance to share their contact details
with each other in a list that will be
sent to everyone who also shares
their details. The aim is to encourage
our community to connect & build
relationships. More details are
available on the form or contact Fr.
Martyn or Clare Reeves.

Summer Club 2023

St. Gabriel's will be hosting our
annual fun-filled Summer Club
again this year from Tuesday 25th to
Friday 28th July. Children take part
in a range of activities from 9:00-
12:30 each day. Please consider
volunteering during this exciting
week: leading, helping a leader or
preparing food and drink. Contact
Anthony or Amelia for more details.

Foodbank Update

Thanks to all who supports various
foodbank collections. You are
currently invited to donate tins of
veg, custard, coffee, meat meals, tins
of spaghetti or beans, small bags of
rice, honey or peanut butter, and
long life milk (not skimmed).
Thanks again, Helen and the team.

Christian Aid Week (CAW)

Big thank you to everyone who
helped over this week, with a special
thank you to Sue Mutter for all her
hard work.

Sunday 11th June

2nd MMU pilgrimage through the
Forest - 1.30pm St Mary's
Woodford via St Peter in the Forest,
Christ Church, St Mary's &
finishing at St Gabriel's at 4pm. An
option of lunch at St Mary's before
the walk is also available.

Monday 12th June

8pm Spiritual Book Club
Our next book is 'Barchester
Towers' by Anthony Trollop. We are
meeting in the Vicarage to discuss it.
All are welcome.

Saturday 17th June

1pm-4pm NE London Eco Faith
Climate Forum Meeting
Vine URC Church Hall, Ilford
For more information contact
petermusgrave1950@gmail.com

Saturday 17th June

Redbridge Brass are back!
Presenting 'Our British Isles - a
musical journey'. Refreshments
available. See poster for more
details. Starts 7:30pm Tickets Adult
£12 Child (under 12 yrs) FREE
www.ticketsource.co.uk/redbridgebrass

Sunday 18th June

Deanery Confirmation - are there
any people who would like to
explore confirmation? Want to
know more, please speak to Fr
Martyn today.

For Our Prayers

For those who are sick:

Aliandra Adelin, Frances Bonnick,
Allen Chan, Joyce Demetriou, Peter
Ellis, Margaret Filer, Eileen Galer,
Ray Green, Martin Griffiths, Kelly
Harmsworth, Sylvia Hawkes, Phyllis
Lehman, Patricia Lipman, Milosh,
John Mitchell, Mary Watts & those
on the Prayer Board

For the recently departed

Roderick Milroy, Johanna Summers

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Rose Ewart, Sybil Rigby