

St Gabriel's Church,
Aldersbrook
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Weekly Newsletter
28th May
Pentecost

10am Parish Eucharist
Celebrant Fr. Martyn Hawkes
Hymns in service book

Thank you to our readers from
around the world for sharing with
us the story of Pentecost!

This Week

Evening Prayer
5pm Tuesday only this week in
church and on zoom

Tuesday 30th May
10.30am Jean Pirie Funeral in
church

Wednesday
9.30am Prayer Hour
11am Holy Communion
12 noon Pre-school carers group
No after-school club this week for
half term

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.

Next Sunday 4th June
10am All-age Service

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.

Sunday school has had a new
start. Gigi is on fire with great
craft ideas, and Kate has been
leading the sessions. But, they
can't do this alone. If you'd like to
find out more please speak to them
after the service today. The yoke is
easy and the burden is light, but
the rewards are great!

Thursday 8th June
8pm Corpus Christi at Christ
Church. A joint service with
Wanstead Parish and friends from
our MMU.

Aldersbrook School Year 6
production will be in St Gabriel's
again this year. Rehearsals will
begin after half term on Mondays
and Fridays starting on 9th June.

Sunday 11th June
Aldersbrook Community Choir
concert in church

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.

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 £12
Child (under 12 yrs) FREE
www.ticketsource.co.uk/redbridgebrass

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.

*Items for weekly notices need to
submitted by Thursday evening.
(sarabertrand47@gmail.com)*

Sunday 11th June
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 available. If
anyone isn't able to do the walk
but would be willing to bake, or
offer to make tea for the arrivals
please speak to Martyn

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

Messy Church is back!
Saturday 17th June 2- 4pm
If you would like to volunteer or
need more information please
contact Clare, our children &
families coordinator, on
07986180230 or
wva.families@gmail.com

Sunday 18th June
Deanery Confirmation - are there
any people who would like to
explore confirmation? Want to
know more, please speak to Fr
Martyn this week or next.

For Our Prayers

For those who are sick:
Aliandra Adelin, Frances Bonnick,
Joyce Demetriou, Peter Ellis,
Margaret Filer, Eileen Galer, Ray
Green, Martin Griffiths, Kelly
Harmsworth, Sylvia Hawkes,
Phyllis Lehreman, Patricia
Lipman, Milosh, John Mitchell,
Mary Watts & those on the Prayer
Board

For the recently departed
Johanna Summers
**and those whose anniversaries
occur at this time:**
Wendy Christian, Edith Spittle,
George Stacey