

St Gabriel's Church,  
Aldersbrook  
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Weekly Newsletter  
16<sup>th</sup> July

10am Parish Eucharist  
*Celebrant* Fr. Martyn Hawkes  
*Preacher* Henry Lau  
25, 420, 184, 114, 238

11.30am PCC Meeting after  
church

This Week

### **Evening Prayer**

5pm Monday to Thursday  
Please note that Tuesday will be  
on Zoom only due to preparation  
for the Year 6 performance.  
No evening prayer on Friday

**Tuesday**  
10-12 Open Church

**Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July**  
Aldersbrook School year 6  
production - all day use of church  
on this day until 8pm.

**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 21<sup>st</sup> July**  
11am Funeral of Eddie Godwin in  
church

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

**Next Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July**  
We welcome Alma Johnson and  
family and friends for her baptism

**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July**  
After the service there will be a  
holiday club briefing for  
volunteers

**Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July**  
10:30 - 11:30 Bereavement Cafe  
For all who have experienced loss  
in Christ Church.

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July**  
7pm Spiritual Growth Group at 10  
Blake Hall Crescent. All welcome.  
This week's discussion is on a text  
from Richard Rohr - details in the  
parish email or from Willa King.

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> July**  
7.30pm Contemplative Prayer

**Spiritual Book Club**  
Our next book is 'Our Lady the  
Lost and Found' by Dianne  
Schoemperlen. We will meet at 8  
pm in the vicarage on Monday 21<sup>st</sup>  
August to discuss it. All are  
welcome.

**St Gabriel's Church Directory.**  
We are offering parishioners the  
chance to share their 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.

**Foodbank Update**  
A huge thank you to all at St  
Gabriels for the very generous  
recent donations. The need  
continues and sadly increases as so  
many struggle to pay the bills  
week to week. Please do speak to  
someone if you need help yourself  
with food or other bills.  
Helen and the team.

**Family Fun day fliers**  
We have one last call for  
delivering round the parish - if you  
are able to deliver a flier for a  
street please do take a bundle if  
you can.

**St. Gabriel's Holiday Club**  
Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> to Friday 28<sup>th</sup> July.  
Please pray for the club and our  
volunteers and leaders as they  
work with the children to take part  
in a range of activities from 9:00-  
12:30 each day.

**Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> July**  
**Family Fun Day**  
We would really appreciate lots of  
helpers on the day along with  
donations including: homemade  
cakes, bottles of Pimms, other  
bottles for the tombola, clean like-  
new toys, books, good quality  
bric-a-brac and vouchers for the  
raffle. Sign up sheets at the back of  
the church or speak to Nanette for  
more info.

### **For Our Prayers**

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

**For the recently departed**  
Eddie Godwin, Dara Hovell, Jean  
Lamey

**and those whose anniversaries  
occur at this time:**  
Bob Collings, Jean Sherman,  
Gladys Cooper, Peggy Hughes