

## Prayer and Thanksgiving this week

### People:

- Pray for Sammy Smith and Brian Collins - we remember all those who care for them.
- For our church family members: Fiona Collins, Sue Cook, Janis & Paul Cornelius and Catherine, Richard, Isobel & Hariett Davidson

### Community

- Pray that we may build together God's living Community, bound together by love, hope and joy.
- All who live and work in Holtspur and Beaconsfield
- Thank God for our witness and opportunities in this Community.
- Those who have been bereaved
- Kiln Court and the Senior Citizens Group
- Lighthouse – leaders, lamplighters, children and families – for fun – and protection.

### Church


- We hold in our prayers Jan, Fiona, Caroline and all the family as they prepare to bid farewell to Ron
- For strengthening relationships between all the Beaconsfield Churches as we seek to serve our community together.
- For our Steering Group – Fiona Collins Tony Griffiths , Trevor Sharkey , Ruth Moores, Steve Snaith, Chris Jones, Chris Cook , Delia and Chris Burley

### World

*“So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Luke 11: 9-10*

*Lord, we ask for your peace and unity in our world.*

### Mission – Newham Community Renewal Programme

 Let us remember our friends in Newham and the stress of their major re-structuring. May Ruth lead them well and sensitively through this difficult time.

We also pray for Christy who is awaiting the result of her appeal for permission to remain in the UK after some 20 years of living here. Help her cope with the enormous stress that she is under.

Thank you for the wonderful time we spent together at their annual day out to Beaconsfield what a joy to see such happy faces and willing volunteers listening to and entertaining them.

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ST THOMAS CHURCH  
HOLTSPUR BEACONSFIELD



*To transform lives through faith in Jesus*

24<sup>th</sup> July 2016

## Ninth Sunday after Trinity

9.45am Church Prayer

10.00am Morning Praise

- Genesis 18: 20-32 (page 18)
- Luke 11: 1-13 (page 1042)

*If you would like prayer for yourself or for someone you are concerned for, there will be someone from the prayer ministry group at the back of the church during a Communion or after intercessions in a Morning Praise Service.*

## Collect for Eighth Sunday after Trinity

**Gracious Father,  
revive your Church in our day,  
and make her holy, strong and faithful,  
for your glory's sake  
in Jesus Christ our Lord**

12.30pm Charity lunch for Christian Aid and SIM

3.30pm Lighthouse Dedication Service at  
Beaconsfield School

## Services and Events for Next Week

### Lighthouse 2016: Monday 25th to Friday 29th July at Beaconsfield School

<b>Monday 25<sup>th</sup></b>	7.45pm	Churchwardens meeting at St Thomas House
	8pm	Social Group meeting at Chris Jones home
<b>Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup></b>	12.30pm	Senior Citizens Group meets at Kiln Court
<b>Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup></b>	8.30am	Morning Prayer at St Mary's
	9am	Holy Communion
<b>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup></b>	9.30am	Narinder at Burnham Abbey
	2.30pm	Funeral Service of Mr Ron Petts at St Thomas Church with a private burial at the Woodlands, followed by a reception in St Thomas Hall. You are all invited.
<b>Friday 29<sup>th</sup></b>	8.45-11am	Hope Café
	5.30-7.30pm	<b>Engage</b> Youth Club for 6-11 year olds, Curzon Centre
	7-9pm	Holtspur Youth Club
<b>Saturday 30<sup>th</sup></b>	10am	Lighthouse Marquees - Take down
<b>Sunday 31<sup>st</sup></b>		<b>Tenth Sunday after Trinity</b>
		<b><i>There will be NO 10am service at St Thomas today, do join for a United Celebration Worship at Beaconsfield School</i></b>
	10am	United Celebration Worship at Beaconsfield School - please do join us.
	6.30pm	Taize Service – A Service of Meditation and Reflection at St Mary's Church

Please e-mail your notices to [cadali.stthomas@gmail.com](mailto:cadali.stthomas@gmail.com)  
by Thursday 9am next week



**Wishing a very Happy Birthday to...**  
**Brian Collins, Tony Griffith and Tony Chambers**

**Charity lunch for Christian Aid and SIM** (a school in India for children of the lowest and poorest castes) – *Ploughman's in the Garden* on **Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> July** 12.30– 3pm at 7 Caledon Close, HP9 2DA. Tickets £8 (includes a glass of wine/lager/juice) from Margaret Mardall 01494 672120 or [margaret.mardall@ampersat.co.uk](mailto:margaret.mardall@ampersat.co.uk)

**Take-down Lighthouse Marquee** - We need a group of able-bodied people to help with the take down of a Marquee and tents for Lighthouse - 10am **Saturday 30th July**. Please let Paul ([pcornelius@fh.org](mailto:pcornelius@fh.org) or 01494 674898) know if you are able to help.

**31st July at 6.30pm** 'Come unto me and rest': a **service of meditation and reflection** using the music from the Taize community at St Mary's Church. All Welcome.

**A history of Bradbury House** has been recently published, written by Jean Gell and Lesley Rogers. Copies are available for sale at £9 each from Bradbury House reception.

**National Dementia Audit:** Currently the National Dementia Audit is in progress. They are working with hospitals, carers and hospital staff to help improve the care provided to people with memory problems or dementia in general hospitals. Please Visit: [www.CARERQ.org.uk](http://www.CARERQ.org.uk) to complete an anonymous questionnaire online. The survey closes end of August.

### **St Thomas Surveys**

We have reached our target for St Thomas' people – thank you. We are a long way short for the community survey. Please ask your friends and family who live in this area to complete the surveys as soon as possible.  
<http://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/holtspur-foryou/>