

Prayer and Thanksgiving this week

World

- We pray for the people of Tunisia and all the victims of the recent tragic events in Tunisia
- The ongoing rebuilding efforts in Nepal
- Unity of all Christian people as we share in Christ's ministry
- For the Holy Land, Libya and Syria pray wisdom for all the leaders; for peace and tolerance in the world
- All migrants and refugees
- For Burundi as it is on the verge of civil war

Church

- We pray for strengthening relationships between all the Beaconsfield Churches as we seek to serve our community together throughout the year
- The Beaconsfield Team Ministry for unity and fellowship

Community

- We pray for all who live and work in Holtspur and Beaconsfield; we thank God for our witness and opportunities in this community
- For Holtspur Park Friends, Hope Community Drop-In and One Can Trust
- For all the preparations for Lighthouse on 27th-31st July

People

- We pray for healing and wholeness for all who suffer in body, mind or spirit. We hold in prayer Sammy Smith, Hayley, Gareth Buchanan, Wendy, John Cornelius, and Ron Petts; we remember all those who care for them
- For Baby Tyra Mugadzaweta's family, Chantelle, Tanya and Mazimba as they mourn her loss
- For Jennifer, James and Simon and the whole family as they mourn the loss of John
- For our church family members: Joyce Salmon; Trevor and Ros Sharkey; Alan and Jenny Shiell

Mission – Newham Renewal Programme



The Renewal Programme

We give thanks, Lord, for the opportunity to help our friends in Newham in all they do to act out the Gospel in their daily lives. Especially at this time as they go through a period of change and adjustment which will affect their whole team. We pray for Ruth Bravery and her senior team - Kath, Mary, Paul, Louise and Shirley as they face these challenges.

This week, let us also remember those they seek to help –

- People who find themselves in a new country as a refugee or migrants – help them to achieve integration into their community, achieve their potential and avoid being exploited.

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Sunday 19th July 2015



St. Thomas' Church, Holtspur

To transform lives through faith in Jesus

**We give you a warm welcome
as you join us**



Seventh Sunday after Trinity

9.45am Church Prayer
**10.00am Holy Communion with
Laying on of hands with
Prayer and Anointing
Celebrate and Preacher:
Revd Narinder Tegally**

Readings:

- Psalm 23 (p. 555)
- Mark 6. 30 – 34, 53 - end (p. 1009)

Collect for: Seventh Sunday after Trinity

**Generous God,
you give us gifts and make them grow:
though our faith is small as mustard seed,
make it grow to your glory
and the flourishing of your kingdom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**12.30-3pm Charity lunch for Christian Aid and
SIM at 7 Caledon Close
(Beaconsfield New Town). Tickets
£8.00 (includes a glass of
wine/beer/or juice)**

Services and Events Next Week

Monday 20th

Tuesday 21st

8.30am Morning Prayer
10.30-12.30pm Tom's Tots party in St Thomas' Hall
6.30-9pm Rock Solid and Synergy meets at St Michael's
7.45pm Confirmation Group meets at St Thomas' House

Wednesday 22nd

8.30-3.30pm Narinder at St Mary's
6.30pm Open Prayer at St Thomas' Church

Thursday 23rd

9am Morning Prayer
9.30am Holtspur School

Friday 24th

9am Morning Prayer
8.45am-12noon Hope Community Drop-in and One Can Food Bank Project
7pm Holtspur Youth Club

Saturday 25th

Sunday 26th Eighth Sunday after Trinity

9.45am Church Prayer
10am Morning Praise
Lead: Revd Narinder Tegally
Preacher: Hazel Chow

Readings: 2 Samuel 11. 1 - 15
John 6. 1 - 21

1.30pm Interment of Ashes of Mr. Rush at St Mary's

3.30-5.15pm Dedication of Lighthouse 2015 at The Beaconsfield School, Wattleton Road

Lighthouse is coming 27th to 31st July - We need you! If you can help - for a single day or for all 5 days - we would love you to be part of it. All sorts of roles needed from setting up, working with children, not working with children, administration and site management. More information at www.lighthouseadmin.org.



Craft items needed - There is a notice at the back of Church outlining the materials required for this year's Lighthouse craft sessions and a crate in the porch for the collected items. Any questions please contact Jill Jurdon.

Lighthouse Marquee - We need 5 or 6 men to help for about an hour with the erection and dismantling of the Marquee for Lighthouse. It will be erected on Sunday the 26th July at 1pm and dismantled on Saturday the 1st August at 11am. Could you let Paul Cornelius know if you could help either via e mail at pcornelius@fh.org or calling him on 01494674898

Tom's Tots - The numbers are increasing week by week at Tom's Tots which is great - this week we have the summer party and there are over 40 children plus parents and carers coming - so we need your help. **(Note time change for party to 10.30-12.30pm)** Narinder



Charity lunch for Christian Aid and SIM -

Ploughman's in the Garden on Sun 19th July 12.30 - 3.00pm at 7 Caledon Close (Beaconsfield New Town). Tickets £8.00 (includes a glass of wine/beer/juice) from Margaret Mardall (01494 672120).

Majestic Film Night dates at St Michael's - *The Young Victoria* on 16th July, *Doctor Zhivago* on 20th Aug. Arrive at 6.30pm. Includes refreshments. All welcome.



Prayer Ministry - If you would like prayer for yourself or for someone you are concerned for there will be someone from the prayer ministry group. **They will be available to pray with you at the back of the church during a Communion or after the intercessions in a Morning Praise service.**

Restore Hope Latimer is looking to immediately appoint an experienced administrator to cover a maternity period.  The successful candidate will be an enthusiastic and a highly organised administrator with excellent interpersonal and communication skills. For more details visit: <http://www.restorehope.org.uk/staff-vacancies> Please apply with a cover letter that explains how you might meet the criteria above along with a copy of your CV to: Sue Trevor (sue.trevor@restorehopelatimer.org)

Beaconsfield Advisory Centre - Thank you to all those who drive for the transport scheme of the BAC. We need another transport organiser to help on a rota basis. Please contact the Centre at 672987 if you are able to help. Thank you, Sylvia Jones

*** Mission for St Thomas ***

Prayer Times - Everyone Welcome

Following our open meeting, it was apparent that everyone felt we need to meet together to pray regularly to discern where God may be leading us as a church and community. Everyone is welcome to attend prayers at St Thomas' Church on **Tuesdays 8.30am and Thursday and Friday at 8.45am** for about 30mins. We will also meet each **Wednesday at 6.30-7.15pm** at St Thomas' Church. The more we pray together and individually the better. Thank you Narinder



We wish a Happy Birthday to . . .

Ron Petts, Trevor Sharkey and Brian Collins

Beaconsfield Parish Retreat - Fri 11th to 13th Sept 2015 at Ladywell Retreat and Spirituality Centre, Godalming, to be led by Alison Caw titled 'O for a closer walk with God'. Cost is £130. For more information or to reserve a place, contact Daphne Scott on 01494 676938 or email scottdaphne@gmail.com.

Please e-mail your notices to

debra@stmarysbeaconsfield.org.uk by **Thursday 12 noon** each week. Many thanks.