

**TRINITY UNITED REFORMED CHURCH  
WIMBLEDON  
www.trinitywimbledon.org**

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November 2017**

## **NOTICE PAPER**

***Gift Day "For Others"***

**10:30** Elders' Meeting

**11:00** **Morning worship with Holy Communion**

**18:30** **Bereavement Service**

We are delighted to welcome visitors joining us for worship today. We hope you will make yourself known to the Minister or Elders. We extend a warm welcome to all children. We have a Junior Church for children from 3 upwards and a creche for babies and toddlers.

万分欢迎你來聯合歸正教會三一堂崇拜。我們的崇拜首先是與英文堂一起的。在牧師作兒童短講之後，我們會繼續在副堂作中文崇拜。期望你能參加。

**The flowers today** have been given by Michael Young in loving memory of Alan.

**The next Traidcraft Stall will be on Sunday 12 November.**

**Large print copies** of this Notice Paper and Order of Service are available from the Door Stewards. Please ask for a copy if you would like one.

**Items for inclusion in next week's Notice Paper  
should be sent to Elizabeth Scharinger by Wednesday lunch-time  
at [office@trinitywimbledon.org](mailto:office@trinitywimbledon.org)  
or (020) 8946 9281**

## **This Week**

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| 6         | Mon        | 20:00  | Badminton   |
| 7         | Tue        | 20:00  | Pastoral Team   |
| 8         | Wed        | 20:00  | Church & Society  |
| 9         | Thu        | 20:00  | Calendar Planning Meeting                                   |
| 10        | Fri        | 10:00<br>19:30<br>20:00<br>20:00                   | Trinity Toddlers<br>Film Club<br>Choir<br>Friday Fellowship |
| 11        | Sat        | 16:00<br>18:00                                     | Supersonic<br>Children's Firework Party                     |
| <b>12</b> | <b>Sun</b> | <b>Remembrance Sunday</b><br>09:15<br><b>10:45</b> | Choir Practice<br><b>Morning worship</b>                    |

## **Gift Day "For Others"**

Will you please help us to raise sufficient money in order that we may meet the challenge of our mission to serve our local community and the needs of the wider world? **Our Gift Day is today.** We are hoping to raise £10,000 this year for the charities for which Trinity members and friends have voted.

## **"Tree of Light" Bereavement Service**

All are welcome to this special service at 6.30pm in the church today, 5 November. There will be opportunity to remember, by name, loved ones who have died. If you are unable to attend the service but would like a loved one to be remembered, please let Dominic know

## **Church and Society – Wednesday 8 November**

The next meeting will be at 8pm on Wednesday 8 November where we will be discussing: The Reformation - how has it changed society? All are welcome at 158 Durham Road, London SW20 0DG.

## **Nativity 2017**

The Nativity Play this year takes place during the Morning Service on Sunday 17 December. There are two parts for adults in it - if you are interested in taking part please speak to Katrina Clifford for more details as soon as possible but before the end of today.

## **Christmas Music at Trinity**

It is that time of year again, and we need your help! Please do read the events below, and if you can get involved, or ask friends or family, we would really appreciate it. Every extra person makes a huge difference and that person could be you!

### **Supersonic at Centre Court - 25 November 13:00 - 15:00**

We need young singers (age 5-12) and band musicians of any age to join us for a special afternoon letting Wimbledon know just how much Trinity has to offer. Band are rehearsing on Sunday 19 November, and children on Saturday 11 November immediately before Trinity's annual Fireworks Party - why not bring the children to sing some Christmas hits before the fireworks?

### **Trinity Carol Service - 17 December 18:30 - 20:00**

We need adult singers of all voice parts to join us for this year's Carol Service. This year we will also have a brass group and it promises to be a hugely memorable occasion. Rehearsals are on Friday nights and start from 4th November - there is no requirement to attend them all.

### **Trinity Christmas Tree Festival - Friday 8 and Saturday 9 December 18:30 - 19:30**

We have room for more performers at this year's Tree Festival. Please invite any groups or individuals you know who'd like to perform in any capacity! We can provide accompaniment, rehearsal time and support.

For all the above, please contact Andrew Davies at [andrew.davies888@btinternet.com](mailto:andrew.davies888@btinternet.com)

## **Will you deliver some Trinity Christmas flyers?**

We are producing flyers to advertise both our Christmas Tree Festival and also our Christmas services, and we are now looking for volunteers to deliver these to homes in the neighbourhood in the first few days of December. You are simply asked to pop the flyer through the letter boxes, and you get a little exercise while doing it!

A sign-up sheet is posted on the notice board in the vestry corridor with a list of roads we wish to cover, so please offer half an hour of your time to help. Thank you.

## **Will you sponsor a poinsettia at the Christmas Tree Festival?**



We are planning a very special decoration for the Christmas Tree Festival this year, but we need everyone to help us. Will you sponsor a poinsettia plant (£5 each), perhaps in memory of someone? The plants will be on display throughout the Festival, from 7 to 10 December. Then after the Festival is over, the poinsettia plant will be yours to take away. It can be collected following "Carols Among the Trees" on Sunday 10 December. Please complete a card and return it to Andrew Sutton, together with your donation, as soon as possible. Cards are available in the church vestibule and Mansel Road Centre, or from Andrew. The proceeds will go to Save the Children. If you would like to remember a loved one in prayer at this service (whether or not you are able to attend), please let us know by emailing their name and yours to [office@trinitywimbledon.org](mailto:office@trinitywimbledon.org) or by telephoning the church office on (020) 8946 9281.

## **A "Trinity Angelus" (the Angelus is a traditional call to prayer)**

We invite you to set aside some time each *Wednesday lunchtime* (any time between 12noon and 2pm), wherever you are, to join in prayer with the Trinity community. Prayer topics for this Wednesday 8 November.

### **At Trinity:**

Pray for children and young people connected with our church, and for all who will be attending our children's firework party on Saturday

### **Our Borough:**

Pray for the Police Safer Neighbourhoods Teams for Colliers Wood and Cricket Green wards: Insp Martin Capon, Sgt Michael Day, PCs Adriano Lai & Samantha Simmons, PCSOs David Russell & Tracy Whayman

***URC Southern Synod & South London Synod Area:***

Pray for our Synod Children & Youth Development Officer Thomas Hackett

***The wider United Reformed Church:***

Pray for the URC's Wessex Synod, moderator Revd Clare Downing and staff

***Campaigns & Events:***

Wednesday is World Radiography Day; give thanks for the advances in diagnosis and treatment which have been brought about through radiography

***World Council of Churches ecumenical prayer cycle:***

Pray for Oceania - the island nations of the Pacific