News & Events

TRAIDCRAFT

There is an extra stall at the back of church with Christmas cards and a few gifts for you to buy. Also on Saturday 23 November, I will have a stall at a Christmas event at St Andrew's Church (The Drive, IGI 3PE) from 2pm to 5pm (Father Christmas will be there too!). Please come along if you can. Sharon. 07555 144255.

EDITH COLE

Edith died early Monday evening, 21 October. Her Funeral Mass will be at St Margaret's on Wednesday 13 November at 11.00am. Edith will be received into church (prayers and a bible reading) on Tuesday evening at 6.30pm.

OUR CONDOLENCES

to Ann Marney, whose mother Marie Litson died on Tuesday last week. Marie's funeral will be at St Margaret's on Monday 18 November at 10.30am

WEB SITE/EMAIL

We are in the process of launching a new web site for St Margaret's. Watch this space! Fr Stephen's email address has now changed to: stmargaretig1@gmail.com

OCTOBER FINANCE

Our income for the month was £7,877 and expenditure was £7,462. Income included: £1,024 collections and free will offering; £1010 Gift Day; £3,057 hall rents; £2,486 Ingleby Road flats rent. Expenditure included: £4,560 monthly parish share payment to the diocese; £554 hall cleaning; £284 gas and electricity.

ADVENT

During the season of Advent, which begins on Sunday I December, we will again have our 'Box of Hope' in church, to collect items for the Redbridge Cold Weather Shelter (the Night Shelter). A list of items we are requested to collect will be distributed later this month.

WEEKLY NEWS SHEET

The Weekly News Sheet contains information about what is happening at St Margaret's, and well as events and people that need our prayers. Please take it home with you each week so that you know what is going on, and to add things to your prayers.

REMEMBRANCE BOOK

In a case in the Lady Chapel we have a Remembrance Book containing the names of members of St Margaret's congregation who have died and the names of friends and relatives of our congregation who have died. There is one page for each date of the year, and names are included on the dead of death. The book will shortly be updated, so if there are names to be added please PRINT the name and date of death on a piece of paper and give it to Fr Stephen.

ADVENT QUIET DAY

St Mary's are holding an Advent Quiet Day 'Let Every Heart Prepare', on Saturday 30 November from 10am to 4pm at the Chelmsford Diocesan Retreat House, Pleshy. If you are interested in going there are leaflets at the back of church with further details and cost of the day, and how to book a place.

St Margaret of Antioch, Ilford

Welcoming, transforming and growing together in God's love

Weekly News Sheet Sunday 10 November 2019 Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Worship & Intercessions

THIS MORNING

Welcome Team:

Dorish Thason and John Nouchin

Mass Setting:

Mass of St Thomas David Thorne

Readers:

Ann Edwards and Janet Potter

Eucharistic Ministers:

Ruby Hughes and Sharon Daughters

THIS WEEK

Wednesday 11.00am Funeral of Edith Cole

Thursday 10.30am Eucharist

NEXT SUNDAY

THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10.30am Sung Eucharist

WE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR:

The sick and those in need:

Loraine Arnold, Janet Edwards, Anne Fox, Malcolm Kennedy, Grace Martin, Jennifer Mottley and her family, Robert Must, Joergen Nielsen, Hemendra Rai, Reema, Riad Reslan, Avril Sangowawa, Christobel Trumpet

The recently departed,

including, Susai Raj, Edith Cole, and Marie Litson.

Those whose anniversaries of death fall this week:

10th: Violet Tarran, Syd Murr,

Francis Smith

11th: John Houselander, Julie Young

14th: Ethel Rowcliffe, Jack Sanson

16th: Philip Butler

Welcome to St Margaret's Church

We hope you enjoy worshipping with us. If you are here for the first time please or visiting from another church, please introduce yourself. If you would like more information about anything to do with St Margaret's please contact us.

PARISH PRIEST AND CHURCHWARDENS



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Collect

God, our refuge and strength, bring near the day when wars shall cease and poverty and pain shall end, that the earth may know the peace of heaven, through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

First Reading: Job 19: 23-27

Job said to his companions: 'O that my words were written down! O that they were inscribed in a book! O that with an iron pen and with lead they were engraved on a rock for ever! For I know that my Redeemer lives, and that at the last he will stand upon the earth; and after my skin has been thus destroyed, then in my flesh I shall see God, whom I shall see on my side, and my eyes shall behold, and not another.'

Psalm: 17

R: I shall be filled when I awake with the sight of your glory, O Lord.

Lord, hear a cause that is just, pay heed to my cry.

Turn your ear to my prayer:
no deceit is on my lips. **R**

I kept my feet firmly in your paths; there was no faltering in my steps.
I am here and I call you, you will hear me, O God. Turn your ear to me; hear my words. R

Guard me as the apple of your eye.

Hide me in the shadow of your wings.

As for me, in my justice I shall see your face and be filled, when I awake, with the sight of your glory.

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 2: 1-5, 13-17

As to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered together to him, we beg you, brothers and sisters, not to be quickly shaken in mind or alarmed, either by spirit or by word or by letter, as though from us, to the effect that the day of the Lord is already here. Let no one deceive you in any way; for that day will not come unless the rebellion comes first and the lawless one is revealed, the one destined for destruction. He opposes and exalts himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, declaring himself to be God. Do you not remember that I told you these things when I was still with you? But we must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters beloved by the Lord, because God chose you as the first fruits for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and through belief in the truth. For this purpose he called you through our proclamation of the good news, so that you may obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. So then, brothers and sisters, stand firm and hold fast to the traditions that you were taught by us, either by word of mouth or by our letter. Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and through grace gave us eternal comfort and good hope, comfort your hearts and strengthen them in every good work and word.

Gospel acclamation

Alleluia...

Stay awake, praying at all times for the strength to stand with confidence before the Son of Man. **Alleluia...**

Gospel: St Luke 20: 27-38

Prayer over the Gifts

Gracious God,
whose word is the true food,
give us words to thank you for your gifts,
and lives that will be a blessing for others.
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Post Communion Prayer

God of peace, whose Son Jesus Christ proclaimed the kingdom and restored the broken to wholeness of life: look with compassion on the anguish of the world, and by your healing power

make whole both people and nations; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

Amen.

THANKS FROM TRAIDCRAFT

It's because of people like you, and the ways in which you inspire your communities, that we can continue our work supporting people living in poverty to get a fair deal from trade and business.

Thank you so much for your generous donation of £130.00 to Traidcraft Exchange generated from your church afternoon tea. Your efforts will help support people like Dipali, who lives in Bangladesh. Since taking part in a project run by Traidcraft Exchange, she has started a small shop, which now supports her five children. Before the project they had to borrow money, and meals were just rice and lentils or vegetables. Now they have fish twice a week and each person has two or three eggs per week, but for Diplai, the greatest thing is that she can give her children breakfast before they go to school.

I hope her story gives you a sense of how life changing your contributions really are!