

# St Barnabas Mission Partner



## **Kerry Stillman**

Kerry works in Cameroon as part of a church-planting team working among the Fulbe people who are traditionally Muslim. Kerry and her team used to live in the north of the country where, as well as being involved in church planting, they ran a hospital. In 2014, because of the security situation in the north, the team moved further south, where they have continued their ministry of church-planting, and at the same time continue to oversee the work of the hospital.

#### Latest news from Kerry:

Kerry has recently returned to Cameroon, having had several months in the UK on home leave. She used this time catching up with friends and family, relaxing, and sharing about her work in Cameroon.

Kerry is happy to be back with her team in Cameroon and encouraged as they plan together for the future.

Three of the team are travelling up to their hospital in the far north today, Sunday, for a few days and would appreciate prayer for their visit to be an encouragement to the hospital staff and Fulbe believers.

Security in Cameroon is still unpredictable, with a few destabilising situations going on at present.

Many of the Fulbe hear the gospel and then do not respond with open hearts, so please pray that Kerry will be able to discern what the Holy Spirit is doing in people's hearts.

#### Give thanks:

- That Kerry has settled back into life in Cameroon after a good home leave
- That Kerry has been able to talk with some of the Fulbe believers since she has got back
- That the Fulbe believers are continuing to follow Jesus despite their own trials and struggles

#### Please pray

- That Kerry and the team will be kept safe and will be able to stay in Cameroon as long as they are needed to help the Fulbe believers become a thriving part of the body of Christ
- For Kerry to have wisdom to know which contacts to reconnect with
- For the Fulbe believers to grow in faith, boldness and vision to reach their people with the gospel

**Pray for Kerry:** Tear off this slip to pray for Kerry through the week or pick up her prayer postcard from the World Mission Support board

Support Kerry: Email bethstone@stbarnabas.co.uk to find out how you can support Kerry or to receive her newsletters

## What's on this week...

#### **Wednesday 14 February**

2.15pm Wednesday Club - Parish Hall

8.00pm English Class for (mainly) Men- Pierce Hall

#### **Thursday 15 February**

10.00am N12 Women - Parish Hall

7.30pm N12 Community Choir- Parish Hall

#### Saturday 17 February

12 noon Iranian Men's Group - Tubeside Hall 3.00pm La Roca Hub Meeting - Parish Hall

7.00pm Worship Night - Main Hall

For contact details and full information on groups and activities, please check directory/programme card or our website: www.stbarnabas.co.uk

Alternatively, you can pick up flyers at the back of church or get more information from the relevant noticeboards around church.

#### Deaf? BSL User? Welcome!

We have a level 2 signer and a level 6 signer in our congregation who would be delighted to help you access our service content. Please contact **theoffice@stbarnabas.co.uk**, and we will organise someone to sign for you.

#### **Giving to St Bs by Text**

You can now give to St Bs simply by texting to **70070**; To give £5 text (uppercase): **STBS01** £5 To give £10 text (uppercase): **STBS01** £10

For more details, see our website: www.stbarnabas.co.uk/giving

#### **Financial Giving**

To join our giving programme or for more information about our budget and finances, please take a copy of our publication *Running St Bs.* This includes bank details and information about standing orders and gift aid. www.stbarnabas.co.uk/giving

#### St Bs Bank Details

Bank name: Natwest

Account Name: St Barnabas Church PCC

Account number: 31658091

Sort Code: 601520 the Notices & If you'd like to advertise a short-term advert or accommodation, please email:

theoffice@stbarnabas.co.uk

# **Welcome to St Barnabas**



Sunday 11 February 2018

# **Holy Communion 8am**

Common Worship Service in the Side Chapel **Led by:** Helen Shannon 2 Corinthians 4:3-6, Mark 9:2-9

# Morning Worship 9.30 & 11.30am

Informal Services with provision for children and youth - see below

9.30 Led by: Chris Alexander and Richard Greeves

11.30 Led by: Chris Alexander and Luke Graham

Sermon: Colin Brookes

Passing the Baton: The Measure of a Leader

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# **Evening Worship 5pm**

Informal Celebration-Style Service

Led by: Chris Alexander and Luke Graham

Sermon: Ryan Venn-Dunn

The Man After God's Own Heart: Decisions 1 Samuel 24

# Children

**Tots Church** 0-2 years 9.30am & 11.30am Pierce Hall Parent supervision during half-term.

Kids & Mini Church 3-11 years 9.30am & 11.30am Parish Hall Will be in the Parish Hall after sung worship with the main church.

## Youth

The Sunday Session and The Five are on break for half-term and start up again next week

Please stand, sit or kneel as you feel comfortable. Refreshments are available throughout the service from the coffee points around the church.



# Welcome

We hope and pray that you will encounter God and make good friends here. If you need any help finding out how life works at St Bs, please speak to our Hospitality Team or visit **The Arch** at the back of church.

#### Vicar

**Revd Henry Kendal** 

St Barnabas Church Holden Road, Woodside Park, London, N12 7DN

#### Office Details

Open: Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm Tel: 020 8343 5770 Email: theoffice@stbarnabas.co.uk

#### **Associate Vicar** Revd Colin Brookes

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Outside office hours, contact:
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#### How to contact us

For information and contact details for members of the staff team and others, please refer to the Autumn Programme which is available from the Arch. Our website is also a very good source of information.

## Hubs

As a large church we know that people can easily slip through the cracks. To find out about Hubs and other ways of connecting and belonging, look at our programme card and directory, or contact Chris Alexander: chrisalexander@stbarnabas.co.uk

### **Notices**

## **Half Term Programme**

Please note that many of our ministries are on break for half term. This includes Jesus The Game Changer, Barneys Toddler groups, the Iranian / Bible Study, and Tuesday morning English Conversation classes. Contact The Office for more details:

theoffice@stbarnabas.co.uk; 200 8343 5770

## **Beds, Wardrobes and Drawers**

Besom in Barnet are keen to meet people's need for the above. If you can provide any of them or other good condition furniture/household items please contact Besom, and we'll arrange collection.

## **World Missions Pastor Vacancy**

We are looking for someone to play a leading role in promoting and supporting World Missions at and from St Barnabas.

Closing date: 5 March

For more information including a job description and an application form, please see our website or contact Bella Mutevelian:

theoffice@stbarnabas.co.uk; 2 020 8343 5770

## **Baptism Service, 5pm Easter Sunday**

If you would like to be baptised on Easter Sunday, please talk to Colin; or for more information, including dates of the Living Your Baptism course, email Margaret: margaretpeach@stbarnabas.co.uk

# **Go and Grow Community Forum**

If you missed the recent forum about the project, you can see the presentations from the evening on the Go and Grow website: www.goandgrow.info/about-fags/

# What's On

## La Roca Hub Meeting

#### Saturday 17 February 3pm-5:30pm Parish Hall

La Roca invites anyone who wants to support us, or who just wants to find out more about our vision and what we do to come along to our meeting on 17 February. Our vision is to continue to support St Barnabas and the vulnerable people in Colombia. We have Abi and Felipe as guests, a time of worship, preaching the Bible, and South American food. laroca.stbs@qmail.com

## **Homeless Outreach Hub Meeting**

#### Wednesday 21 February 7pm Pierce Hall

The Homeless Outreach Hub group seeks to help meet the physical and spiritual needs of the local community. We meet once a term so that we can gather to worship, study the Bible and pray for our community and for each other. If you would like to find out more information or how to get involved, please email the Homeless Outreach Team or Viv Metliss at: HomelessOutreach@StBarnabas.co.uk and vivmetliss@aol.com

## **New Wine Learning to Heal Day**

## Saturday 24 February 9.30am-4.30pm Main Hall

This day is designed to enable our church to pray effectively in the power of the Holy Spirit. We establish a Biblical basis for this approach to prayer, offer training to build people's confidence in this ministry and provide practical guidance for best practice. The cost is £10 per person, either payable on the day or by bank transfer when making your booking. Pick up a leaflet for more details. **theoffice@stbarnabas.co.uk** 

# **Hope North London Quiz Night**

## Saturday 3 March 7.30pm Main Hall

Entrance £5. A chance to test your general knowledge and meet some new people. For tickets and more information contact Jamie Fletcher: jamie@hopenorthlondon.co.uk

## **Central Prayer Meeting**

## Wednesday 7 March 7.45pm Main Hall

Henry and Colin invite everyone to the termly Central Prayer Meeting. We will be worshipping and praying for the life and ministry of St Bs and beyond

theoffice@stbarnabas.co.uk

# **Vocations Roadshow**

## Saturday 17 March 9am-12noon Main Hall

Vocation means what you are called by God to be and do. For some, this is a specific calling to ministry. For others, it could mean serving God through faithful discipleship in everyday life. Everyone has a vocation. What's yours?

colinbrookes@stbarnabas.co.uk

# **Families Hub Meeting**

# Saturday 17 March 4pm Parish Hall

This community is set up with the intentions of supporting one another through family life with God's love. We meet monthly on a Saturday afternoon for family events and to pray with one another. Newcomers are welcome. For more information, contact:

familiesmcstbs@gmail.com

# Telephone join a team I'd like to 50+ Post St P Postcode 31-50 I'd like to join a Hub Group Email 19-30 Form your preference by ticking appropriate box/es: 5pm Under 18 changed Connect My details 11.30am have Female 9.30am - let us know Male 8am The service I attended: We'd love to contact you Personal Details I'm new to Bs Comments Address Phone Name Email