



# St Barnabas Mission Partners



**Bernie and Celia Mascher** live in Naivasha, Kenya with their children **Abbie and Theon**, who are at boarding school during term time. They manage a teaching facility, Helping Hands, which offers vocational training courses such as weaving, and a leadership/theological diploma to church leaders. They also run Little Hands School which integrates children with physical disabilities and other special needs. On Sundays they lead Naivasha International Fellowship.

## Latest news from the Maschers

"We had a lovely Easter break with the kids, although it seems a long time ago now! We didn't do much, mainly hung out at home. We've been travelling so much lately, getting on planes here and there, that it was nice to have nowhere to go for a while. We surprised the kids by getting a new German shepherd puppy at the beginning of the holiday. Her name is Sheba. She's very cute.

Little Hands School has started well, with no major hiccups so far. We've had a few new children join this term, especially in the 'Ducklings Daycare' (the three year olds). We have 30 children in that class now. We have also interviewed and assessed two more children with special needs: one with spina bifida, and one with autism. We've tried to pause a bit on the number of disabled children we accept, as we have limited resources (especially people), but it's hard to say 'no'. We always fall in love with the kids too, which makes it even harder.

We're planning to be in London briefly in July (13-19 July), on our way to Canada. I (Celia) have a check-up and treatment planned, and then we'll visit my parents, too. I hope we'll be able to pop into St Bs at some point."

## Give thanks for:

- Little Hands School going so well, and for all the precious children that attend
- The summer holiday the Maschers will be having both in England and Canada
- The fun that Sheba the puppy brings to the Maschers

## Please pray for:

- More people and other resources so Little Hands school can accept more disabled children
- Celia's medical check-up and treatment to go well
- A wonderful time with Bernie's mother in Canada

**Pray for the Maschers:** Tear off this slip to pray for Bernie and Celia through the week or pick up their prayer postcard from the World Mission Support board

**Support the Maschers:** Email [clairefranks@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:clairefranks@stbarnabas.co.uk) to find out how you can support the Maschers or Helping Hands, or to receive their newsletters

## What's on this week...

### Tuesday 22 May

9.30am Disciples of Jesus: Farsi Women's group - Tubeside Hall  
10.30am English Conversation Class - Parish Hall, Pierce Hall  
7.45pm A.D. Kingdom and Empire - Parish Hall

### Wednesday 23 May

9.30am Barneys Toddler Group - Main Hall  
2.15pm Wednesday Club - Parish Hall  
7.30pm English Class for (mainly) Men - Pierce Hall

### Thursday 24 May

10.00am N12 Women - Tubeside Hall  
7.30pm N12 Community Choir - Parish Hall  
7.45pm Word & Spirit - Young Adults Bible Study - The Bohemia

### Friday 25 May

9.30am Barneys Toddler Group - Main Hall  
5.45pm Family Movie Night - Main Hall

### Saturday 26 May

11.00am Healing On The Streets - Costa Coffee on the High Road  
12 noon Iranian Men's Group - Tubeside Hall

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

[www.stbarnabas.co.uk](http://www.stbarnabas.co.uk)

Alternatively, you can pick up flyers at the back of church or get more information from our website or 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 [theooffice@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:theooffice@stbarnabas.co.uk), and we will organise someone to sign for you.

## Giving

You can now give to St Bs via text! Simply text **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](http://www.stbarnabas.co.uk/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](http://www.stbarnabas.co.uk/giving)

## St Bs Bank Details

Bank name: Natwest  
Account Name: St Barnabas Church PCC  
Account number: 31658091  
Sort Code: 601520

## Notices & Classified

If you are looking for **accommodation**, please see the Notices & Classified board in the foyer for up to date adverts. If you'd like to advertise a short-term advert or accommodation, please email: [theooffice@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:theooffice@stbarnabas.co.uk)

# Welcome to St Barnabas

# BULLETIN

Sunday 20 May 2018

## Holy Communion 8am

Common Worship Service in the Rose Window Chapel

**Led by:** Colin Brookes

Romans 8:22-27; John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

## Morning Worship 9.30 & 11.30am

Informal Services with provision for children and youth - see below

**9.30 Led by:** Colin Brookes and Tosin Coker

**11.30 Led by:** Henry Kendal and Jeanette Burnett

**Sermon:** Tom

*Pentecost:* Shaking, groaning, falling over?

## Evening Worship 5pm

Informal Celebration-Style Service

**Led by:** Chris Alexander and Olivia Stubbings

**Sermon:** Mike Pavlou

*Pentecost:* Waiting on the Spirit

## Children

**Under 1s** 0-1 years  
9.30am & 11.30am Pierce Hall  
Parent supervision with live feed of the service

**Under 5s** 1-5 years  
9.30am & 11.30am Vestry Hall

**Kids Church** Yr 1 - Yr 6  
9.30am & 11.30am Parish Hall

## Youth

**The Sunday Session** 11-14 years  
11.15am Youth Hall

**The 5** 14-18 years  
5.00pm Youth Hall

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



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transforming lives • changing the world

# 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

**Associate Vicar**  
Revd Colin Brookes

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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 Summer 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:  
[chrissalexander@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:chrissalexander@stbarnabas.co.uk)

## Notices

### Let's Keep in Touch

If you have not yet filled in a Consent Form and a Gift Aid Form, then please do so TODAY! Available in The Arch.

### Finchley Foodbank

**Please don't forget the Finchley Foodbank**  
The need is greater than ever. We urgently need:

Tinned meat/veg/fruit/fish and biscuits.

Coffee, sugar, and UHT milk.

The Foodbank trolley is now by the coffee servery on the right of the church. Thank you.

If you're interested in helping out at the weekly Foodbank, contact:  
[finchleyfoodbank@gmail.com](mailto:finchleyfoodbank@gmail.com)

### A Right Royal Fundraising Party

**Wednesday 6 June 6.30pm**

**Double Tree by Hilton Hotel, 4 Bryanston Place, W1**

Celebrate the royal wedding in style and all for a good cause! For more information go to: [todayandtomorrow.org.uk/events/](http://todayandtomorrow.org.uk/events/)

### Getting Ready for the Move

In preparation for our move to the High Road, we are in the process of clearing out ...

#### FREE Books and DVDs

Lots of second-hand books/DVDs on display at the back of church. Everything is FREE but you are invited to make a donation to Go + Grow, using the blue buckets provided. If you are a UK taxpayer, please gift aid your donation, using one of the Gift Aid envelopes provided.

#### Lost Property

Take a look at the display on the gallery to see if there is anything you have mislaid. This will be on display for the next few weeks, after which it will all be disposed of.



## What's On

### Family Movie Night

**Friday 25 May 6pm (doors open at 5.45)**

Hosted by the Families Hub, join us for some FREE family fun with popcorn as we watch The Boss Baby! For more information contact Becky:  
[beckytownley@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:beckytownley@stbarnabas.co.uk)

### Neighbourhood Hub Outreach to Seniors

**Sunday 27 May 2pm**

Join N12 Hub as they visit local Senior Citizens at Elmhurst Care Home in Woodside Park. Meet in the church at 1pm for bring-your-own lunch and prayer. All welcome.

### Barnet Toddler Groups Prayer Meeting

**Saturday 2 June 3-4pm Pierce Hall**

As part of the National Month Of Prayer (NMOP), one London Borough is prayed for throughout June, and 2 June is when Barnet will be prayed for. We are hosting a prayer meeting on that day to pray specifically for the toddler groups in Barnet including Barneys. There will be coffee and cake. All welcome - please come and support us in prayer.  
[beckytownley@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:beckytownley@stbarnabas.co.uk)

### Banners Workshop

**Saturday 9 June 10am-4pm Main Hall**

This inspiring, hands-on, practical workshop will explore the use of movement with banners (or flags) and other props as an expression of worship. This workshop outlines the biblical basis for the use of banners. It provides an opportunity to widen your understanding, and to become proficient, creative and confident in the use of banners and other props.  
[theoffice@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:theoffice@stbarnabas.co.uk)

### Afternoon tea with the Landrums

**Sunday 10 June 3pm-4.30pm Pierce Hall**

Come along for afternoon tea and the opportunity to hear from our Mission Associates, Mark and Rahel Landrum, who serve with Jews for Jesus in Australia and have recently been involved in a huge outreach in Jerusalem. It will be an inspiring afternoon - be sure not to miss out!  
[clairefranks@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:clairefranks@stbarnabas.co.uk)

### Prayer Hubs

We have several groups that regularly meet together to pray. The Medics Prayer Hub and Professionals Prayer Hub, as well as many groups based in certain areas; N2, N3, N14 & N21, EN5, N7. Contact details for these Hubs are in our programme & directory which you can find in the Arch. Do get in touch and join one - newcomers are very welcome.



A Celebration of St Barnabas Holden Road: Sunday 8 July - 5PM

### St Barnabas Church Celebration Service

**Sunday 8 July 5pm Main Hall**

We are very excited about our move this summer to a new church centre on the North Finchley High Road. To celebrate 104 years in our Holden Road church building we are holding a Celebration Service at 5pm on Sunday 8 July. Everyone is invited - and pass this invitation on to former members that you are in contact with.

We know many people have happy memories of the building - perhaps you were married here, or born again in one of the services, or encountered God in a significant way. We are trying to compile as many of these recollections as we can as part of this celebration. Please email any photos or stories to [margaretpeach@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:margaretpeach@stbarnabas.co.uk)

## Connect Form

☐ I'd like to join a team  
Please specify below

☐ I'd like to join a Hub Group

☐ My details have changed

☐ I'd like to attend a Welcome Event

☐ I'm new to St Bs

### Postcode

By providing your personal details you agree to allow St Barnabas to contact you by mail, email, telephone or SMS text message in connection with its charitable purposes. St Barnabas does not make personal data available to external individuals or organisations.

50+

31-50

19-30

Under 18

Age

Female

Male

Personal Details

The service I attended:

50+

31-50

19-30

Under 18

Age

Female

Male

Personal Details

The service I attended:

Telephone

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Email

We'd love to contact you - let us know your preference by ticking appropriate box/es:

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