



St Barnabas Mission Associates



Roger and Shireen West are evangelists who live in Kenya and travel to the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) to hold open air campaigns in unreached areas, and teach pastors and leaders. They have two adult sons, Tim and Josh.

Update from the Wests:

Roger and Shireen's son Tim graduated from Carmel Bible Institute in July. He, his wife Christian, and their children are joining Roger and Shireen's ministry in 2020.

Give thanks:

- For God's faithfulness and help in preaching the gospel in Congo and Kenya
- For God's promise to sustain them even in difficult places this year
- For Tim, Christian and the children joining them in ministry in 2020

Please pray:

- For work permits and preparations needed for Tim and Christian
- For wisdom and guidance on which towns to hold evangelistic meetings
- For revival for the church in Kenya and Congo



Chris and Hannah Scutt are based in Blantyre, Malawi with YWAM. Chris is on the leadership team of the YWAM base, leads worship, mentors young people, and has been involved in setting up a school for the local children. Hannah supports women with their pregnancies and whilst giving birth, and cares for their 2 children: Caleb, whom she also home-schools, and Lily, who is at nursery.

Update from the Scutts:

At the beginning of November, two new courses (Justice DTS and House of Prayer DTS) were started to train pastors. Chris started a teacher training programme and Hannah is pregnant with baby number 3! The Scutts have been able to connect with friends, family, churches and individuals since being back in the UK from September. They return at the end of December.

Give thanks:

- For the new students starting their Justice DTS at YWAM Blantyre
- For time spent with family, friends, churches and supporters in the UK
- For the new End Bible Poverty Distribution App produced at YWAM Blantyre and available on Google Play store

Please pray:

- For God's leading in the spheres of Education and Health
- For the raising up of a new wave of Malawian Missionaries to go to the nations
- For God's wisdom in all things and a safe delivery of number 3 in April

Pray for Roger & Shireen and/or Chris & Hannah: Tear off this slip to pray for them throughout the week or pick up their prayer postcard from the postcard display in the café area on the Ground Floor

Support them: Email clairefranks@stbarnabas.co.uk to find out how you can support them or to receive their prayer letters

What's on this week...

Monday 2 December

6.30pm **N12 Running Community** - St Barnabas Entrance
6.30pm **Children's Grow Groups** - The Beacon (1F)
6.30pm **Youth Grow Groups** - The Forge (2F)

Tuesday 3 December

9.30am **Being the disciples of Jesus** - Barnabas Room (GF)
3.30pm **Youth Drop-in** - 2nd Floor
7.30pm **Alpha** - Café Area (GF)

Wednesday 4 December

9.30am **Barneys Toddler Group** - The Ark (1F)
2.15pm **Wednesday Club** - The Ark (1F)
7.00pm **Men's Bible Study** - The Forge (2F)
7.30pm **Christmas Wreath Making** - The Ark (1F)

Thursday 5 December

10.30am **N12 Women** - Barnabas Room (GF)
7.30pm **N12 Community Choir** - The Ark (1F)
7.30pm **Women of Grace** - Barnabas Room (GF)

Friday 6 December

9.30am **Barneys Toddler Group** - The Ark (1F)
3.30pm **Youth Drop-in** - 2nd Floor
7.30pm **Base** - 2nd Floor

Saturday 7 December

11.00am **Healing on the Streets** - Tally Ho, N12 0BP
3.00pm **Seniors Christmas Tea** - Ground Floor

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

MyChurchSuite

An app to see your rotas, organise swaps and changes, and have the church calendar and upcoming event details at your fingertips! Download the app on your phone or go to login.churchsuite.com
For more information see: www.stbarnabas.co.uk/news

Bibles

We have Bibles in the following languages available in the serveries: Spanish, Farsi, Russian and Chinese.

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



Welcome to St Barnabas BULLETIN

Sunday 1 December 2019

Holy Communion 8.30am

Common Worship Service in the Prayer Chapel on the 1st Floor

Led by: Henry Kendal
Romans 13:11-14; Matthew 24:36-44

Morning Worship 9.30 & 11.30am

Informal Services with provision for children—see below

9.30am Led by: Chris Alexander and Becky Townley

11.30am Led by: Henry and Jane Kendal

Sermon: Helen Shannon
Approaching Christmas: Mary

Evening Worship 5pm

Informal celebration-Style Service

Led by: Henry Kendal and Claire Franks

Sermon: Mike Pavlou
The Last Things: Final Destination, Heaven or Hell?

Children

Under 5s 1-5 years
9.30am & 11.30am The Beacon (1F)
Under 1s included with parent supervision

Kids Church 6-10 years
9.30am & 11.30am The Ark (1F)

Youth

The Sunday Session 11-14 years
11.15am The Forge (2F)

The 5 14-18 years
5.00pm The Forge (2F)

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 Connect Team or visit the **Connect Point** in church.

Vicar

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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 today. Our website is also a very good source of information.

Donate to CDB and FIN

Christmas Dinner Boxes (CDB): We provide festive hampers containing every ingredient needed to enjoy a full Christmas dinner to those struggling financially over Christmas.

FIN Fund: FIN (Friends in Need) Fund, is designed to help those in our church family in need over Christmas

You can make donations to these funds in 3 ways:

- Cash or cheques, in gift aid envelope – please label the envelope clearly with FIN or CDB
- By direct transfer to St Bs (Bank details overleaf)
- Through MyChurchSuite by card – if you are registered on ChurchSuite, log into the app/webpage, click on 'MyGiving' and then on 'Donate' - choose FIN or CDB
- Go to www.stbarnabas.co.uk/giving. Click on big button 'Donate' - choose FIN or CDB

If you are new...

Welcome! We are really pleased to have you with us at St Bs today.

If you are a newcomer and would like more information, then please take and complete one of our **Connect Forms**, which you will find at the connect point or in the Offering Baskets as they come round.

Hand it in to anyone wearing a badge at the connect point and they will be delighted to give you a gift bag.



Staying in touch

Our connect forms also have a consent form on the back. If you have not already completed a consent form, then please fill out a connect form **TODAY** ticking the 'my details have changed' box, and give it to one of the Connect Team.

With the recent change in data protection law, we will be unable to contact you about church activities and events if we do not have a form from you, so don't delay!

Notices

Parking

Please continue to be good neighbours by not parking in local streets. We've had a complaint from a **Mayfield Avenue** resident about church parking on Sundays. There's plenty of free parking at Lodge Lane car park on Sundays, or use our church car park if you are visiting, disabled, a family with under 5's, serving that morning or bringing heavy items. Many thanks for honouring our no-parking zone, all details at:
www.stbarnabas.co.uk/travel

Laptop Needed

One of our homeless Community Lunch guests has made a request for an old lap top that is no longer required. If you are able to provide one please get in touch with Viv - Thank You.
vivmetliss@aol.com

Restored Lives

Mondays from 20 January-16 March

A course run by Holy Trinity Brompton Church (HTB) for separated or divorced people to help them recover from relationship breakdown. The course is at HTB, South Kensington. Some members of St Bs will be attending. If you are interested please sign up at
<https://www.htb.org/restoredlives> or ring **020 7052 0200**
It comes highly recommended.

Christmas Services

The times of all services over Christmas and New Year are listed below – make sure you make a note of these!

Sunday 22 December

8.30am: Communion

There will be no 9.30am or 11.30am services

5pm: Christmas Carol Service

7.30pm: Christmas Carol Service

Tuesday 24 December

8.30am: Communion

There will be no 9.30am or 11.30am services

4pm: Light of the World All Age Celebration

6pm: Light of the World All Age Celebration

There will be no late night carol service

Wednesday 25 December - Christmas Day

10.30am: Christmas Day All Age Celebration

Sunday 29 December

10.30am: Morning Worship

5pm: Social! More details coming soon

Christmas

Getting Ready for Christmas

We are well underway with planning Christmas at St Bs and we need everyone to get involved to make it all happen. Make sure you have a 'Getting Involved' Flyer' to find out how you can play your part.

Publicity

We have thousands of postcards with details of all our Christmas services - do take a bundle to invite your friends, neighbours and colleagues. If you would like to help deliver these to the neighbours of St Barnabas, sign up for Postcard Delivery on 8 December in the 'Getting Involved' flyer.



Elmhurst Carol Service

TODAY 1pm

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

Christmas Wreath Making

Wednesday 4 December 7.30pm Café Area

Come and enjoy a relaxed evening of mulled wine, Christmas music and a chance to make Christmas wreaths. Bring a friend! Voluntary donations towards costs welcome. Sign up via eventbrite. For more information contact Chris Alexander: chrisalexander@stbarnabas.co.uk

Senior Citizens Christmas Tea

Saturday 7 December 3pm Main Hall

A time of good food and festive fun for our senior citizens to gather together and celebrate Christmas. For more details contact Keith Bootle or email the office.
theoffice@stbarnabas.co.uk

Nativity Family Movie Night

Friday 13 December 5.40pm The Ark

Hosted by the families Hub, join us for some FREE family fun with popcorn as we watch The Nativity Story together. For more information contact Becky.
beckytownley@stbarnabas.co.uk

Beer and Carols at the Bohemia

Sunday 15 December 5pm The Bohemia, N12 9QH

We are taking our 5pm service out into the community! Join us at the Bohemia for Carols and festivity and bring along friends.

For more information contact Luke: lukegraham@stbarnabas.co.uk

