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Weekly 3rd March 2019 Update

A warm welcome to everyone at St Stephen's today.

If this is your first visit we are delighted to welcome you and would love to talk to you after any service.

9:00am Traditional Service

Leader: Enid Barron
Preacher: Steve Newbold
Readings: Exodus 34:29-end Page 92
Luke 9:28-26 Page 1039



Café between services

10:30am All Age Worship

Leader: Sam Sanya Preacher: Sam Sanya

Reading: 1 Samuel 16:1-13 Page 287

6:30pm Evening Prayer

Readings: Psalm 89:1-18 Page 597 Exodus 3:1-6 Page 59 John 12:27-36a Page 1080

Personal Prayer is available at both morning services. If you have come with any concern or you have felt challenged during the service, do seek prayer this morning.

Today

After the All Age Service, two tiny trees will be planted in the Garden at church. Join us!

Traidcraft Stall is also open with a good range of Fairtrade products.

Ash Wednesday 6th March

Start Lent together as we gather for said Communion Services at 9:30am and 8pm

Lent Appeals

Modern Day Slavery in London blights many lives and is the focus of this year's Diocesan Lent Appeal. We are also collecting to donate Easter Eggs for the Marylebone Project.

Church Big Clean Saturday 9th March 9am-12pm

Please come and help prepare the church for the Bishop of London's visit the following day. There are lots of opportunities for everyone to get involved. Contact Geoff Thomas for more info geoff@ststephens-ealing.org

Church Electoral Roll

The Electoral Roll is now being renewed. Which means everyone has come off and must re-apply if they wish to be on the Electoral Roll. Application forms are available in the church entrance area. Completed forms must be returned to the Church Office no later than 31st March.

Bishop of London Next Sunday - 10th March

Do be present next Sunday for our Whole Church Service at 10.30am when we will be joined by Bishop Sarah, Bishop of London.

The arrangements are:
9am Morning Prayer
(for any who can't come at 10.30am).

10am Café and time to meet 10.30am Whole Church Service liturgy from the 9am in the style of the 10.30am. Followed by wine and nibbles.

Children and young people are welcome and will remain in church for the service. A self-service Crèche will be available.

There is <u>no evening service</u>

First Tuesday Prayers

Our monthly Prayer Meeting on 5th March will focus on our youth work. There will be time for individual prayer using prayer stations from 6.30pm to 8pm followed by a time together from 8pm to 9pm. Parents, families, young people and others all welcome

Prayer for the Week

Holy God,
you know the disorder of our
sinful lives: set straight our
crooked hearts, and bend our
wills to love your goodness and
your glory in Jesus Christ our
Lord. Amen