

# ASHLEY NEWS

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER 2019

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Gustav Klimt, Birch Forest I, 1902

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good!  
His faithful love endures forever.  
Give thanks to the God of gods.  
His faithful love endures forever.  
Give thanks to the Lord of lords.  
His faithful love endures forever.  
Give thanks to him who alone  
does mighty miracles.  
His faithful love endures forever.  
Give thanks to him who made  
the heavens so skillfully.  
His faithful love endures forever.

*Psalm 136. 1-5*

## **Trip to Nepal**

Claire and Steve are off to Nepal from 17th September until 17th December. Do keep them in your prayers.

They will tell us more about their trip during the service on 8<sup>th</sup> September, followed by a fundraising lunch. All welcome.

## SUNDAYS

*10 am at Ashley Church*

### September

- 1 Sharing Sunday
- 8 Claire & Steve  
Wilkinson
- 15 Communion
- 22 Mike Elliott
- 29 Nick Saunders

### October

- 1 Samuel Kumar
- 13 Holy Fools
- 20 Communion
- 27 Stephen Poxon

## **Prayer Meetings**

Prayer meetings take place at  
Ashley each week:

- 7.30am on Saturday mornings
- and
- 9.35am on Sunday mornings

# Notice board

## Churches Together in St Albans Events

### Prayer Walk

September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Join Christians for a relaxed but prayerful walk around St Albans

Itinerary:

2.00pm SS Alban & Stephen RC Church,  
Beaconsfield Rd

2.05pm Trinity URC

2.15pm Marlborough Rd Methodist Church

2.30pm The Salvation Army

3.00pm St Peter's Church

3.30pm Dagnall Street Baptist Church

4.15pm St Michael's Church (plus tea if possible)

5.30pm St Alban's Cathedral – the Shrine of St Alban

Note: For those who wish to stay, there is Evensong in the Cathedral Quire starting at 6.30pm and the service lasts about an hour.

## The Ashley Community Fun Event Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September, 10am - 2pm



### Prayer for St Albans

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September, 8:00 pm - 9.30 pm  
at St Paul's, Hatfield Road

Join with Christians from other churches to pray for St Albans. Held upstairs in the lounge.

The main focus will be on prayer for our nation at this critical time.

We hope you will be able to join with us, as we come together to seek the Lord and to pray.

*"If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land."*



2 Chronicles 7:1

### Autumn Forum: There is no Planet B

Wednesday October 23<sup>rd</sup> at  
7:45pm for 8:00pm

Marshalswick Baptist Free Church

An urgent and necessary discussion that involves us all.

With Mike Berners-Lee

### Pilates

A Pilates group takes place at Ashley on Wednesday mornings, 9.30am-10.30am.

Please speak to David or Gill Bywaters if you are interested.

### Tuesday Café

An opportunity for coffee, tea, cakes, conversation, games, table tennis, art and craft.

*2pm-4pm at Ashley Church  
on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month*

Come along and bring your friends and family.  
Everyone welcome.

### Community Choir

In Claire's absence, Mary and John will contact people about the choir.

### Art Group

The Ashley Church art group will meet on 6th and 13th September at 1.15pm.

You can contact us by email at this address:  
[ashleychurchstalbans@live.co.uk](mailto:ashleychurchstalbans@live.co.uk)

For more information and to download the Sunday talks please visit our website:  
[www.ashleychurch.org.uk](http://www.ashleychurch.org.uk)

