



Parish of the Holy Trinity, East Ham

St Mary Magdalene

St Bartholomew

St Edmund

Sunday 19 October

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Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

IN OUR PRAYERS

In our Deanery: The work of Youth for Christ

In the Diocese: The Pant Valley Churches: Finchamfield (St John the Baptist) w Cornish Hall End (St John the Evangelist) and Wethersfield (St Mary Magdalene) w Shalford (St Andrew), Great Bardfield (St Mary Vn) and Little Bardfield (St Katharine) Clergy: Alex Shannon (PIC). Licensed Lay Minister: Sarah Pilgrim.



In the Anglican Communion: The Diocese of Perth – The Anglican Church of Australia

In the world: for the people of Gaza rebuilding their lives after the war

With USPG: Heavenly Father, thank you for the gift of women in theology. May their voices and leadership shape the future of your Church and inspire others to follow in their footsteps. Also, keep in your prayers the work of Christian Aid and Mildmay

In the Parish: Kempton Road, Keppel Road, Kimberley Avenue

Those who have asked our prayers:

Particular need: Adiba Haque, Rose Joynes, Ethel King, Laurine & Ancil Griffith, Andrew West

Continuing need: Zareen Choudary, Graham Davis, Doris Goodchild, Cassandra Gosai, Caroline Grisely, Emily Jones, Paul Gillard, Maggie Holder, Terry Hooker, Cassie Martin, Dennis Pridmore, Mary Skerritt, Eutal Spence, Canon Colin Westbrook

Those who have died: Merle Charles, Joanne Steele, Dr Alex Johnson

In the Year's Mind: Sandra Gillard, Robert Stokes *May they rest in peace and rise in glory*

Hymns & Psalm:

Hymns at St Bart's: 249, 202, 506, 252

Hymns at St Edmund's: 297, 606, 8, 131

Hymns at St Mary's: 450, 606, 297, 19

Response to the Psalm:



Morning Prayer Tuesday 9am at St Mary's, Wednesday 8.50am at St Bart's; Thursday 8.50am at St Edmund's

Eucharist this week: Tuesday 12.15pm at St Edmund's, Wednesday 6.30pm at St Mary's, Thursday 12.15pm at St Bart's.

Eucharist next Sunday (26th October) Bible Sunday: 8am & 10am at St Mary's; 10am at St Bart's; 10am at St Edmund's (followed by DCC)

Harvest to Christmas leaflets We have produced some leaflets highlighting special events and services coming up. **Please take some to share with friends and family.** Occasions like Remembrance and Christmas are ideal times to invite someone to church. And remember to bring your friends to our famous Christmas Market on 22nd November.

Applications are now open to register for the next cohort of the **Course in Christian Studies (CCS)** which will begin in January 2026. The course is taught face to face in centres across the Diocese or via Zoom. The closing date for registration is **1 December 2025** via the link

<https://mailchi.mp/chelmsford/chelmsford-diocese-e-bulletin-the-view-ed-4958380>

There is also a CCS Information morning where you can go along and find out more about the course. This is being held on **Saturday 25 October** at **Christ Church, United Reformed Church in London Road, Chelmsford** from **10am to 1pm**. All are welcome!

Remembrance Walk on **Saturday 1st November** at **1.30pm**: On this guided walk in St Mary's Churchyard we lay crosses at the Commonwealth War Graves as we remember the war dead. Led by the East Ham Nature Reserve Heritage and Conservation Volunteers. All welcome.

Annual Memorial Service on **Sunday 2nd November** at **5pm** at **St Mary's**: at this service of reflection and thanksgiving we gather to remember our loved ones who have died. Please send names of those you would like remembered at this service to our administrator Linda at info@easthamparish.org.uk

All Saints Day will be celebrated with a Joint Parish Eucharist at St Mary's on Sunday 2nd November at 10am. There will not be 10am Eucharists at St Bart's or at St Edmund's that Sunday.

Remembrance Sunday 9th November Eucharists: 8am at St Mary's; **9am at St Bart's** (joint service for the congregations of St Bart's and St Edmund's) followed by Act of Remembrance at War Memorial in Central Park; **10am at St Mary's** followed by Act of Remembrance at War Memorial in St Mary's Churchyard. *No Eucharist at St Edmund's on Remembrance Sunday.*

St Edmund's Patronal Festival will be held on 16th November. There will be a Joint Parish Eucharist at St Edmund's at 10am with prayers of thanksgiving for the life of the late John Turnpenny, a long standing and much loved member of St Edmund's. We look forward to welcoming the Revd Dr **Rachel Pennant**, **Chaplain to the Bishop of Chelmsford** as our guest preacher. *Please note that this will be the only 10am service in the parish that Sunday. There will be no 10am at St Mary's or St Bart's. The 8am at St Mary's will be held as usual.*

This year's **Advent** course is a word study on key Advent themes in the Bible: **Hope, Peace, Joy and Love**. You can join either online (*Tuesday evenings 25 Nov, then 2, 9 and 16 Dec*) or in person (*Thursdays at 11am at St Bart's 27 Nov then 4, 11 and 18 Dec*). The Tuesday and Thursday sessions will cover the same material. This course is offered by and for the East Ham **Ministry and Mission Partnership**, with sessions led by Joan Dallas of St George's, East Ham, and by Fr Paul. More

details to follow for signing up to the online sessions. Get ahead by watching the video for the first sessions, 'Hope' at

<https://bibleproject.com/videos/collections/advent/>

Save the dates Christmas Market Saturday 22nd November in St Mary's Hall; Church of South India Carol Service Sunday 14th December 3.30pm at St Bart's; Nine Lessons & Carols Sunday 21st December 6pm at St Mary's; Christmas Eve 5pm Christingle at St Mary's, 8pm Eucharist at St Bart's, 11pm Midnight Mass at St Mary's; Christmas Day 10am at St Mary's, 10am at St Bart's and 10am at St Edmund's. St Stephen's Day (Fri 26 Dec) 11am Eucharist at St Edmund's.

A message from the Eco-Church group - we were recently asked if we recycle at St Mary's - and of course we do. Surplus newsletters and other papers are taken for recycling, as well as the candle holders from church. The paper can go in the compost for the Eco Church garden, too. We are looking at how we can collect other recyclables as well. Meanwhile, there's another Repair Cafe opportunity coming up - you can take one item for their expert repairers to look at, electrical, bikes or clothing. And maybe swap two items of quality clothing, bags or accessories. Free entry, no booking needed, go to East Ham Library on Tuesday, 28th October, 1pm to 4pm.

St Bart's Intercessory Prayer will follow the service on 26th October.

Meetings.

Monday 20th October – Deanery Committee - CANCELLED

Sunday 26th October - St Edmund's DCC 11.15am

Wednesday 12th November – St Mary's DCC 7.15pm St Mary's Hall

Sunday 23rd November – St Bart's DCC at 11am

Tuesday 25th November – PCC Meeting at St Edmund's 7pm

Thursday 4th December – Deanery Synod, St Luke's Canning Town 7:15 for 7:45 pm



**Acting Team Rector/
Team Vicar:
Associate Clergy:**

**Honorary Associate
Clergy:**

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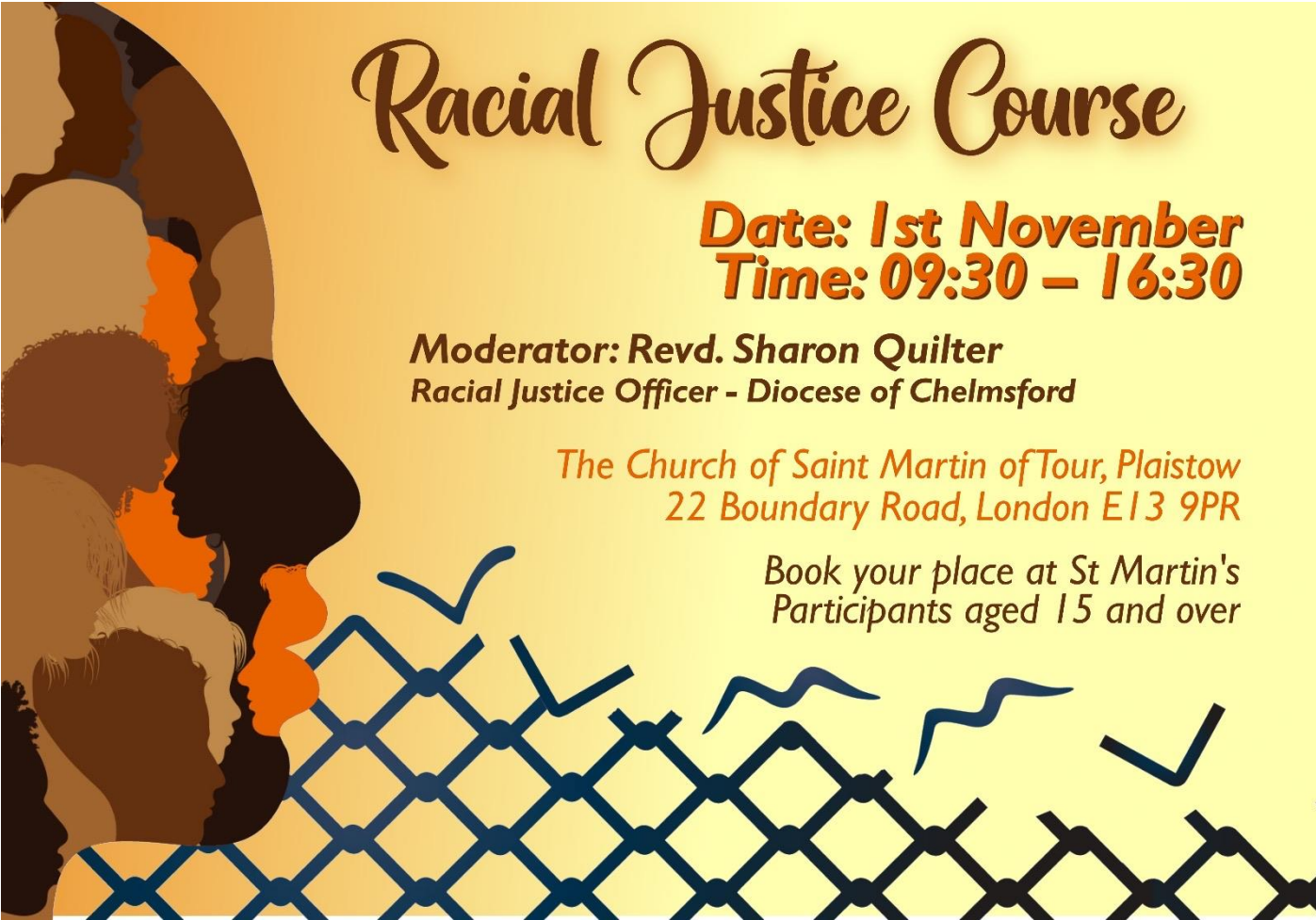
Rt Revd. Saulo Barros

Revd. John King

Revd. Katherine Ward - katherine.ward@easthamparish.org.uk

Revd. Canon Ann Easter

Revd. Sandra Eldridge



Racial Justice Course

Date: 1st November
Time: 09:30 – 16:30

Moderator: Revd. Sharon Quilter
Racial Justice Officer - Diocese of Chelmsford

The Church of Saint Martin of Tour, Plaistow
22 Boundary Road, London E13 9PR

Book your place at St Martin's
Participants aged 15 and over



**Join our popular free events to fix
broken electricals, bikes or clothing.**

- ★ Bring along 1 item for expert repairers to look at.
- ★ For small electricals or cables that no longer work, there will be recycling bins available.
- ★ Refresh your wardrobe for free by bringing up to 2 items of good quality clothing you no longer want to swap for new-to-you items.

Tuesday, 28th October, 1pm-4pm

East Ham Library,
328 Barking Rd, London E6 2RT
<https://eastlondonwaste.gov.uk/campaigns/repair-cafes>