# St Matthias Church

## TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sunday 4th September 2022

Welcome all visiting with us for the first time and invite you all to join us, after mass, for Coffee/tea at the back of Church

Sunday 4th	TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Parish Mass 11am
Monday 5th	Feria	
Tuesday 6th	Feria	
Wednesday 7th	Feria	Mass 10am
Thursday 8th	THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	
Friday 9th	Feria	
Saturday 10th	Feria	Mass 10.30am
Sunday 11th	TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Parish Mass 11am

#### PCC

It is requested that all PCC members should be available for the Archdeacon's Visitation on **September 7th at 7:10.** The Archdeacon would like to meet all members and an opportunity for a question-and answer session; it is your opportunity to probe him with any concerns you may have. Please do not be late.

Here are the planned timings;

4pm: Tour of the church w Fr David

**5pm:** Meeting Fr David for 1:1 time

6pm: Review of Registers and Records (45 mins)

6.45pm: Meeting with the Churchwardens (30 mins)

7.15pm: Meeting with the PCC without the Incumbent (45 mins) 8pm: End

### **CHRISTMAS FAYRE MEETING**

There is a strong possibility that this year, we will have a Christmas fare in the church jointly run with the school. There will be a meeting in the vicarage this coming Thursday 8th September at 11am. If you are interested in attending this meeting, please let Fr David know. We've not had a Christmas Fare in a long time, so maybe we can raise funds to keep the heating on during the cold months!

#### **ANTONIO**

It has now been confirmed that Antonio will be leaving us in September, and therefore, his final date will be 18th September. **Next week**, we will have a bring n' share lunch following the Mass. Please add your name to the list as to what you would like to bring and share.

### 9TH OCTOBER 2022

A date for our diary. On this day, we will celebrate Harvest Festival, and we will be joined by Fr Jim Jellie to come and preach for us! As is custom, we will have another Bring n' Share lunch, so we will have a list as to what we can bring! It seems to be a non-stop gathering of bring n' share, but it is a very good way to appreciate all that we have, and especially during the expected times of hardship that is rapidly approaching.

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### TRAINING SESSION FOR CHURCHWARDENS, TREASURERS, PCC SECRETARIES AND PCC MEMBERS ON TUESDAY, 4TH OCTOBER, AT ST ANNE'S COMMUNITY HALL, **HEMSWORTH STREET, N1 5LF**

The session will run from 7pm until 9pm and is being led by The Revd Prebendary Irena Edgcumbe, Director of Training and Development in the Stepney Area, the Venerable Peter Fairley-Moore, Archdeacon of Hackney and Martin Hornbuckle, Stepney and Edmonton Financial Adviser. The evening will cover the roles and responsibilities of Church Officers and PCC Members, there will also be time for your questions and any issues you may wish to raise.

Please inform Maxine Leonard, if you would like a place on this workshop.

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