

# St Gabriel's

## Weekly Update for Sun 10 October

### Youth Worship Night Friday 22 October, 7.30 - 9 pm

We're inviting all youth (ages 11-18) to come and join us as we come together with YWAM to meet with God through worship.

Please keep the youth and team in prayer in the lead-up to this evening.



LIVING  
IN LOVE  
& FAITH

Our Sermon series 'Living in Love and Faith' continues this week looking at the issue of identity. There was a really great start to the midweek groups and we have formed some small groups in which to take part in the

learning. The groups will continue next week finishing at the slightly later time of 9.30pm. With the exception of those that let me know in advance - we are asking people not to join the course part way through. This week will be the last chance for new people to join. You can do so by signing up on the website. If you would like some information to catch up on last week's session - reply to this email and I'll send some notes.



**Light Party Café**



tickets are going fast so book today!



There will be lots happening including an indoor/ outdoor trail (with a prize), café, hot dogs, snacks, crafts, games, and much more. **For families: Sunday 31 October 3 - 5.30pm**

Please book early to avoid disappointment and share the link to invite a friend!

This a free event but donations towards food etc would be much appreciated.

**To offer food or to help out at this event please contact Mariam or Susie**

### ECO TIP OF THE WEEK

The eco-group is currently working towards enabling St Gabriel's achieving Eco Church status. We would love to involve everyone at St Gabriel's in helping us to move forward with this and, especially in the Lifestyle section, there are steps that each of us can take.



**This week:** more than ever, we need to be more mindful of the energy we use to heat our homes and here are some practical tips to keep your home warm and energy efficient:

1. Draught-proofing your windows by using self-adhesive foam strips which you can buy at B&Q and Wickes
2. Also turn down the thermostat to 19 degree C during the winter months and use timers for fixed periods you are at home. Wear extra layers, and physically move around the house every 30 minutes



A really big **Thank You** to all who contributed to the fantastic Fundraiser evening last Friday in celebration of 10 years of our CAP Debt Centre. We have been busy counting up all the donations and are please to say that **the event raised nearly two and a half thousand pounds** for the debt centre. These funds will go towards the continued running of the debt centre. If you would still like to make a donation to be added to the 10 year fundraiser total, you can do so from the website CAP page..

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### What's on this week?

#### Sun 17 October - Living in Love and Faith - Identity

Continuing our sermon series on identity, relationships, sexuality and marriage

**10.30am Morning Worship** - in-person with a creche and groups for children and youth today, streamed live via YouTube, available shortly thereafter. To listen live instead, call 020 8191 0680.

**After the morning service** (around 12.15- 12.45) – **Prayer for our Mission Partners**  
(in the chancel, bring your coffee!)

**6.30pm - Evening Communion** - in-person only

#### Mon 18 Oct 7.45pm PCC meets

**8.00pm English Conversation Class**

#### Tue 19 Oct 7.15am Prayer Breakfast (online)

**7.00pm CAP Money Course**

**7.45pm The Alpha Course (online)**

#### Wed 20 Oct 9.15am Boogie Angels

**1.00pm Wednesday Fellowship**

**7.30pm Living in Love and Faith course**

#### Thu 21 Oct 7.30pm Worship Team Workshop with Rob Cates

#### Fri 22 Oct 7.30pm Revive Youth Worship Night

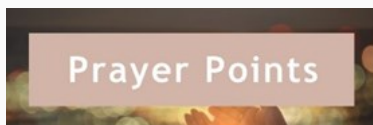
#### Next Sunday 24 October - Living in Love and Faith - Relationships

Continued sermon series on identity, relationships, sexuality and marriage



**10.30am Holy Communion** - in-person with groups for children and youth, streamed live via YouTube, available shortly thereafter. To listen live instead, call 020 8191 0680.

**6.30pm - Evening Worship** - in-person only

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**Do pray during the week for all our events at St Gabriel's, sharing the love in Cricklewood. Here are some additional topics for prayer:**

- Continue to pray for those on the Alpha course, for good discussions and people finding faith in Jesus. For good internet connections every week! 
- Pray for our ongoing 'Living in Love and Faith' course on Wednesdays, and our Sunday series. Ask God to bless us in our times together on these topical subjects, that we will share and listen well.
- Thank God for the money raised for our Christians Against Poverty Debt Centre by our Fundraising Dinner, to continue serving local people in need of help to become debt-free and to run money management courses. Pray for Debbie and Emma as they manage and run the Centre and its activities.
- Pray for the preparations for our Light Party Café, for Mariam and Susie, and for enough people to help on the day. Ask God to be present by his Spirit, to show Jesus, shining brightly as the Light of the world. Pray for conversations as well as the activities of the day. 
- Pray for God's healing and presence for any with troubles (say people's names aloud slowly and hold them before God), and for the joy of the Lord to be deep within us all.
- Thank God for one thing each day!