



## St Barnabas Mission Partners



### About Malcolm and Kerstin Gray:

Malcolm, Kerstin and their daughter Amy moved to the UK a few months ago, having spent 16 years working with WEC International in Thailand. They are now living in Coventry, and together with the WEC UK leadership, are discerning the role that they will take on within WEC Coventry.

### Latest news from the Grays:

The Grays have joined the WEC UK team in Coventry, though they are still taking a sabbatical for a few months. They are adjusting to life back in the UK: British schooling, British housing, British rules and regulations...a lot to get used to as they settle!

Amy's teachers are very impressed by her helpfulness and participation. She is also picking up a bit of a 'Cov' accent (O Lord....!)

They are currently living in a WEC property, but are trying to sell a property in Bristol in order to buy a house in Coventry. However the market is slow at the moment.

After a whirlwind transition this year, when energy levels at times have been low, they are slowly regaining strength and motivation for the next ministry season.

They hope to have a clear idea of what their new roles within WEC UK will be by the end of the WEC conference on 20-23 October. They will return to full-time ministry by the beginning of 2019.

### Give thanks:

- That they met three Thai believers at their new church, which they are delighted with!
- That they are settling into life in the UK
- That Amy is settling in so well to her new school
- For the support from the local WEC team

### Please pray:

- For guidance as they, together with the WEC fellowship, discern how best they can serve
- For friends for themselves, as well as good relationships so that they can be a meaningful witness in Coventry
- That they will be able to sell and buy a house soon, so that they can finally move into long-term accommodation

**Pray for Malcolm and Kerstin:** Tear off this slip to pray for the Grays through the week or pick up their prayer postcard from the postcard display in the café area on the Ground Floor

**Support Malcolm and Kerstin:** Email [clairefranks@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:clairefranks@stbarnabas.co.uk) to find out how you can support the Grays or to receive their prayer letters

## What's on this week...

### Monday 15 October

6.30pm **Grow Groups (Y5-Y6)** - The Lighthouse (1F)  
6.30pm **Grow Groups (11-18 years)** - The Forge (2F)

### Tuesday 16 October

9.30am **Being Disciples of Jesus Group** - Barnabas Room (GF)  
10.30am **English Conversation Class** - The Ark (1F)  
3.00pm **Youth Drop-In** - Youth Snug (2F)  
7.45pm **Jesus the Game Changer** - The Café Area (GF)

### Wednesday 17 October

9.30am **Barneys Toddler Group** - The Ark (1F)  
2.15pm **Wednesday Club** - The Ark (1F)  
7.45pm **Central Prayer Meeting** - Main Hall (GF)

### Thursday 18 October

10.00am **N12 Women** - The Café (GF)  
12.30pm **Daytime Alpha** - The Beacon (1F)  
7.30pm **N12 Community Choir** - The Ark (1F)

### Friday 19 October

9.30am **Barneys Toddler Group** - The Ark (1F)  
3.00pm **Youth Drop-In** - Youth Snug (2F)  
5.40pm **Family Movie Night** - The Ark (1F)  
7.30pm **Base** - The Forge (2F)

### Saturday 20 October

11.00am **Healing On The Streets** - Café Area (GF)

For contact details and full information on groups and activities, please check directory/programme card or our website:

[www.stbarnabas.co.uk](http://www.stbarnabas.co.uk)

### New Building: Snagging Issues

We are aware of some snagging issues in the new building, and are in the process of sorting them out. If you notice something that is missing or not working properly, please assume that we know unless it is not sorted out in a few weeks time! Thank you.

### Deaf? BSL User? Welcome!

We have a level 2 signer and a level 6 signer in our congregation who would be delighted to help you access our service content. Please contact [theooffice@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:theooffice@stbarnabas.co.uk), and we will organise someone to sign for you.

### Giving

You can now give to St Bs via text! Simply text **70070**;

To give £5 text (uppercase): **STBS01 £5**

To give £10 text (uppercase): **STBS01 £10**

For more details, see our website: [www.stbarnabas.co.uk/giving](http://www.stbarnabas.co.uk/giving)

To join our giving programme or for more information about our budget and finances, please take a copy of our publication *Running St Bs*. This includes bank details and information about standing orders and Gift Aid. [www.stbarnabas.co.uk/giving](http://www.stbarnabas.co.uk/giving)

### St Bs Bank Details

Bank name: Natwest  
Account Name: St Barnabas Church PCC  
Account number: 31658091  
Sort Code: 601520

## Welcome to St Barnabas

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Sunday 14 October 2018

### Holy Communion 8.30am

Common Worship Service in the Prayer Chapel on the 1st Floor

**Led by:** Mike Pavlou

Hebrews 4:12-16; Mark 10:17-31

### Morning Worship 9.30 & 11.30am

Informal Services with provision for children and youth - see below

**9.30 Led by:** Peter Landry and Sue Pritchard

**11.30 Led by:** Henry and Jane Kendal

**Sermon:** Chris Alexander

Worshipping

Hebrews 10:19-25

### Evening Worship 5pm

Informal Celebration-Style Service

**Led by:** Grace McPhilemy

**Sermon:** Chris Alexander

Worshipping

Hebrews 10:19-25

### Children

#### Under 1s

9.30am & 11.30am The Lighthouse (1F)

#### Under 5s

9.30am & 11.30am The Beacon (1F)

#### Kids Church

9.30am & 11.30am The Ark (1F)

### Youth

#### The Sunday Session

11.15am 11-14 years The Forge (2F)

#### The 5

5.00pm 14-18 years The Forge (2F)

Please stand, sit or kneel as you feel comfortable. Refreshments are available throughout the service from the coffee points around the church.



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# Welcome

We hope and pray that you will encounter God and make good friends here. If you need any help finding out how life works at St Bs, please speak to our Connect Team or visit the **Connect Point** in church.

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## How to contact us

For information and contact details for members of the staff team and others, please refer to the Autumn Programme which is available today. Our website is also a very good source of information.

## Hubs

As a large church we know that people can easily slip through the cracks. To find out about Hubs and other ways of connecting and belonging, look at our programme card and directory, or contact Chris Alexander: [chrisalexander@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:chrisalexander@stbarnabas.co.uk)

## Notices

### Safeguarding at St Bs

We take the safeguarding of our children and young people very seriously and in our new building we have developed new systems and processes in order to keep everyone safe. Please be aware that no one other than Children's and Youth leaders will be allowed access to the rooms on the First and Second Floors on Sundays while groups are meeting. If you have any safeguarding concerns, please email our Safeguarding Officer, Bella Mutevelian: [bellamutevelian@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:bellamutevelian@stbarnabas.co.uk)

### Parking

**Please do not park in surrounding roads** to be considerate to our neighbours. Instead please park in one of the local car parks, many of which are free on Sundays. For more information see our website: [www.stbarnabas.co.uk/travel](http://www.stbarnabas.co.uk/travel)

**We urgently need more members** for our parking team! If you would like to join or just get more information about what's involved contact: [parking@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:parking@stbarnabas.co.uk)

### Travel Survey

As part of our Travel Plan, we need to survey the way our members travel to church and to other activities and groups. We will be asking you to complete and hand in a brief survey form during the services today. Please take the time to fill in and hand back this important survey. Thank you.

### 8.30am Communion Service

Please note that the 8am Communion service has changed time, and will now be meeting every week at 8.30am. It's a traditional service of common worship held in the Prayer Chapel and all are welcome.

### Prisons Week

Prisons Week aims to encourage prayer and awareness of the needs of prisoners and their families, victims of offenders, prisons staff and all those who care. Go to [www.prisonsworld.org](http://www.prisonsworld.org) to find daily prayers throughout this week to help you pray.

## What's On

### Daytime Alpha

**Thursdays 12.30pm The Beacon**

A course exploring the Christian faith. A light lunch will be provided and all are welcome, including your little ones. For more information contact Becky: [beckytownley@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:beckytownley@stbarnabas.co.uk)

### Deanery Synod Meeting: Knife & Gun Crime

**Monday 15 October 7pm Golders Green Parish Church**

Come, listen, discuss, and help solve this ongoing problem. Entry is Free - all are welcome at this event. Please register on Eventbrite.

### Central Prayer Meeting

**Wednesday 17 October 7.45pm Main Hall**

Henry and Colin invite everyone to the termly Central Prayer Meeting. We will be worshipping and praying for the life and ministry of St Bs and beyond.

### Family Movie Night

**Friday 19 October 6pm The Ark**

Hosted by the Families Hub, join us for some FREE family fun with popcorn as we watch a film together! For more information contact Becky: [beckytownley@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:beckytownley@stbarnabas.co.uk)

### Guest Speaker: Shireen West

**Sunday 21 October 9.30am & 11.30am**

We are very pleased to be welcoming Shireen, who is one of our Mission Associates. Shireen and her husband Roger lead Revival Fire Ministries and have been working for many years in Kenya and other African countries.



### Afternoon with Mission Associate Stephen McKenzie

**Sunday 28 October 3pm-4.30pm Barnabas Room**

Come along to hear more about how God is using Stephen amongst the student population in Manchester. Tea and cakes will be provided. Email Claire, our World Mission Coordinator for more information: [clairefranks@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:clairefranks@stbarnabas.co.uk)

### Guest Speaker: Erin Crider

**Sunday 28 October 5pm service**

**Is the Bible a Fairytale?**

We are very pleased to be welcoming Erin from Wycliffe Hall, Oxford University. This will be a great service to invite your friends to – and come along to the pub afterwards for more discussion!



### Light Party

**Wednesday 31 October 4.30-6pm The Ark**

A fun alternative to Halloween for kids aged 1-10, and their parents/carers. [sherayafourie@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:sherayafourie@stbarnabas.co.uk)

### Men's Prayer Meeting

**Wednesday 7 November 6.45am Barnabas Room**

Men of St Bs, join us in crying out to God for the men of our church, our community, and the world. Meeting on the first Wednesday of every month. For more details contact Luke: [lukegraham@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:lukegraham@stbarnabas.co.uk)

### Who Let the Dads Out?

**Saturday 17 November 10-11.30am The Ark**

Parent & Toddler event for Dads/male carers with kids aged 0-4 years. Lots of fun with toys, craft, didi cars plus breakfast, tea & coffee. All for free! Church Office ☎ 020 8343 5770 or email: [wltido.stbsnl@gmail.com](mailto:wltido.stbsnl@gmail.com)

### Parenting Young Kids

**Saturday 17 November 2pm Oakleigh Community Church**

Two hours of teaching and laughter with Colin and Natalie Brookes for anyone wanting to be encouraged in the art of parenting 0-8s. Contact [mikepavlou@stbarnabas.co.uk](mailto:mikepavlou@stbarnabas.co.uk) to book a place.

## Staying in touch

### If you are new ...

We are really pleased to have you with us at St Bs today.

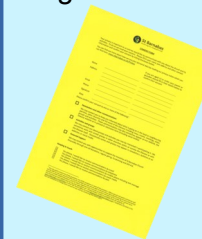
If you are a newcomer and would like more information, then please take and complete one of our **Connect Forms**, which you will find at the connect point or in the Offering Baskets as they come round.

Hand it in to anyone wearing a badge at the connect point and they will be delighted to give you a gift bag.



### If you are already a member of St Bs ...

If you have not already completed a yellow consent form, then please do so **TODAY** and give it to one of the Connect Team.



With the recent change in data protection law, we will be unable to contact you about church activities and events if we do not have a form from you, so don't delay!

And if you are a taxpayer please fill in a pink Gift Aid form and put it in the box as well so that we can claim 25p back for every £1 you give.

