

# BROMLEY AND SHEPPARD'S COLLEGES

# WEEKLY HERALD

20 JUNE 2021



## Midsummer Night's Dream



Bromley and Sheppard's colleges have a long tradition of involvement with local theatres. They are so grateful for our hosting of this opening up celebration. To alleviate any tensions and concerns the producer and directors would like to come and meet with collegians, hopefully with a view to future collaborations beyond this event. Ideas for how this could happen are welcome – let Jo know in the office.

If the Government delays opening up beyond 19 July, the event will be cancelled.

The July rehearsal schedule on the South Lawn is:

Sun 11: 3-6pm

Sat 17: 10am to 10pm – tech set up and run through

Sun 18: 10am to 10pm - double run

Mon 19: 6.30 to 10.30pm - final dress

### Performances

20-24 6.30 to 10.30pm

Tickets available here:

[www.BCATHeatre.com](http://www.BCATHeatre.com)

11 tickets were pre-sold to collegians and these will be given reserved, named seats.

Please move cars parked by the South lawn to the rear parking from 20 July, to clear the performance space.

## Thought for the Week

“Hope” is the thing with feathers -  
That perches in the soul -  
And sings the tune without the words -  
And never stops - at all –

*Emily Dickenson*



## Maintenance

Fairthorn Farrell and Timms have provided a comprehensive set of maintenance plans. The trustees will formally receive these at their next meeting.

Our annual Fire Assessment is booked for July; and we will be pleased to show real progress in works and plans since last year.

Quotations have been received for the boiler replacements; we must make a small adjustment to the specification, but nearly there.

## Coffee Morning

The next coffee morning is Thursday 24 June at 10.30 am in the Old Quad to raise money for Whitechapel Mission.



**Whitechapel Mission**  
*Bringing hope where there is despair*



<https://whitechapel.org.uk/supporting-us>

## Service rota

The July Rota is on its way round. We are starting again by including everyone. Please be encouraged to join in, and pass the rota on quickly.

## Linda Balmer

Linda is away on annual leave returning to work on Monday 28 June. Helen will be covering for her.

## Pam Dawson and daughter

Coming to visit around 10.30am on Friday 25 June – there will be coffee on the lawn.

## Chaplain offsite

Chaplain will be at the Bewith Community on 5 and 6 July.



Did you see the bee?

## Roadmap out of lockdown

The roadmap has been delayed until 19 July. Pray that victory will be won over this virus so that life can return to a level of normality.

<https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

## Summer borders



## 3 AFTER TRINITY



Brandy Pearson

**Collect**

Almighty God,  
 you have broken the tyranny of sin  
 and have sent the Spirit of your Son  
 into our hearts  
 whereby we call you Father:  
 give us grace to dedicate our freedom  
 to your service,  
 that we and all creation  
 may be brought to the glorious liberty  
 of the children of God;  
 through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
 who is alive and reigns with you,  
 in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
 one God, now and for ever.

**Amen****SCRIPTURE****Job 38:1-11**

The LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind: 'Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? Gird up your loins like a man, I will question you, and you shall declare to me. 'Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding. Who determined its measurements—surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone when the morning stars sang together and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy? 'Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb? when I made the clouds its garment, and thick darkness its swaddling band, and prescribed bounds for it, and set bars and doors, and said, "Thus far shall you come, and no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stopped"?'

**Psalm 9.9-end****Mark 4:35-41**

When evening had come, he said to them, 'Let us go across to the other side.' And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. A great gale arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, 'Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?' He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, 'Peace! Be still!' Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. He said to them, 'Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?' And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, 'Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?'

**Post Communion Prayer**

O God, whose beauty  
 is beyond our imagining  
 and whose power  
 we cannot comprehend:  
 show us your glory  
 as far as we can grasp it,  
 and shield us from knowing  
 more than we can bear  
 until we may look upon you  
 without fear;  
 through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

**Amen**

**Lost mobile 'phone** – found on driveway: "Duro" brand (not SMART) let office know if it is yours.

## Prayer Diary

<b>Anglican Cycle</b>	The Church of North India (United)
<b>Rochester Cycle</b>	Kondoa Our Companion Diocese, Kondoa: The Rt Rev Given Gaula, Bishop
<b>Colleges</b>	Anthony Watkins and Derek Shilling [T]
<b>Community</b>	Mildmay Hospital and Leprosy Mission
<b>Collegians moved away</b>	Charles Potter, Frank and Yvonne Gough (2007), David and Diane Cossar (2012), Mary Watts (2015), Pam Dawson (2019). John and Joyce Ilson (2020), Ken Hewitt (2020), Sarah Grove(2020)
<b>Those who have asked for prayer</b>	Anne Townsend, Matthew Coxen, June Dakin, Chris Davies, Karen Layton, Maureen Edmonds, Nigel and Diane Pilgrim, Peter Hemming, Vic Shaw, Julian White, Liz Whiting, John Williams
<b>Year's Mind Anniversary</b>	Felix Abraham Dias-Abeyesinghe and Rose Lowe
<b>Those who have died</b>	
<i>Let the office know of additions and removals from the prayer list</i>	

## Activities diary

<b>What and when</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>President/leader</b>	<b>Reader</b>	<b>Intercessor</b>
<b>Sun 20 June Communion</b>	10am	Paul Jenkins	Anne Townsend	Brandy Pearson
<i>Please remember to label or remove vestments in the Chapel by today (20 June)</i>				
<b>Daily office</b>	9am/5pm	Monday to Saturday		
<b>Mon 21 June Silent Prayer</b>	5.30pm	In Chapel		
<b>Thur 24 June Birth of John the Baptist</b>	10am	Chaplain	Valerie Pearce	John Townsend
<b>Thurs 24 June</b>	10.30am	Coffee on the lawn in aid of The Whitechapel Mission		
<b>Sun 27 June Evensong</b>	5pm	Chaplain		
<b>ADVANCE NOTICE Evensong 18 July</b>	5pm	St John's choir visiting		