



Prayer of the day

Blessed be your name, O God, for the glory of this hour and the holiness of this day. Today may we drink from the cup of your salvation, rejoice in the company of your saints and offer you the sacrifice of eternal praise; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Polycarp of Smyrna (c. 155)

Creator God, in the beginning, all was dull.
Colour had not yet been created, all was bland and sterile and safe.
You spoke into the tedium and called forth diversity.
Primary colours emerged from nowhere, giving birth to hues, shades, hints and tints, dancing together in a colourful, chaotic, dangerous dance of love.
From your vibrant love a universe was born of infinite variety.
Help us to seek new shades, new tones, sharing your delight in all that you have made.
Enfold us in your rainbow promise of hope and new life, for love's sake. Amen.

Michaela Youngson, London District Chair



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We invite you to take this news-sheet home and use it to pray for the events happening at Church, in the life of the community and in the world



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WE WELCOME YOU TO ENJOY AND CELEBRATE GOD'S LOVE WITH US

WEEKLY NEWS SHEET- SUNDAY, 3rd December 2017 THIS WEEK'S CHURCH DIARY :-

SUNDAY 3rd December

First Sunday in Advent

10:45 a.m. - Deacon Margaret Hughes

Seward - Rosalyn Field

MONDAY, 4th

1:00 p.m. Art Group

5.30 p.m. Brownies 5.45 p.m. Rainbows

TUESDAY, 5th

WEDNESDAY, 6th

1.00 p.m. Open House

6.00 p.m. Beavers 6.15 p.m. Cubs 7.00 p.m. Scouts

THURSDAY, 7th

FRIDAY, 8th

SATURDAY, 9th

11:00 - 12:00 - Coffee Club in the Coffee Lounge

SUNDAY 10th DECEMBER

Second Sunday in Advent

10:45 a.m. - Mrs V Sudworth

12:15 Lunch after Service

Points for Prayer :-

- For those who are in distress
- For those who have been left homeless
- For those who are ill at home or in hospital



THE OFFERTORY on Sunday 26th November 2017, for the work of God in this Church and Circuit amounted to **£ 314.60**

Please note that there is an area at the back of Church set aside for our younger church goers. Please feel free to use and enjoy this

Christmas Day Service

Here at Trinity

10:00 a.m. - Preacher - Alison Carpenter

All Welcome

Christmas Fayre

Thanks to all who supported the Fayre yesterday

We raised £ 1,188.52 for church funds

Please say and have lunch after the service and we will have a short carol service after Lunch

Family News

It is with sadness we report the passing of Denys Brook, Denys's funeral is scheduled for this **Monday 4th December** here at Trinity at **10:30 a.m.** We hold Denys and his family in our thoughts and prayers at this sad time.
