

Weekly Email | Thursday 7 March

****Join us this evening, 8-10pm for our Worship Night - our monthly gatherings where we come together to lift our hearts and voices in praise of our living God.****

Our Headlines

Electoral Roll

This is the Church of England term for what is like a 'membership list'. If you're reading this email it's quite possible that you're on it - great news all round! But every 5-7 years we have to re-do our electoral roll which means everyone needs to sign a new form - not such great news... BUT we're making this as easy as possible and will have 500 forms at church this Sunday and in the weeks to come for you to sign. Please do so and pop it in the box at the back of church. Thanks so much!

In the Church of England we don't have a membership as you might at other churches, instead people sign up to the electoral roll which means you vote at our annual meeting - which by the way is on 24th April this year. Please do sign up, and feel free to drop the office an email if you have any questions.

Sight Redevelopment Forums

Following from our Sight Re-development Sunday last week we're holding two open forums on Sunday 10 March, 1pm and Wednesday 20 March, 7pm, to ask questions and make comments about our site development.

Lent Course | Wednesdays in Lent, beginning 13 March, 8pm

"God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ... And he has committed to us the message of reconciliation." 2 Corinthians 5.19.

What a call! This year's Lent Course invites us to explore and to put this ministry into practice, wherever we are. It's practical, thought-provoking and transformative and comes with a health warning - you could find yourself radically changed! Every Wednesday evening in Lent, 8pm in church, from next Wednesday 13 March.

MOLO Night | Thursday 14 March, 7.45pm

Next Thursday evening is MOLO Night, an evening for our Mums Of Little Ones with worship, teaching and prayer. This term the guest speaker for the evening will be our very own Jonathan Mortimer. Do come along for an evening of refreshment particularly planned for you.

Food for Thought

Artificial Intelligence (AI) is already a part of our world, providing insights for many things from insurance claims to medical diagnosis, dating sites to driverless cars. For most of us, this is a mysterious domain of algorithms and mass data. But what does the future really hold? Is Alexa going to take my job? Could Siri become conscious? Are robots going to take

over the world? Does AI tell us anything about what it means to be human? Or to be wise? We'll be talking more on Saturday 23 March and you're welcome to join us.

Also coming up...

Men's Curry Night | Friday 22 March, 7.30pm.

Curry at the Dulwich Tandoori, SE22 8HJ. All men welcome!

Getting out more - door knocking | Saturday 30 March, 9.45am.

We are starting to visit homes in our parish along streets where we have prayer-walked, inviting those we meet to hear the Easter message and asking if we can pray for them. It was so encouraging - a word that means the giving of courage - when we did something similar in the run-up to Christmas. On Saturday 30th we are learning what to do, then going out to do it.

This Sunday

In the morning service we start our new sermon series on 'Reconciling truth and grace' - the message of Hosea. Jenny Dawkins will be speaking on 'Outrageous grace'. Hosea 1:1 – 2:1. (God has not turned his back on a faithless people).

In our evening service we begin our new series 'Spiritual Symmetry' when Rich Hiller will be speaking on 'Solitude and community'. Mark 1.35-39