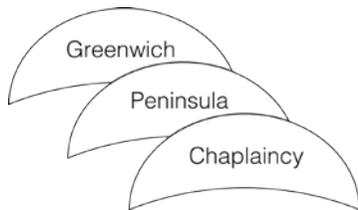


The Greenwich Peninsula Chaplaincy



Newsletter January 2014

The Greenwich Peninsula Chaplaincy provides workplace chaplains from a variety of faiths on the Greenwich Peninsula and beyond, and it is responsible for the multi faith Prayer Space near to the cable car station.

The Prayer Space is in a new place: At the end of August the Prayer Space closed on its old site, and it is now open again on its new site next to the Emirates Airline cable car station.

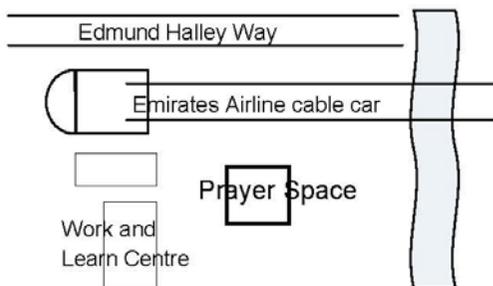


New opening hours

The Prayer Space used to be open from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. every day Monday to Saturday: but we noticed that few people were coming between 11 and 11.30, and more people around 2 p.m.: so **from the 2nd January** the Prayer Space will be open

11.30 a.m. to 2.30 p.m

every day from Monday to Saturday.



The Greenwich Peninsula Chaplaincy's 10th birthday



On the 5th June 2003 a group of people from a variety of faiths met (continued on page 2)

If you go to the river side of the cable car station then you'll see the way into the Prayer Space.

In this newsletter:

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The Greenwich Peninsula Chaplaincy's 10th birthday

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for the first meeting of the Greenwich Peninsula Chaplaincy Steering Group. So on the 5th June 2013 trustees, chaplains, welcomers, supporters and the Deputy Mayor, Cllr Mick Hayes, met to celebrate ten years of work serving the workers, residents and visitors on the Greenwich Peninsula.

The Prayer Space on its way to its new location next to the cable car station



Prayer Space opening times

From the 2nd January there will be new opening times:

Monday to Saturday

11.30 a.m. to 2.30 p.m.

(Until the end of December the opening times will be the old ones: 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.)

Weekly events

Sunday

11 a.m. to 12 noon: Sunday morning service

(Christian: held by Holy Trinity, Greenwich Peninsula: Church of England)

2 p.m. to 4 p.m.: Sunday afternoon service

(Christian: held by the Kingdom Family Church)

Monday to Saturday

12 noon to 12.30 p.m.: Midday Prayer

(Christian: held by Christians working together on the Greenwich Peninsula)

Friday

1.15 p.m.: Juma (Friday) Prayers

(Muslim: held by the Greenwich Islamic Centre)

New tasks for the future

We would like to be able to open the Prayer Space for longer, but to do that we need some more volunteer welcomers. We would like to be able to place chaplains in more workplaces: but to do that we'll need some more chaplains.

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New tasks for the future

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If you believe that you have the right skills to be a workplace chaplain or a Prayer Space welcomer, and you are a member of a faith community in Greenwich, or if you know somebody else who might be suitable, then please request a recruitment pack.

We would like to thank

Greenwich Peninsula Regeneration Ltd for getting the Prayer Space open as quickly as they could after they had relocated it, and also for making it bigger. Some of our events were getting a bit crowded, and it's really good to have some more space.

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The Greenwich Peninsula Chaplaincy Steering Group

The chaplaincy is managed by the Greenwich Peninsula Chaplaincy Steering

Group which is a registered charity, no. 1107892.

Website:

www.greenwich-peninsula-chaplaincy.org.uk

What chaplains do

Our multi faith team of workplace chaplains visit the different venues in The O2, construction sites on the Peninsula and in East Greenwich, ASDA and other retail outlets, Ravensbourne College, and Greenwich's police stations.

Chaplains usually visit weekly, to join in conversations about whatever people want to talk about, but above all to listen (and anything which someone says to a chaplain will only be shared with someone else with their permission).

The chaplain's role is not to persuade anyone of the truth of any particular religion, but if anyone wants to talk about religion then the chaplain will of course be very happy to do so. If someone asks to speak to someone of a particular faith then the chaplains will gladly arrange that.

What Prayer Space welcomers do

Whenever the Prayer Space is open there will be a volunteer welcomer present: to welcome groups and individuals who come to use the Prayer Space, to answer questions, and to be a listening ear if that's what somebody needs.

Greenwich Peninsula Chaplaincy Chaplains and Welcomers



The Rev'd
Ray
Andrews



Ann Atkins



Davinder
Kaur
Babraa



Balbir
Singh
Bakhshi



Philandai
(Dolly)
Baldeo



Sheikh Ali
Barakat



Sr Frances
Browne



Brenda
Brundritt



Mary
Carter



Jenny
Cooper



Linda
Craven



Stephen
Craven



Sarah
Davis



Deborah
Dukes



The Rev'd
Cynthia
Finnerty



The Rev'd
Jean
Griffiths



Patricia
Gronvold
Meyer



Kay
Ingledew



Sukhdev
Singh
Marway



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Jane Rice



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Paul
Rogers



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Malcolm
Torry



The Rev'd
Bob Vogt



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