

SUTTON SOUP 11 - 11th October 2018



We are very pleased to tell you that Soup 11, held on 11th October, was yet another record breaker. We raised an amazing £1150!

This was made possible due to two things: our highest ever attendance (the church was packed!) and the fact that we were able to start the pot off with £300, thanks to our sponsors. In fact, because of the wonderful opportunity we had to raise money back in September at the **Cheam Celebration of Food and Drink**, all of our pots for the next year will start with at least £200.

Our other generous sponsors for the evening were Sutton Orthodontic Centre, Abbey Mills Studios (thanks Simon for being our photographer for the evening!), Cheam Financial Planning, Sainsbury's and local pub Shinner & Sudtone, who provided the soup for us. It was a very tasty Carrot, Coriander and Orange creation, cooked by their chef Orla.

Thanks to Heather and the Bread Club for baking some lovely wholemeal spelt bread to go with the soup, and a special mention to Shipton Mill for the donation of spelt flour.

So...who took away all that money? Our pitchers at Soup 11 were:

- The Diamond Centre for Disabled Riders provides therapeutic riding and carriage driving for children and adults with disabilities, which benefits their health and wellbeing. Mike pitched for funds to help them to continue to run this unique facility.
- Project Linus UK Liz runs the South London branch of this national volunteer organisation. She pitched to help them continue with their work of organising volunteers to craft beautiful homemade patchwork quilts which are then given to sick or traumatised young people, giving them a sense of comfort and security.
- One Step at a Time is a small local charity based in Cheam. They provide support to disabled/special needs children, and their families, by holding club days, outings, coffee mornings and more. Jo and Lorraine told us about the vital work that they do.