

PRAYERS

Please remember in your prayers:

+ Glynis Andrews	+ Susan Head
+ Maureen & Andrew Sharp	+ Ruth How
+ June Archer	+ Robert Ladd
+ Jon Blanchard	+ David Leeke
+ Heather Brewer	+ Joseph Lord
+ John Brown	+ Justine Marshman
+ Derek Bullock	+ Lynne Potter
+ Norman Coward	+ Julie Smith
+ Andrew Crichton	+ Pam Strudwick
+ Annet Fernandez	+ Joy Tasker
+ Shirley Farquharson	+ Sally Vincent
+ Pat Galer	+ Violet Wells
+ Lorraine Gonsalves	+ Jacquie White

+ The soul of Margaret Freestone, friend of Melvyn & Denise Mead, who lost her battle against cancer.

+Our neighbours: Christ Church, New Life Christian Centre, Jesus International Outreach Ministries.

+ Charlie Halcomb, Lucas Bovell, Artemis Churchill-Smith, Aadaeze Madubuike being baptised here today

Services this week

21 October – 26 October 2013

Monday	12.00noon	Eucharist
	2.30pm	Julian Group – Almshouses
	7.30pm	Ballroom Dancing lesson in the hall
Tuesday	1.10pm	Eucharist
Wednesday	11.00am	Eucharist
	12.45pm	Southwark Cathedral Guides guided tour
	7.00pm	No Christian Studies
Thursday	11.00am	Eucharist – Whitgift House
	6.30pm	Youth Group
Friday	10.00am	Eucharist
Saturday	10.00am	Eucharist
	6.00pm	Auction viewing starts
	6.30pm	Auction Registration

Next Sunday, 27 October 2013

22nd Sunday of Trinity

08.00am	Eucharist
10.00am	Sung Eucharist
	Crèche meets in the small hall, No Kingfishers & BDG: Half term break
6.30pm	Choral Evensong

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MINSTER NEWS

Sunday 20 October 2013

21st Sunday of Trinity

08.00am	Eucharist
<i>Celebrant:</i>	<i>Sue Wheeler-Kiley</i>
09.50am	Crèche, Kingfishers & BDG: Sports
10.00am	Sung Eucharist
Celebrant:	<i>Canon Colin Boswell</i>
Preacher:	<i>Canon Colin Boswell</i>
Hymns:	453, 358, 484, 381
Setting:	<i>Missa Brevis Palestrina</i>
Reader:	<i>Frances Samarajiwa</i>
Intercessor:	<i>Elaine Cooper</i>
Motet:	<i>Strengthen ye Harris</i>
Voluntary:	<i>Prelude in B Major Dupré (TL)</i>

Coffee, tea or squash will be served in the church hall after the 10am Service.

12.00noon	Baptism
12.30pm	<i>Canon Colin Boswell</i>
4.00pm	Evening Prayer at the Almshouses – Gillian Perrins
6.30pm	Choral Evensong
Officiant:	<i>Revd Chris Moore</i>
Preacher:	<i>Canon Colin Boswell</i>
Hymns:	465, 366, 250
Responses:	<i>Archer</i>
Psalm:	<i>149</i>
Canticles:	<i>Plainsong Moore</i>
Anthem:	<i>Ex ore innocentium Ireland</i>
Voluntary:	<i>Festival Toccata Fletcher (DW)</i>

*Initials after the voluntary indicates who will be playing:
RK – Ronny Krippner, TL – Tom Little, DW – David Warrren,
MH – Martin How.*

Your offerings today

Thank you for your offering to the work of the Minster
Please consider Gift Aiding any donation you make today,
if you are a UK tax payer, by completing one of the White
Gift Aid envelopes provided.

Today.....

If you are new, please complete a 'Blue Welcome Card' which is available at the back of church. Please ask a sides' person for details.

Children's **Activity Bags** are available at the back of church for use in the pews only. Please ask a Sides' person to show you where they are.

The October Magazine is still available today: £1.00. Deadline for copy is Thursday 24 October.

The Church Times is available each week: £1.90

The Bridge Newspaper (free) is available.

Sponsorship of the church flowers— forms are available under the tower. £25 buys one arrangement only.

Food Store – Sugar, UHT/Long-life milk, tinned fish & tinned meat & coffee would be much appreciated.

Operation Christmas Child – Shoe Box Appeal – the leaflets are available today. Please make up your shoe box. Please don't forget to include the £3.00 towards postage. Please bring them to the Minster by **Sunday 17 November**. NB: For older girls – sewing/knitting kits are now acceptable.

Calling all young people (School Year 7 and above)

Youth Group has restarted in the church hall on a Thursday evening at 6.30pm – 8.00pm. If you are interested in coming along please either speak to Fr Colin or leave your name with the Minster Office so we know who to expect and what activities to plan.

This Wednesday there will be No Minster Christian Studies Course.

Saturday 26 October 10am-12.noon Macmillan Cancer Care Coffee Morning at St George's Church – all welcome.

Next Saturday 26 October – Grand Auction of Promises. Viewing from 6.00pm. Registration from 6.30pm. Auction starts at 7.00pm.

Please purchase your tickets priced at £6.00 per adult and £4.00 per child from Penny Hall today after church or from the Minster Office.

Please pop your completed pledge forms into the box under the tower (spare forms available).

The up-dated preliminary catalogue is also available to take a way today with over 60 lots.

Many thanks to all those who have offered a wonderful array of items and talents. Your items can be brought along to the church hall on the morning of the auction or taken in to the Minster Office.

Please support this important fundraising event. Penny Hall (8660 5131)

Wednesday 30 October – visit to Museum of Childhood. A half-term outing for young & old to the Museum of Childhood. Entry free. Meet WEST Croydon Station 10.00am. Freedom Pass, Oyster or Travelcard needed. Details: Geoff Radford, tel. 020 8688 4819.

Wednesday 23 October, 2pm, Whitgift Almshouses, George Street. Mothers' Union Afternoon Meeting Father Milo Brandon will talk to us about his ministry. All welcome. Do come for an enjoyable afternoon.

Saturday 9th November Whitgift Almshouses Coffee Morning 10am-12 noon. Raffle, home produce, etc. Entry £1.50 includes coffee and mince pie. Details tel. 020 8649 8432.

Saturday 30th November – Christmas Fair

Please support this year's Fair, it is an important fundraising occasion for us. We need:

Helpers to run stalls, Items to sell - gifts, bric-a-brac, bottles for the tombola, preserves and offers of cakes
Crafty Corner - a number of you put your talents to good use last year to sell various items at the Fair, plants, craft items etc. We will be dedicating a corner of the Fair this year to stalls where you can sell your own homemade items in aid of Church Funds. Please think about what you can make and sell. Please speak to Gail Winter for more details.

From St Mildred's, Addiscombe

The Drop-in centre has been shortlisted for the Lloyds Community Fund and are seeking votes by 1st November. If you use the link below you will find more information about the fund. In the search if you put St Mildred's it will come up as St Mildred's Drop-in for Homeless and Needy. Your votes would be very much appreciated and please spread the word.

https://communityfund.lloydsbank.com/voting/cf_org_vote_search_results.asp

Family Focus based at St George's is looking for volunteers, mainly to work with adults, although play support would be useful. This group works with mothers and their children 0-4 years, play for the children, crafts and supporting for the mums. It meets on Thursdays 9.30-11.30pm term time in St George's. Or just offer whatever time you have available. You will need an Enhanced CRB check.

Our Parish Clergy are available to talk, they are:

Vicar:	Canon Colin J Luke Boswell	020 8688 1387
Assoc. Vicar:	Revd Milo Brandon	020 8680 4484
Deacon:	Revd Chris Moore	020 8680 7890
Hon Curate:	Revd Mark Hill	020 8688 1387
St George's	Revd Pat Vowles	020 8688 7006