

PRAYERS

Please remember in your prayers:

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| + Annette's mum | + Angela Kenney |
| + Vincent Atigla | + Jack Kettle-Smith |
| + Fr Chuck Blankenship | + Sue Kibler |
| + Heather Brewer | + Robert Ladd |
| + Derek Bullock | + Valerie Martlew |
| + Helen Clover | + Susie Maupin |
| + Margaret Dickens | + Blyth Oxley |
| + Annet Fernandez | + Sebastian Rayner |
| + Alan Garth | + Beverley Smith |
| + Lorraine Gonsalves | + Sally Vincent |
| + Susan Head | + Jacque White |
| + Ruth How | |

+ Our neighbours: St Mary's Roman Catholic Church

+ The soul of Iris Goy, resident of Elis David Almshouses.

+ The soul of Hulda Agha, Quintin's Agha's mum, Hulda came on the Holy Land Pilgrimage.

+ Oghenemega Dumebi & Ella Kemp being baptised here today

Services this week

19 January – 24 January 2015

Monday	12.00noon	Eucharist
	2.30pm	Julian Group – Almshouses
	7.30pm	PCC Meeting
Tuesday	1.10pm	Eucharist
	5.30pm	Choral Evensong sung by our boy choristers Canterbury Canticles Moore O Mysterium Lalouette
Wednesday	11.00am	BCP Eucharist
	5.30pm	Choral Evensong sung by our girl choristers Evening Service Archer The Call Vaughan Williams
	7.30pm	Healing Service
Friday	10.00am	Eucharist
Saturday	10.00am	Eucharist followed by informal coffee in the Lady Chapel

Next Sunday, 25 January 2015

Conversion of Paul

08.00am	Eucharist
09.50am	Crèche, Kingfishers & BDG
10.00am	Sung Eucharist with the Laying Up of the Normandy Veterans Standard. Jeremiah 1:4-10 or Acts 9:1-22; Psalm 67; Galatians 1:11-16a; Matthew 19:27-30
6.30pm	Choral Evensong

Our Parish Clergy are available to talk to, they are:

Vicar:	Canon Colin J Luke Boswell	020 8688 1387
Assoc. Vicar:	Revd Milo Brandon	020 8680 4484
Curate:	Revd Chris Moore	020 8680 7890
Hon Curate:	Revd Mark Hill	020 8688 1387
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MINSTER NEWS

Sunday 18 January 2015

2nd Sunday of Epiphany

- 08.00am** **Eucharist**
Canon Colin Boswell
- 09.50am** **Crèche & Kingfishers** in the hall
BDG meet in the Vicar's study
- 10.00am** **Sung Eucharist**
(Girls & Lay Clerks)
Revd Chris Moore
Celebrant: *Revd Chris Moore*
Preacher: *Revd Chris Moore*
Hymns: **475, 341, 296, 433**
Setting: *Spatzenmesse Mozart*
Reader: *Francis Letchska*
Intercessor: *Diana Hemmings*
Motet: *Ave Verum Mozart*
- 11.40am** **Sides Persons' Meeting** in the small hall

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

- 12.00noon** **Baptism**
Revd Chris Moore
- 4.00am** **E. Prayer at the Almshouses**
Elaine Cooper
- 6.30pm** **Choral Evensong**
(Boys' Choir)
Officiant: *Canon Colin Boswell*
Preacher: *Canon Colin Boswell*
Hymns: **343, 339, 331**
Responses: *Fox*
Psalm: **96**
Canticles: *Dyson in C*
Anthem: *Ave Maria Lindley*

Thank you for your offerings to the work of the Minster. If you are a UK tax payer, please consider Gift Aiding any donation by completing one of the White Gift Aid envelopes or by filling in a more permanent Gift Aid Declaration which is available at the back of church or from the Minster Office.

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 with your child in the pew. Please ask a Sides' person to show you where they are and please return them at the end of the service – thank you.

The December/January Magazine is available: £1.00. Articles for the February edition should be with Karen Ip or the Minster Office by Tuesday 20 January.

The Church Times is available each week: £1.95.

The Bridge Newspaper (free) is available.

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

Food Store items: Staple foods such as sugar, tinned fish, tinned meat, soup, tinned vegetables, tinned fruit, coffee, tea, long-life milk, and biscuits are needed. At the end of January we will be joining forces with the Food Bank in Ramsey Court and referring our clients to them. Please continue to bring food if you are able to do so. Thank you.

Lectio Divina & Ballroom Dancing will resume shortly.

Croydon Minster Electoral Roll – are you on the Electoral Roll (not the council one, which allows you to vote at General or Council Elections) but the church roll? This entitles you to be voted onto the Parochial Church Council at the Annual General Meeting which will be in April. Please think about joining the Church Electoral Roll – forms are available at the back of church and should be returned to Denise Mead.

Croydon Minster's CD 'In Trouble and in Joy' is still available from the Minster Office at a cost of £10.

Monday 19 January 7.30pm – PCC Meeting in the church hall.

Tuesday 20 January 10.00am – Book Group restarts in the Vicar's Study. This term the chosen book is 'Being Christian' by Rowan Williams and is available from the Minster Office (£8.00 per copy).

Tuesday 20 January 7.00pm – Whitgift Minster Choral Society rehearsals resume at Whitgift School.

Wednesday 21 January 2pm Mothers' Union Knitting Group meets in the Vicar's Study at Croydon Minster. All welcome.

Next Sunday 25 January at our 10.00am service, we will be welcoming the members of the Croydon Normandy Veterans Association, along with Colonel Ian McRobbie, Deputy Lieutenant for Croydon, who will be laying up their standard here in the Minster. Fr Colin is their Chaplain.

Dates for your Diary....

Wednesday 4 February – Outing to Wesley Chapel & Museum (donation £3.00) Meet at East Croydon station at 9.30am. Bring travel cards, freedom passes, oyster cards etc. Holy Communion 12.45pm, lunch at Wetherspoons. Contact Jenny 020 8686 8521 or Geoff 07561 405801

Sunday 8 February 12.30pm – International Lunch church, hosted by the Minster Sidespeople. All welcome.

Tickets on sale from Karen and the Sidespeople- Cost £5 per head (small children free). There will be a bar for drinks from 12.00noon. If you would like to contribute a special dish please let us know (not a must as we will provide food). Come in national dress if you would like to! Karen Ip, Churchwarden.

Tuesday 10 February 12.30pm – Pub lunch at Gipsy Moth, Colonnades, Purley Way. End of 119 bus route or on bus 289 route. Why eat on your own? Details from David Gilbert 07906 503657.

Saturday 28 February 2015 – Annual Quiz Night with Fish & Chip Supper.

Wednesday 10 June 7.30pm – Concert by Harry Christophers & The Sixteen. Tickets on sale from tomorrow. £20.00 Front Nave, £15.00 Rear Nave £10.00, £10.00 Side Aisles. No reserved seating. Tickets available from Denise in the Minster Office.

Age UK are looking to recruit:

A Development Services Assistant (30 hour post, salary £17,367) Responsibilities for supporting the Development Services Manager, managing the facilities, activities & events at the Brigstock Road site. Do you have experience of working in a busy environment, designing marketing material, running activities and events? Do you have I.T. & organisational skills? Are you able to work alone or as part of a team? For an application pack, please contact: Age UK Croydon, 2 Katharine Street, Croydon CR0 1NX. 020 8680 5450 or aukc@ageukcroydon.org.uk, quoting the job title. Available in large print. Applications must be hard copy and returned to: 81 Brigstock Road, Thornton Heath, CR7 7JH. **Emailed applications and CV's will not be accepted.** Closing date for applications: 9.00am on 21 January 2015. Age UK Croydon is an equal opportunities employer and any discrimination will not be tolerated. Interviews will take place on the **Friday 30 January 2015**. If you are shortlisted, you will be notified by 26 January.

Whitgift-Minster Choral Society – Call for Singers! Rehearsals are starting again, preparing for our big concert at the Royal Festival Hall on 26th March 2015. If you love singing and like the idea of a project driven choir, then this is definitely for you! Music will include Parry's "I was glad", Walton's "Coronation Te Deum" and Jenkins' "Adiemus". Rehearsals take place every Tuesday from 7-8.30pm in the Concert Hall of Whitgift School (starting Tuesday 20th January) under the direction of the Minster's Director of Music, Ronny Krippner, together with Sub-Organist, Tom Little.