

PRAYERS

Please remember in your prayers:

- | | |
|-------------------------|----------------------|
| + Scott Benton | + Valerie Martlew |
| + Fr Chuck Blankenship | + Rob Last |
| + Helen Clover | + Shelagh Murray |
| + Margaret Dickens | + Hazel Parsons |
| + Annet Fernandez | + Jeanne Randall |
| + Helen French | + Beverley Smith |
| + Lorraine Gonsalves | + Angela Start |
| + Spencer Harley | + Pam Strudwick |
| + Susan Head | + Tye |
| + Joan Henley | + Sally Vincent |
| + Jack Kettle-Smith | + Jacque White |
| + Jennie Luchmun | + Elizabeth Williams |
| + Bernadette McElligott | |
- + Our neighbours: St Michael & All Angels with St James & the Salvation Army
- + Obinna Ogbuehi & Natascha Kahmann being married here on Thursday

Services this week

28 September – 03 October 2015

Monday	12.00noon	Eucharist
	5.30pm	Choral Evensong sung by the Whitgift Choristers
	<i>Canticles:</i>	Harwood in A flat
	<i>Anthem:</i>	Love Divine Goodall
Tuesday	9.30am	Minster Junior School Harvest Festival
	12.00noon	Lectio Divina
	1.10pm	Eucharist
	2.00pm	Old Palace School Founders Day Service
	5.30pm	Choral Evensong sung by the Boy Choristers
	<i>Canticles:</i>	Jesus College Service Briggs
	<i>Anthem:</i>	O for the wings of a dove <i>Mendelssohn</i>
Wednesday	11.00am	BCP Eucharist
	5.30pm	Choral Evensong sung by the Girls' & Men
	<i>Canticles:</i>	Second Service Byrd
	<i>Anthem:</i>	O for a closer walk with God <i>Stanford</i>
Thursday	11.00am	Eucharist – Whitgift House
	7.00pm	Choral Evensong (Men's voices)
	<i>Canticles:</i>	Magnificat Secundi Toni <i>Lassus</i>
	<i>Anthem:</i>	Gloria tibi, Domine Byrd
Friday	10.00am	Eucharist
Saturday	10.00am	Eucharist

Next Sunday, 27 September 2015

17th Sunday after Trinity

08.00am	Eucharist
09.50am	Crèche, Kingfishers & BDG in church
10.00am	Sung (All Age) Eucharist for Harvest Festival
6.30pm	Choral Evensong

Croydon Minster

Church Street

Croydon

CR0 1RN

Phone: 020 8688 8104

Email: croydonparishchurch@btconnect.com

Web: <http://www.croydonminster.org>



MINSTER NEWS

Sunday 27 September 2015

17th Sunday after Trinity

- | | |
|----------------|---|
| 08.00am | Eucharist
<i>Canon Colin Boswell</i> |
| 09.50am | No Crèche, Kingfishers or BDG |
| 11.15am | Civic Service in the presence of the Worshipful Mayor of Croydon, Cllr Patricia Hay-Justice
<i>Choir: Girls & Adults</i>
See order of service |

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.

Wine, coffee, tea & squash will be served in the church hall after the Civic Service.

- | | |
|----------------|--|
| 11.30am | Morning Prayer at the Almshouses Elaine Cooper |
| 6.30pm | Sung Eucharist
<i>Choir: Boys & Men</i>
Celebrant: <i>Revd Mark Hill</i>
Preacher: <i>Revd Christopher Moore</i>
Hymns: 433, 358, 285, 368
Reader: <i>Keith Bailey</i>
Setting: <i>Missa Brevis Sancti Joannis Haydn</i>
Intercessor: <i>Revd Christopher Moore</i>
Motet: <i>O sing joyfully Batten</i>
Voluntary: <i>Prelude in E Bach (NG)</i> |

Thank you for your offerings for the work of the Minster. UK tax payers, 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. We can supply weekly or monthly envelopes for your regular giving, should you require them.

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.

The October Magazine is still available: £1.00
The Church Times is available. Price £2.05

The Bridge & Croydon Citizen Newspapers (both free) are available at the back of church.

Sponsorship of church flowers – Forms are available at the back of church. £25.00 buys one arrangement.

Organ Restoration Appeal

Here is this month's appeal update, including **1** new Adopt a Pipe donations and **2** new One off donations:

Monthly Patrons – **19** monthly patrons recruited so far (no increase in numbers during August. Could you consider becoming a monthly patron and taking out a monthly standing order of £30 for 24 months?)

Adopt a Pipe – **16** of you have adopted a Pipe

One off donations – **15** received

Fundraising Events – **3** including **1** marathon run and **2** sales over coffee after 10am Eucharist during August. Please let Gail or Denise know if you are organising a fundraising event for the appeal so that we can advertise it to ensure it is well supported.

Grants – **1** We are very grateful indeed for the Whitgift Foundation's generous support of our appeal

Total amount received / pledged at the end of our August, including Gift Aid is **£53,584**

NOTE – look out for a project update in the October magazine.

Our local food bank in Ramsey Court is empty, they urgently need food supplies: UHT milk, cooking oil, biscuits, tinned fruit, jam, marmalade, noodles, tinned meat/fish, ready-made meals. Please help by bringing these food items if you are able to do so. Thank you.

Croydon Minster's CD 'In Trouble and in Joy' is still available from the Minster Office at a cost of £10.00

Ballroom Dancing Classes

Tuesdays 7.00pm Intermediate Class

Saturdays 12.00noon New Beginners Class

Lectio Divina: is on Tuesdays at 12.00noon

Contemplative Eucharist is on the 1st Wednesday of the month in the Mary Chapel

Attention all golfers!

There is still time to sign up to play in the autumn meeting of the Diocesan Golf Society which is open to all. The Harry Lloyd Cup & other prizes, can be won at Bletchingley Golf Club from midday on Tuesday 29th September. Cost £30.95, including high tea.

Email: David Weightman davidcweightman@gmail.com

Thursday 1 October. Outing to Wellcome Collection: Health and Medicine. Free entry, cafe. Meet East Croydon Station 10am. Bring Freedom Pass, Oyster, etc. Details: Jenny Muschamp (020 8686 8521) or Geoff Radford (07561 405801). Next trip 4 November Imperial War Museum.

Next Sunday 4 October – Harvest Festival

Tuesday 6 October 12.30pm Pub Lunch at Gipsy Moth, Colonnades, Purley Way. Free parking, buses 119 or 289. Come and join us. Details: David Gilbert tel. 07906 503657.

Saturday 10 Oct 7.30pm-10.30pm – Barn Dance in the church hall (food: baked potatoes & fillings). Please sign up on the list under the tower if you would like to come to the barn dance. Tickets £7.00per adult £5.00 children are on sale now from Diana Hemmings or the Minster Office.

Thursday 22 October 10am-1pm – Fr Chris is giving a talk for the Diocese on Animal Welfare at Trinity House, London. Limited numbers (15) so you would need to book early. Speak to Fr Chris for details.

Sunday 25th October at 11.40am – Sidespeople's training – there will be a training session going through everything – ALL sidespeople must attend if possible.

Saturday 7 November 10am-12.00noon Community Breakfast at St George's Church with a talk on 'Will writing' & 'pre-arranged funerals' etc. by 'Rowland Bros' a local firm of Undertakers.

Saturday 7 November 3.00pm-5.30pm – Tea Dance

Sunday 20 December – Children's Party in the hall

Wanted... a piano in reasonable condition. Please let the Minster Office know if you know of anyone who wants to sell their piano.

Urgently needed – local accommodation for a mother & her 13 year old daughter. Happy to share a room. Can pay a reasonable rent. Daughter at local school, both father & grandmother recently deceased.

Our 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
St George's	Revd Pat Vowles	020 8688 7006