PRAYERS

Please remember in your prayers:

+ Jennie Luchmun

+ Bernadette McElligott + Scott Benton + Fr Chuck Blankenship + Valerie Martlew + Rob Last + Helen Clover + Shelagh Murray + Matthew Cook + Hazel Parsons + Margaret Dickens + Annet Fernandez + Jeanne Randall + Helen French + Beverley Smith + Lorraine Gonsalves + Angela Start + Pam Strudwick + Spencer Harley + Susan Head + Tye + Sally Vincent + Joan Henley + Jacquie White + Jack Kettle-Smith

- + Our neighbours: Christ Church, Sumner Road & the New Life Christian Centre
- + For those being licensed as Readers in Southwark Cathedral on Monday: Marcia Grant-Che (St George, Waddon), Alison Radford (St Matthew, Croydon), Carol Holmes (St Peter, Norbiton), Kathleen Knight (St Saviour, Brockley Hill), Rebecca Mills (Christchurch and St John, New Malden & Coombe) & Sandra Osoba (St Mary Magdalene, Bermondsey) and for the ministry of all Readers in the Diocese.

Services this week

12 October - 17 October 2015

Monday 12.00noon Eucharist

5.30pm Choral Evensong sung Old

+ Elizabeth Williams

Palace School Choir

Canticles: The Old Palace Service How

Anthem: Blessed are they Rutter

Tuesday 12.00noon Lectio Divina

1.10pm Eucharist

5.30pm Choral Evensong sung by the

Boy Choristers

Canticles: Dyson in C

Anthem: Song of Peace Stanford

Wednesday II.00am BCP Eucharist

5.30pm Choral Evensong sung by the

Girl Choristers

Canticles: Berkeley Service Jones
Anthem: Ave Maria Martin

Thursday 7.00pm Choral Evensong (Men's

voices)

Canticles: 2nd Service Lorde

Anthem: In the beginning Locke

Friday 10.00am Eucharist Saturday 10.00am Eucharist

11.00am Baptism Preparation

Next Sunday, 18 October 2015

St Luke the Evangelist

08.00am Eucharist

09.50am Crèche, Kingfishers & BDG

10.00am Sung Eucharist

Readings: Isaiah 35:3-6 or Acts 16:6-12a;

Psalm 147:1-7; 2 Timothy 4:5-17;

Luke 10:1-9

12.00noon Holy Baptism

6.30pm Choral Evensong

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MINSTER NEWS

Sunday II October 2015

19th Sunday after Trinity

08.00am Eucharist

Canon Arthur Quinn

09.50am Crèche & Kingfishers meet in the

halls **BDG** meets in the Vicar's study

10.00am Sung Eucharist
Celebrant: Canon Colin Boswell
Preacher: Canon Colin Boswell

Choir: Girls & Adults

Hymns: 433, 407, 440, 362

Reader: Jon Blanchard

Setting: Messe brève Gounod

Intercessors: Jon Blanchard

Motet: My soul, there is a country *Parry* **Voluntary:** Festival Voluntary *Peeters (NG)*

Today's flowers have been sponsored by Penny Hall in loving memory of her father, Reginald Dix who would have celebrated his 100th birthday last week

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.

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

4.00pm Evening Prayer at the

Almshouses Sharon Wallace

6.30pm Choral Evensong
Officiant: Canon Colin Boswell
Preacher: Revd Christopher Moore

Choir: Boys & Men

Hymns: 471, 337, 245

Responses: Tomkins Psalm: 127

Canticles: Collegium Regale Wood
Anthem: Evening Hymn Gardiner
Voluntary: Cantabile Franck (TL)

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 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 I new Adopt a Pipe donations and 2 new One off donations:

Monthly Patrons – I9 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

 $\underline{\text{Grants}} - \mathbf{I}$ 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 Thank you for your very generous harvest festival offerings.

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

Thursday 15 October 10am Mothers' Union Meeting in church (Please come in through the Minster Office door) 'Talking with Fr Chris'. ALL WELCOME

Monday 19 October - Messy Minster

Wednesday 21 October 1.10pm-2.00pm – Lunchtime Recital. Our own Julie Beaumont & Gail Winter accompanied by former Director of Music Nigel McClintock, will be performing a recital of popular sacred and secular songs, the proceeds of which will be split between the Organ Restoration Appeal & MacMillan Cancer Support. Bring your sandwiches and we'll provide tea, coffee and song. This recital is dedicated to the memory of Chris Phillis, founder of the Girls' Choir who died earlier this year.

Thursday 22 October 10am-Ipm – 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.

Wednesday 4 November Outing to The Imperial War Museum (recently refurbished). Free entry, cafe. Meet East Croydon Station 10.00am. Bring Freedom Pass, Oyster, etc. Details Jenny Muschamp (020 8686 8521) or Geoff Radford (07561 405801)

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

Thursday 19 November Pub Lunch at Park Place (Toby Carvery), Commonside West, Mitcham. Meet in bar 12.30pm. Free parking, bus 264 to Madeira Road. Do join us. Details: David Gilbert tel. 07906 503657.

Wednesday 25 November 7.00pm – Licensing of Revd Lee Taylor as our new Associate Vicar by the Bishop of Croydon

Saturday 5 December 11.00am-2.00pm, Christmas Fair. Please see Julie Beaumont (Gail's sister) if you feel able to offer your help. Further details to follow.

Sunday 20 December - Children's Party in the hall

Croydon Refugee Centre We have heard that the Refugee Centre is in need of good quality small and medium men's clothing, size 10 & 12 young women's clothing, children's clothing, trainers, adults & children. Please bring to The Minster and we will arrange delivery. Thank you.

Help Wanted The Minster Junior School is looking for volunteer adults to sit and listen to pupils reading on a regular basis. All volunteers would need to be DBS checked. If you are interested please leave your details with the Minster Office.

Our Clergy are available to talk to, they are:

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Assoc. Vicar:		
Curate:	Revd Chris Moore	020 8680 7890
Hon Curate:	Revd Mark Hill	020 8688 1387
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