

PRAYERS

Please remember in your prayers:

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

+Our neighbours: West Croydon Methodist Church, YMCA & YWCA

+ The soul of Ernest Strudwick, resident of Whitgift House

Jacque White thanks everyone for their thoughts and prayers. She is feeling a little stronger but has no resistance to infection at present so cannot go out much.

Services this week

14 October – 19 October 2013

Monday	12.00noon	Eucharist
	5.30pm	Choral Evensong sung by Old Palace of JW School Choir
	7.30pm	Ballroom Dancing lesson in the hall
Tuesday	1.10pm	Eucharist
	5.30pm	Choral Evensong sung by the Boy Choristers
Wednesday	11.00am	Eucharist
	4.30pm	Evensong – Whitgift House
	5.30pm	Choral Evensong sung by the Girl Choristers
	7.00pm	Christian Studies Course
Thursday	10.30am	Eucharist – The Almshouses
Friday	10.00am	Eucharist
Saturday	10.00am	Eucharist
	11.00am	Baptism Preparation
	3.00pm	Cursillo 25 th Anniversary Eucharist

Next Sunday, 20 October 2013

21st Sunday of Trinity

08.00am	Eucharist
10.00am	Sung Eucharist
	Crèche meets in the small hall, Kingfishers & BDG: Sports for all
12.00 & 12.30pm	Baptism
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 13 October 2013

20th Sunday of Trinity

08.00am

Eucharist

Celebrant:

Canon Arthur Quinn

09.50am

Crèche,

Kingfishers & BDG: The great pearl

10.00am

Sung Eucharist

Celebrant:

Revd Milo Brandon

Preacher:

Revd Chris Moore

Hymns:

205, 378, 415, 134

Setting:

Little Organ Mass Haydn

Reader:

Intercessor:

Stephen Willmer

Motet:

O quam gloriosum Victoria

Voluntary:

Coffee, tea or 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 Milo Brandon

Hymns:

451, 431, 355

Responses:

Shephard

Psalm:

144

Canticles:

Stanford in B Flat

Anthem:

How lovely are thy dwellings

Brahms

Voluntary:

Paean Leighton (DW)

*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 available today: £1.00.

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 – We are very grateful for all the items given for Harvest Festival last week. We also received food from Parish Church School & Old Palace of JW School for which we are truly grateful. Thank you so much for all your generosity. We've also had a very generous cash donation so we can stock up on missing items.

Monday 14 October, 7.30pm Mothers' Union meets at St George's Church, Barrow Road. Speaker Paul Elliott will talk about the St John's Ambulance Service with a demonstration. All welcome. If you don't know how to get to St George's please speak to Diana Hemmings.

Minster Christian Studies Course week 2

Wednesday 16 October at 7.00pm – 8.30pm. Fr Mark will lead the first Module consisting of 5 Sessions:

Topics include: Critical tools

How the NT came to be written

Scripture and Canon

Synoptic problem / Synoptic picture of

Jesus

The Johannine picture of Jesus

Revelation of St. John

There will be no session on Wednesday 23 October as Fr Mark will be away. The course costs £20 per module or £50 for all 3. Booking Forms are still available at the back of church. Fr Milo will lead Module 2 on 'The Philosophy of Religion' & Fr Chris will lead Module 3 on 'An Introduction to Ethics'.

Saturday 26 October – Grand Auction of Promises. Viewing from 6.00pm, Registration from 6.30pm. Auction starts at 7.00pm. Tickets are now available priced at £6.00 per adult and £4.00 per child from Penny Hall after church or from the Minster Office. A preliminary catalogue is available with over 40 lots so far. Please can you return your completed pledge form and place in the box under the tower (spare forms available). Many thanks to those who have already offered items or talents. Your gifts can be brought along to the hall on the morning of the auction. Please support this important fundraising event.

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.

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