

PRAYERS

Please remember in your prayers:

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| + Revd Wealands Bell | + Lorraine Gonsalves |
| + Heather Brewer | + Wynn Harpur |
| + Derek Bullock | + Susan Head |
| + Helen Clover | + Ruth How |
| + Norman Coward | + Jack Kettle-Smith |
| + Margaret Dickens | + Joanna & daughter |
| + Annet Fernandez | + Robert Ladd |
| + Tina Fernandez | + Sally Vincent |
| + Alan Garth | + Jacquie White |
| + The Ven. Ken Gibbons | |

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

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MINSTER NEWS

Sunday 14 September 2014

13th Sunday after Trinity / Holy Cross Day

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| 08.00am | Eucharist |
| Celebrant: | <i>Revd Mark Hill</i> |
| 09.50am | Crèche, Kingfishers & BDG |
| 10.00am | Sung Eucharist |
| Celebrant: | <i>Canon Colin Boswell</i> |
| Preacher: | <i>Canon Colin Boswell</i> |
| Hymns: | 475, 358, 294, 393 |
| Setting: | Darke in F |
| Reader: | <i>Rodney Vaughn</i> |
| Intercessor: | <i>Jon Blanchard</i> |
| Motet: | <i>Christus Factus est Bruckner</i> |
| Voluntary: | <i>Allabreve JS Bach</i> |

Please use the 'orange envelopes' to support the Minster General Fund Campaign. Please hand these in at the end of the service.

Today's flowers have been sponsored by Alan Galer in memory of his parents Stanley & Olive Galer

Please join Elaine Cooper for a glass of wine in the hall to celebrate her birthday

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

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| 12.30pm | BBQ (part 2) |
| 3.00pm | New Learning Service
<i>Canon Colin Boswell</i> |
| 4.00pm | Evening Prayer at the Almshouses – Sharon Wallace |
| 6.30pm | Choral Evensong |
| Officiant: | <i>Canon Colin Boswell</i> |
| Preacher: | <i>Revd Chris Moore</i> |
| Hymns: | 500, 391, 377 |
| Responses: | Clucas |
| Psalm: | 110 |
| Canticles: | Brewer in D Major |
| Anthem: | <i>Almighty & Everlasting God Gibbons</i> |

Services this week

15 September – 20 September 2014

Monday	12.00noon	Eucharist
	2.30pm	Julian Group – Almshouses
	7.30pm	PCC Meeting in the hall
Tuesday	1.10pm	Eucharist
	5.30pm	Choral Evensong sung by the Boy Choristers
	7.00pm	Lectio Divina
Wednesday	11.00am	BCP Eucharist
	4.30pm	Evensong – Whitgift House
	5.30pm	Choral Evensong sung by the Girl Choristers
Thursday	6.30pm	Youth Group
Friday	10.00am	Eucharist
Saturday	10.00am	Eucharist
	2.30pm	MU Fun Day
	8.00pm	Cabaret Evening in the hall

Next Sunday, 21 September 2014

14th Sunday after Trinity / St Matthew

08.00am	Eucharist
10.00am	Sung Eucharist Proverbs 3;13-18; Psalm 119: 65-72; 2 Corinthians 4:1-6; Matthew 9:9-13 Crèche, Kingfishers & BDG
12.00noon	Baptism
12.30pm	Baptism
6.30pm	Choral Evensong

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

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

Your offerings today

Thank you for your offering 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.

Fr Milo is celebrating the Eucharist at St Jude's, Thornton Heath & **Fr Chris** is celebrating the Mass at St Oswald's Norbury.

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

The September Magazine is available: £1.00.
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 only.

Minster General Fund Campaign total now stands at **£17,627**. Our target is in sight! Thanks again to all those involved in the Psalmathon and Sleepover - the target the organisers set has been exceeded with the total raised for those events currently standing at £6,122.
Do any of your employers offer match funding for charity? If you are not sure, please could you ask your HR/Payroll officer? Don't forget our church is a registered charity.

For the Food Store we still desperately need: Sugar, tinned fish, tinned meat, coffee, tea, soup.

Book Group – Tuesdays, 10-11am – Vicar's Study

Lectio – Tuesdays 7-8pm – St Nicholas Chapel

Ballroom Dancing

Intermediate – Tuesdays 8.00pm in the hall

Beginners – Saturdays 12.00noon in the hall

Youth Group Thursdays 6.30pm in the hall

Saturday 27 September 10.30am-12.00noon

Consultation morning for those interested in evangelism and growing the church. In preparation for that event, Fr Chris asks that you give the following questions your consideration. Please email any initial ideas you have to him at:
christophermoore100@hotmail.com

How do we go about generating enthusiasm for mission?

How do we manage the process of listening to each other?

What are the opportunities for us to grow our congregation?

How do we do this and who do we appoint to do this important work?

Who will draw up the plans and how will we assess and review their success?

Monday 15 September 7.30pm – PCC Meeting in the Church Hall. Apologies to Diana Hemmings.

Tuesday 16 September 8.00pm – Deanery Synod Meeting at Emmanuel Church, Normanton Road.

Wednesday 17 September 2.00pm Mothers' Union Knitting Group meets in the Vicar's Study – all welcome.

Saturday 20 September 2.30pm-4.30pm Mothers' Union Family Fun Afternoon on the Green adjacent to the Minster. Bouncy Castle, side shows, races, afternoon teas

and more. Bring a teddy for the Teddy Bear Parade! EVERYONE WELCOME.

Saturday 20 September 2.00-4.00pm Cream Tea at St George's Church, Waddon.

September 20 September 8pm- What You Don't Know About Women: a cabaret evening of Broadway & off-Broadway songs presented by Pamela Hall & Tamasine Kimber. Proceeds to MGFC.

Tuesday 23 September 12.30pm – Pub lunch at Gipsy Moth, Colonnades, Purley Way. End of bus route 119, or by bus 289. Why eat on your own? Details from David Gilbert 07906 503657. Free parking.

Friday 3 October 7pm-10.30pm – Barn Dance for Harvest Festival in the church hall. Tickets are £7.00 (this includes a ploughman's supper). Drinks will be available for purchase on the night. All proceeds go to the Minster. All are very welcome. Please sign up on the list under the tower or speak to Denise Mead or Fr Chris.

Sunday 5 October is Harvest Festival

Saturday 26th October: Fr Chris and Tamasine Kimber are taking part in the Great South Run. They are hoping to raise as much money for the Minster as possible. The run is 16K and they have been in training for several months already. If you would like to sponsor them, could you please do so via the Just Giving page at the following website address:www.justgiving.com/tamasinekimber

Diary Date...

Saturday 8 November 4.30pm – 'The Hope of Splendour' a Requiem Cantata by Martin How. Tickets will be £10.00 (£5.00 concessions).