

Please remember in your prayers:

- + Baby Rafayel
 - + Heather Barker
 - + Matthew Cook
 - + Jane Davey
 - + Margaret Dickens
 - + Charlie Ellacott
 - + Shirley Eller
 - + Annet Fernandez
 - + Betty Fry
 - + Susan Head
 - + Pat Hulme
 - + Angela Kenney
 - + Sylvia Last
 - + Peter Longford
 - + Benjamin Lucas (aged 5)
 - + Jennie Luchmun
 - + Sandy McRobbie
 - + Margaret Parsons
 - + Jean Pikett
 - + Geoff Radford
 - + Deborah Randall
 - + Michael Randall
 - + Beverley Smith
 - + Mary Lou Sorenson
 - + Andrea Spalding
 - + Marjorie Stemerding
 - + Robina Stephen
 - + Inez Yankah
- + Our neighbours: Christ Church, Tamworth Road Baptist Church, New Life Christian Centre

Margaret Dickens thanks you for your continued prayers for her daughter Helen Clover who has making a good recovery.

- + The soul of Edna Topple, resident of Whitgift House
- + Ross Marshman being baptised here next Saturday

Services this week
23 July – 28 July

**There will be no more Morning Prayer until
September**

Monday	12.00noon	Eucharist
Tuesday	11.45am	Lectio Divina (small hall)
Wednesday	11.00am	Eucharist (BCP)
Friday	10.00am	Eucharist
Saturday	10.00am	Eucharist
	1.00pm	Holy Baptism

Next Sunday, 29 July 2018
9th Sunday after Trinity

- 08.00am **Eucharist**
- 09.50am No: Crèche, Kingfishers or BDG
- 10.00am **Parish Eucharist**
Readings: 2 Kings 4:42-44; Psalm 145:10-19;
Ephesians 3:14-21; John 6:1-21.
- 6.30pm **Evensong to Chants**

Our Clergy are available to talk, they are:

Vicar:	Canon Dr Andrew Bishop P-in-C Designate	TBA
Assoc. Vicar:	Revd Lee Taylor	020 3742 5842
Asst. Priest:	Revd Alan Bayes	07792 846452
Asst. Priest:	Canon John Ackland	07831 516662
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MINSTER NEWS

Sunday 22 July 2018

8th Sunday after Trinity

Mary Magdalene

- 08.00am Eucharist**
Fr Lee Taylor
- 09.50am No: Crèche, Kingfishers or BDG**
- 10.00am Parish Eucharist**
Celebrant & Preacher: *Fr Lee Taylor*
- Hymns:** 117, 464, 498, 495
- Setting:** Addington Service *Shephard*
- Reader:** *Ann Winter*
- Intercessor:** *Sue Williams*

Children's Activity Bags for use with your child in the pew are available at the back of church. Please ask a Sides' Person for one and please return it to them at the end of the service.

In the interest of hygiene: If you wear lipstick, could you kindly blot your lips before taking communion, and, if you need to dip your wafer into the chalice, could you please avoid dipping your fingers in, as this contaminates the wine. *Thank you*

If you are new, please complete a 'Blue Welcome Card'. Please ask a sides' person for details.

**Coffee, tea & squash, will be served in the hall
after the 10.00am Service**

- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Whitgift Almshouses** *Elaine Cooper*
- 6.30pm Evensong to Chants**
Officiant: *Fr Alan Bayes*
- Hymns:** 384, 252
- Responses:** *Said*
- Psalm:** 64
- Canticles:** To Chants

June / July Magazine is still available today – £1.00.

Church Times available from the Minster Office £2.40

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

Lectio Divina 11.45am on Tuesdays in the small hall
Sponsorship of church flowers – Forms are available at the back of church. £25.00 buys one arrangement.
Food Bank – All donations, including CASH, are very gratefully received.
For Mass Intentions, Visiting the sick (including Anointing) & **Confession**, please speak to *Father Lee*.
The Book: 'Consumed by Fire' – by *Brian Lancaster* is available from Ruth Dixon – Priced £4.50.

Notice

Please be aware that the Pinnacle Repair Works has started. Access to the church will be through the **North Door** rather than the West Door. There may also be limited access to the forecourt car park. Please bear with us for the next few weeks whilst this important work is carried out.

From Monday, the Organ Builders return to start reassembling the organ – watch this space!

Please note: There will be no Morning Prayer until September

"**Appeal for the Peal**" We need to raise £26,000 to service and update our bells – which have had no substantial work since 1936! You can make online donations to the appeal via the Minster website. So far we have raised in excess of £2805.00

Wednesday 25 July; 2.00pm-4.30pm Whitgift's Open Garden Events @ Whitgift School, Haling Park, [NSPCC Open Garden](#) £4.00 adults, children free.

Wednesday 25 July; 2.30pm – Mothers' Union Meeting at Whitgift Almshouses. Open Meeting with Afternoon Tea and Bring & Buy. EVERYONE WELCOME – please bring your friends.

Monday 30 July 7.30pm – Mothers' Union Corporate Communion. We have decided to 'rest' our Mothers' Union branch for a while, and to celebrate all that we have done and achieved we are having a Corporate Communion in The Minster, followed by refreshments. Please feel free to join us, especially if you have ever been a member or supported the Mothers Union.

Future PCC Meetings *Tuesday 2 October*, Tuesday 13 November, Wednesday 16 January 2019, Monday 11 March, Tuesday 9 April. All meetings start at 7.30pm in the Small Hall, unless stated otherwise.

Saturday 4 August 3-5pm Whitgift Almshouses Annual Garden Party. Tickets are £4.00 to include a cream tea. Further details are available from the Minster Office.

Saturday 1 September 9.30am – Clean Up Day (Inside & Out). We'd like to get both the inside and outside looking their best for Fr Andrew's Licensing Service. Please make it a priority to come and help out,

even if it's only for an hour or so – many hands make light work and your help would be much appreciated.

Monday 3 September 8.00pm – Licensing Service for Revd Canon Dr Andrew Bishop as Priest in Charge by the Bishop of Southwark. Please make sure this date is in your diary.

Saturday 6 October 10.30am – Diocesan Black History Month Celebration 2018 – Eucharist & Workshops at Southwark Cathedral presided by Bishop Karwei. The preacher will be Revd Prebendary Rose Hudson-Wilkin, Chaplain to the Queen, Chaplain to the Speaker of the House of Commons & Priest Vicar of Westminster Abbey. The theme is '70/70 Vision, History, Story, Legacy – Windrush & Beyond'. This is open to all, along with your families. The cathedral would be grateful for any Windrush era memories and photos (by 21 September). If you'd like to attend there's a form available from the Minster Office to select your workshops etc.

Home Insurance – The Ecclesiastical Insurance plc will donate £130 to church funds for every new home insurance policy taken out by end of 2018. Details visit: www.ecclesiastical.com/Trust130 or call 0800 783 0130 and Quote TRUST130.

Bishop's Certificate in Discipleship Course 2018-19. Details are on the bookshelf at the back of church.

Croydon Street Pastors If you can spare one night a month, need volunteers to join their team on Friday & Saturday nights. Or, if you think you might like to be a School Pastor, a volunteer who accompanies children to the bus or tram, or if you can volunteer as a prayer partner then please contact them on or call 07984 374830 or email: croydon@streetpastors.org.uk Leaflets with full details are available at the back of church.

Situations Vacant

West Croydon Baptist Church – Office Coordinator. 16 hours per week (Monday – Thursday 9.30-1.30) £10,057 per annum. Job description available from joyce@westcroydon.com 020 8689 4527. Closing date: 24 July 2018. Interviews: 9 August 2018.

Croydon & Bromley Women's Aid – Outreach Services Manager (*due to nature of work*) Female applicants only. Email: francesca.n@bcwa.org.uk or call **0208 313 9303** for an application pack. **Interviews:** Tuesday 24th July 2018.

Wednesday 8 August 3.00pm 'StorySkirts' @ St Andrew's Church, Southbridge Road. An innovative theatrical experience for the young and elderly alike. Whether you and your friends are pensioners or grandparents child-minding during the holidays, what better way to brighten up the middle of the week than to go to St Andrew's Church, Southbridge Road, for cake, refreshments and a show! Further details will follow. Tickets £5.00 (£4.00 concession)