

Please remember in your prayers:

+ Heather Barker + Sylvia Last  
+ David Brecknell + Peter Longford  
+ Matthew Cook + Jennie Luchmun  
+ Jane Davey + Fayley McIlroy  
+ Margaret Dickens + Margaret Parsons  
+ Charlie Ellacott + Mike Parsons  
+ Shirley Eller + Jean Pikett  
+ Annet Fernandez + Geoff Radford  
+ Betty Fry + Michael Randall  
+ Susan Head + Beverley Smith  
+ Pat Hulme + Mary Lou Sorenson  
+ Angela Kenney + Andrea Spalding  
+ Ariana Jahangir (Aged 5) + Marjorie Stemerding  
+ Our neighbours: St Michael & All Angels & Salvation Army

+ Fr Lee as he prepares to leave us for pastures new.

+ The soul of Dennis Grew former member of the choir whose funeral will be on Friday 2 November at 11.00am at St Peter's Church, South Croydon

### Services this week

29 October – 03 November

Morning Prayer is said daily at 9.00am

Monday	12.00noon	Eucharist
Tuesday	11.45am	Lectio Divina (small hall)
Wednesday	11.00am	Eucharist (BCP)
	4.30pm	Evensong – Whitgift House
Friday	10.00am	Eucharist
	1.10pm	Lunchtime Recital
Saturday	10.00am	Eucharist

### Next Sunday, 04 November 2018

#### All Saints' Sunday

08.00am Eucharist

09.50am Crèche, Kingfishers & BDG meet

10.00am Sung Eucharist with  
Rededication of our Pipe Organ  
Readings: Wisdom of Solomon 3:1-9; Psalm 24:1-6  
Revelation 21:1-6a; John 11:32-44

6.30pm Requiem Mass for All Souls  
Readings: Romans 8:31b-end; John 5:19-25

Our Clergy are available to talk, they are:

Priest-in-Charge:	Revd Canon Dr Andrew Bishop	07891 994069
Assoc. Vicar:	Revd Lee Taylor	020 3742 5842
Asst. Priest:	Revd Alan Bayes	07792 846452
Asst. Priest:	Canon John Ackland	07831 516662
St George's	Mtr Patricia Vowles	020 8688 7006

Organists: (RK) Ronny Krippner (Director of Music), (TL) Tom Little (Sub Organist), (HE) Heather Easting (Organ Scholar)

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## MINSTER NEWS

Sunday 28 October 2018

Bible Sunday

08.00am Eucharist  
Canon Arthur Quinn

09.50am Crèche/Kingfishers/BDG meet

10.00am Parish Eucharist  
Celebrant: Fr Lee Taylor  
Preacher: Fr Lee Taylor

Hymns: 377, 341, 374, 466  
Setting: Addington Service Shephard  
Reader: Rodney Vaughn  
Intercessor: Sue Williams

This morning's organist is Tom Little

**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. *Many thanks*

**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.

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

Please join us in the church hall after the 10am Eucharist as we bid farewell to Fr Lee

11.30am Morning Prayer @ Whitgift  
Almshouses Elaine Cooper

6.30pm Evensong to Chants  
Officiant: Canon John Ackland

Hymns: 358(ii), 374  
Responses: Said  
Psalm: 119 v 1-16  
Canticles: To Chants

This evening's organist is Adam Field,  
Junior Organ Scholar

October/November Magazine is available – £1.00.  
Church Times is 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.  
**Bell Quarter Peal** – Forms are available at the back of church (minimum donation £25.00)  
**Food Bank** – All donations, including CASH, are very gratefully received.  
**For Mass Intentions, Visiting the sick** (including Anointing) & **Confession**, please speak to *Father Andrew*.  
**The Book: 'Consumed by Fire'** – by *Brian Lancaster* is available from Ruth Dixon – Priced £4.50.

The text of Fr Andrew's sermons are posted at his blog <https://canonandrewb.blogspot.com/>

**"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 nearly £5000.00.

**Godspeed Fr Lee** This Sunday is the last time Fr Lee Taylor will preside and preach at the Minster before moving and taking up his new post as a Vicar in the Church in Wales. There will be a reception and presentation after the Parish Eucharist today: do join us. Please pray for Fr Lee, giving thanks for his ministry here and for his future ministry in the Diocese of St Asaph. *Fr Andrew*

**All Soul's List** – The All Soul's list is on the table in the North Cross Aisle. Please print the names of any loved ones you wish to be remembered at the **All Souls Requiem Mass on Sunday 4 November at 6.30pm**.

**GULLY CLEARING KIT:** particularly for the North side of the church (car park side) where the gullies get full of leaves and debris. Could you spare 10 minutes to clear them? There is a box in the flower arrangers' corner which contains bags, gloves, broom etc., so all you need is yourself...and maybe a friend to help! This will help keep the drains clear and prevent flooding. *Pamela*

**Friday 2 November 1.10pm – Lunchtime Recital** will be given Marco Fozzi, Guitar, (RCM). Free admission. Donations requested.

**Saturday 3 November 10.30am-12.00noon** Whitgift Almshouses Coffee Morning. £1 entry at the door.

**Next Sunday 4 November** The Kingfishers will be visiting the Almshouses for worship. Could all K/F members and accompanying helpers please meet at the church hall at 9.45am

**Next Sunday 4 November** – All Saints' Sunday when our recently restored **Pipe Organ** will be re-dedicated at the beginning of the 10am Eucharist for its sacred use of supporting and leading our singing and music in worship.

**'There but not There' – Croydon Minster Remembers** Here at the Minster November will be our

'Month of Remembrance' with the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the end of WWI being marked in different ways; prayers for Remembrance, well researched biographies of individual on parish war memorials, school displays and visits as well as hosting the Civic Act of Remembrance. Full details will follow. As we move towards Remembrance Sunday (11 November) you will see Perspex 'Tommies' appearing in church. Do please pray for the repose of the souls of all who fall in war and for a renewed commitment to peace.

**Tuesday 13 November** – PCC Meeting, small hall.

**Wednesday 14 November 3.30pm – Choral Evensong R3 Live Broadcast.** All are welcome to attend. You must be seated in church by 3.15pm at the very latest after which the door will need to be shut. This is a huge accolade for our musicians, and further puts the Minster on the map.

**Quiet@St Mary's** St Mary's Church, Beddington Park offers regular space to be still and pray to which all are welcome, including aid to relaxation, quiet and mindfulness, including an opportunity to walk a labyrinth. Thursday 15 November 11-2; Saturday 8 December 11-3.

**Saturday 17 November – St George's Church Christmas Fair** – see notice board

**Saturday 17 November 7.00pm – Organ Inaugural Concert.** Tickets are available from the Minster Office £1.00 or £7.00 concessions.

**Operation Christmas Child – Shoe Box Appeal.** Forms are at the back of church. Empty Shoeboxes are available from the Minster Office. Please return shoe boxes to the Minster Office by **Sunday 18 November**.

**Croydon Churches Floating Shelter** – with the help of our friends from St George's & 6<sup>th</sup> Form pupils from Old Palace of John Whitgift School we will take part in this project. We will cover Sunday evenings/Monday mornings 17 February – 24 March 2019. There is a Rota in the North Cross Aisle for you to sign up if you are able to assist in any way. Further details are available from the Minster Office. *Many thanks, Denise Mead*

**Awareness of Modern Slavery** We hear more about modern slavery and human trafficking, but do we know it when we see it? Faiths Together in Croydon and Croydon Council are running awareness sessions (for women only) on 15 & 26 Nov, 3 Dec 1200-1400 at Bernard Weatherill House, 8 Mint Walk, Croydon CR0 1EA. Please pray for all those enslaved and trafficked in our own day. You should book via [elizabeth.uwadie@croydon.gov.uk](mailto:elizabeth.uwadie@croydon.gov.uk)

**Oberammergau Passion Play 2020.** Churches in Croydon are organising 2 pilgrimages to the Passion Play. 29 May-5 June led by Rt Revd Jonathan Clark, Bishop of Croydon & Revd Nicola Furley Smith, URC Moderator 14-21 August Revd Andrew Letby, Methodist Convenor & Deacon Belinda Letby. The Passion play will be combined with time among the mountains & lakes of Austria & a visit to Salzburg. Further details from Toni Suffolk 07786 935554 or 020 8654 9035 or [toni.suffolk@btinternet.com](mailto:toni.suffolk@btinternet.com)