

## PRAYERS

*Please remember in your prayers:*

+ Naomi Baguma	+ John Jenkins
+ Lorna Brotherston	+ Norman Johnson
+ Peggy Brown	+ Betty Kimber
+ Joan Caney	+ Dr Jeanne Males
+ Joan Chaplain	+ Peter Millest
+ Len Chaplain	+ Sheila Murphy
+ Joyce Clerke	+ Lynne Potter
+ Stella & Vic Cowie	+ Ingrid Quartey
+ Monica Courtney	+ Doreen Rawlings
+ George Curtis	+ Hannah Rich
+ Iris Frank	+ Denis Rigden
+ Lorraine Gonsalves	+ Ross Simpson
+ Lilian Grant	+ Marjorie & Nico
+ Frances Haenow	Stemerding
+ Jacqueline Harriette	+ John Stevens
+ Una Harvey	+ Jacque White
+ Margery Hone	+ John Williams
+ Jan Hughes	+ Freda & Fred Wood
+ Paschal Hussey	+ Beryl Wordsworth
+ Noel Jackson	

+ St Michael & All Angels, the Salvation Army, Zimbabwe, Sudan, Iraq, the Congo, the conflict in Afghanistan & our soldiers

+ The Men & Boys of the choir returning from their tour in Brecon

+ The soul of Elizabeth Gray, Jane Davey's sister. Jane thanks you for your prayers for her sister

+ Canon Arthur and Barbara Quinn thank you for your prayers for their daughter Jane Hill who has received good news following her recent operation

+ Ernest Bolingbroke & Marella Carr married here yesterday

+ Gabriel & Jasmine Akibo-Betts being baptised here today

### Services this week at CPC

27 July – 01 August 2009

Monday	12.00noon	Eucharist
Tuesday	1.10pm	Eucharist
Wednesday	11.00am	Eucharist (BCP)
Friday	10.00am	Eucharist
Saturday	10.00am	Eucharist

### Next Sunday, 2 August 2009

*8<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity*

08.00am	Eucharist
10.00am	Parish Eucharist
<i>Readings:</i>	Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15; Psalm 78:23-29; Ephesians 4:1-16; John 6:24-35
6.30pm	Evensong to Chants

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## SIREN

Sunday 26 July 2009

*7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity*

<b>08.00am</b>	<b>Eucharist</b> <i>Revd Geoffrey Thompson</i>
<b>09.50am</b>	<b>Sunday School &amp; Crèche</b> <i>meets in the church halls</i>
<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Parish Eucharist with Baptism</b> <i>Celebrant: Revd Geoffrey Thompson</i> <i>Preacher: Revd Tim Goode</i> <b>Hymns: 205, 282, 484, 459</b> <b>Setting:</b> Addington Service – Shephard <b>Reader:</b> <i>Frances Martin</i> <b>Intercessor:</b> <i>Diana Hemmings</i>
<b>Voluntary:</b>	Toccata (Suite Gothique) – Boellmann
<b>11.30am</b>	<b>Matins at the Almshouses</b> <i>David Gilbert</i>

*To prevent the spread of Swine Flu the Archbishops of Canterbury & York have recommended that communion be administered in one kind only for the time being*

Coffee, tea & squash will be served in the church hall after the 10.00am service

<b>11.45am</b>	<b>Prayer &amp; Praise</b> <i>Elaine Cooper, Reader</i>
<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>Evensong to Chants</b> <i>Officiant: Revd Geoffrey Thompson</i> <i>Preacher: The Venerable Ken Gibbons</i> <b>Hymns: 358, 374, 250</b> <b>Responses:</b> Said <b>Psalm:</b> 74 v 11-16 <b>Canticles:</b> To Chants <b>Voluntary:</b> Elegy in F – Thalben-Ball

## Today....

*If you are new, please complete a 'Blue Welcome Card' which is available at the back of church. Please ask a sidesperson for details. Sidespeople wear red badges*

**The July/August magazine** is available today: 80p

**The Church Times** is available each week at £1.25

**The Bridge Newspaper** (free) is available

**The Mothers' Union** are collecting **New Saucepans, Plates, Cups, Cutlery & kitchen utensils**

## Stewardship - Whatever happened to all of those Pledge

**Forms?** Every member of our congregation should have received at least one copy of the form, together with all of the publicity we produced for our campaign this year. To date we have received only 70 completed forms. This leaves your Treasurer and Churchwardens without the essential information they need on church income for the coming year and makes their job of planning very difficult. Please complete your form and drop it into the box provided under the Tower, or send it to the Parish Office. Serious discussions about finance will take place early in September and it is essential that we have complete information. Thank you.

**Croydon: Saxon to Tudor Times Exhibition** here in the Lady Chapel.

**Mary Rose Exhibition** at Whitgift School has been extended to 1 September – if you have not been yet it is well worth a visit

**Sunset to Sunrise: Organ Marathon** Thank you to all the organists who took part in our 10 hour Sponsored Organ Marathon on Friday 10 & Saturday 11 July. It looks as though we raised well over £1,000 for choir robes. If you sponsored the event but have not paid up yet please do so. Denise has the sponsors list in the Parish Office

**Sunday 9 August** – The Girls Choir are singing the services for the day at Southwark Cathedral

**Saturday 15 August 3pm-5pm – Whitgift House Garden Party & 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebrations** – Tickets £3.00 must be purchased in advance and are available from Whitgift House (020 8760 0472) by 4<sup>th</sup> August

**Saturday 22 August, 2-4pm. Whitgift Almshouses Garden Party & Flower Festival** – Tickets £3.00 to include a cream tea must be purchased in advance from the Wardens (0208 649 8432) by 10<sup>th</sup> August

**Saturday 12 September 2.30–4.30pm Mothers' Union Family Fun Afternoon** Please keep this date free. We are holding our Annual Family Fun Afternoon on 'Church Green'. Teas, Tombola, Raffle, Bouncy Castle, races, side shows etc.

## Garden Picture Competition – Entry fee reduction!

Please start to bring your photographs for display in the Church. They should be of any garden-related subject, and printed on 7" x 5" photo paper. This is a chance for everyone to take part; take a picture of someone else's

garden if you like! Let your imagination run riot! You may enter as many pictures as you wish, at £3 each or 5 for £10. All proceeds to Church funds. Please put your name and telephone number on the reverse side. The winner or winners will be chosen by Ann Tapson, a member of All Saint's Sanderstead and herself an expert gardener, and will be announced on Harvest Festival Sunday. The first prize will be Tea for Two at the Vicarage.

Alan Galer 8654 8565

## Saturday 10 October – Grand Auction of Promises and Gifts

We would welcome your promises of services you are able to offer for auction. *Gardening, computer training, dog walking, visits to the country or to London or whatever you can think of.* We also need interesting objects (not jumble) there will be another occasion for that, but *good quality decorative things, unwanted gifts(!), nice wine, bikes, pushchairs.* We can arrange collection; please talk to one of the committee, Diane Woodward, Penny Hall, Jane Scott or Alan Galer, or phone the Parish Office 020 8688 8104

**Saturday 24 October 7.30pm** – Barn Dance in the church hall. Details to follow

## Sponsorship of the church flowers in memory of a loved one

– Have you ever thought of sponsoring a flower arrangement in memory of a loved one? Our flower arrangers would be happy to do this for you. For further details please speak to Maureen Hickling (or Denise Mead in the Parish Office)

**A Plea from the Almshouses** who need jam jars with lids for marmalade for their Garden Party on 22 August. They would also be pleased to receive any donations for the Raffle or Tombola. All donations can be taken up to the Almshouses or brought to church. Thank you.

**Westminster Abbey Parish Pass** – we have a Pass which admits up to 4 Adults or young people (11-18) to Westminster Abbey free of charge. If you are planning a visit please speak to the Parish Office so you can use this pass – they suggest visiting out of peak season when the Abbey is less busy.

**Wanted....** Someone to cut 2 large lawns during August – Please speak to the Parish Office if you think you may be able to help

*Our Parish Clergy are available should you need to talk to them, they are:*

<b>Vicar:</b>	Revd Canon Colin	020-8688 1387
	J Luke Boswell	
<b>Senior Curate:</b>	Revd Geoffrey Thompson	020-8680 4221
<b>Deacon:</b>	Revd Tim Goode	020-8406 4188
<b>Hon C:</b>	Revd Mark Hill	020-8688 1387
<b>Hon C:</b>	Revd Sara Goatcher	020-8660 6198

## St George's

<b>Curate in Charge:</b>	Revd Kim Aston	020-8688 7006
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*Items for Siren should be submitted to the Parish Office by Thursday please*