

## PRAYERS

*Please remember in your prayers:*

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| + Naomi Baguma       | + Noel Jackson      |
| + Orlean Bishop      | + Norman Johnson    |
| + Lorna Brotherston  | + Betty Kimber      |
| + Joan Caney         | + Sheila Murphy     |
| + Joan Chaplain      | + Lynne Potter      |
| + Len Chaplain       | + Ingrid Quartey    |
| + Sue Cook           | + Doreen Rawlings   |
| + Stella & Vic Cowie | + Judy Rawlings     |
| + George Curtis      | + Hannah Rich       |
| + Iris Frank         | + Ross Simpson      |
| + Lorraine Gonsalves | + Jacquie White     |
| + Lilian Grant       | + John Williams     |
| + Una Harvey         | + Freda & Fred Wood |
| + Jan Hughes         | + Diane Woodward    |
| + Paschal Hussey     | + Yvonne Wilson     |

+ St Michael's & All Angels with St James & the Salvation Army, Zimbabwe, Sudan, Iraq, the conflict in Afghanistan & our armed forces

Congratulations to Rodney Vaughn on the birth of his new granddaughter Agatha Eve born on Christmas Eve

### Services this week at CPC

04 January – 9 January 2010

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| Monday    | 12.00noon | Eucharist                                |
|           | 2.30pm    | Julian Group-Almshouses                  |
| Tuesday   | 1.10pm    | Eucharist                                |
|           | 5.30pm    | Choral Evensong sung by the Boys' Choir  |
| Wednesday | 11.00am   | Eucharist (BCP)                          |
|           | 4.30pm    | Evensong - Whitgift House                |
|           | 5.30pm    | Choral Evensong sung by the Girls' Choir |
|           | 8.00pm    | Eucharist for Epiphany                   |
| Friday    | 10.00am   | Eucharist                                |
| Saturday  | 10.00am   | Eucharist                                |

### Next Sunday, 10 January 2010

*Baptism of Christ*

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| 08.00am | Eucharist   |
| 10.00am | Parish Eucharist<br>Isaiah 43:1-7; Psalm 29; Acts 8:4-17;<br>Luke 3:15-17,21-22 |
| 6.30pm  | Epiphany Carol Service  |

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## SIREN

Sunday 03 January 2010

*Epiphany*

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| <b>08.00am</b>    | <b>Eucharist</b><br><i>Revd Mark Hill</i>   |
| <b>09.50am</b>    | <b>No Sunday School or Crèche</b><br><i>Sunday School resumes on Sunday<br/>10<sup>th</sup> January</i>   |
| <b>10.00am</b>    | <b>Parish Eucharist</b><br><i>Celebrant: Revd Geoffrey Thompson</i><br><i>Preacher: Revd Geoffrey Thompson</i><br><b>Hymns: 47, 48, 52, 49</b><br><b>Setting:</b> Addington Service – Shepherd<br><b>Reader:</b> <i>Margaret Davies</i><br><b>Intercessor:</b> <i>Elaine Cooper</i> |
| <b>Voluntary:</b> |   |
| <b>09.00am</b>    | <b>Eucharist at the Almshouses</b><br><i>Fr Geoffrey Thompson</i>   |

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

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| <b>6.30pm</b> | <b>Evensong to Chants</b><br><i>Officiant: Revd Tim Goode</i><br><i>Preacher: Canon Colin Boswell</i><br><b>Hymns: 55, 244, 250</b><br><b>Responses:</b> Said<br><b>Psalm:</b> 135 v 1-14<br><b>Canticles:</b> To Chants<br><b>Voluntary:</b> |
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**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 December/January magazine** is still available: 80p  
*Articles for the February edition should be with the magazine team or the parish office by 21<sup>st</sup> January.*

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

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

*You can now donate online to Croydon Parish Church via JustGiving. Please visit our website (address overleaf)*

**Giving to and through the Church** At Croydon Parish Church, planned giving schemes enable members of the congregation to contribute regularly to our mission and ministry. To join a planned giving scheme, please ask Denise in the Parish Office for a form. If you do not worship regularly at CPC and are a UK taxpayer, please consider gift aiding your offering at today's service by using one of the Gift Aid envelopes provided. Thank you.

**Thursdays at 10am** – Mini Movers

**Sponsorship of the church flowers**– forms available at the back of church or from the Parish Office

**Westminster Abbey Pass**–available from the Parish Office

**Ironing** – Enquiries to the Vicar or the Parish Office

**CD's of 'The Way'** – Lenten Cantata by Martin How are available from the Parish Office – price £12.00. Copies of the words booklets are available – price £1.00

**Bags for Life** (£5) **Tea Towels** (£4) **Bone China Mugs** (£7) & **Ceramic Mugs** (£5) are available from the Parish Office.

The **2010 Music & Events Brochure** is available at the back of church (purple leaflet). Please take one today.

**Sunday School** will resume next Sunday.

**6.30pm Next Sunday** – Epiphany Carol Service

**Young Adults at CPC** A new group for those aged (roughly!) 20 to 35. The format and timings are all open for discussion but to get things started, you're invited to dinner on Thursday 28 January at 7.30pm. Food and drink provided (suggested contribution: £2). All you need to bring is the conversation. RSVP to Christopher Grinbergs at [cjgrinbergs@hotmail.com](mailto:cjgrinbergs@hotmail.com) or via Facebook.

**Parochial Church Council** Did you know that PCC Minutes and Minutes of the new Working Groups can be viewed in the Parish Office? Please come and ask if you would like to read them.

Please save your plastic **milk bottle tops** whether blue, green, orange or red and bring them (washed) to the Parish Office. These are needed to raise funds for a child who needs a special machine to help her breathe which costs £10,000. For every 360,000 - £25.00 is raised so we need everyone's help please – thank you.

**Retreat 2010** – we have booked the weekend 15<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> January at The Centre just outside Edenbridge. There are still some places available, please speak to Fr Geoffrey if you are interested in attending.

**Trip to the Holy Land – 17-27 October 2011** Fr Tim is organising a parish pilgrimage to the Holy Land in October 2011, which will last for 11 days. If you wish to book a place, view a copy of the planned itinerary or receive more information (including the potential cost) please complete a form from the back of church and return it to Fr Tim.

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

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| <b>Vicar:</b>            | Revd Canon Colin<br>J Luke Boswell | 020-8688 1387                 |
| <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                 |
| <b>St George's</b>       |                                    |                               |
| <b>Curate in Charge:</b> | Revd Kim Aston                     | 020-8688 7006<br>01689-843669 |