

PRAYERS

Please remember in your prayers:

+ Maria-Louise Apps	+ Noel Jackson
+ Orlean Bishop	+ Norman Johnson
+ Lorna Brotherston	+ Betty Kimber
+ Marda Callendar	+ Sheila Murphy
+ Joan Caney	+ Lynne Potter
+ Joan Chaplain	+ Ingrid Quartey
+ Len Chaplain	+ Doreen Rawlings
+ Sue Cook	+ Judy Rawlings
+ Stella & Vic Cowie	+ Ross Simpson
+ George Curtis	+ David Squibb
+ Iris Frank	+ Neila Warner
+ Lorraine Gonsalves	+ Jacquie White
+ Lilian Grant	+ John Williams
+ Jan Hughes	+ Freda & Fred Wood
+ Paschal Hussey	+ Yvonne Wilson

+Our neighbours: West Croydon Methodist Church, the YMCA & YWCA, the people of Chile & Haiti following the earthquakes, Zimbabwe, Sudan, Iraq, the conflict in Afghanistan & our armed forces

+ The soul of Ophelia Allman
+ The soul of May (Mabel) Henson, resident of Whitgift House

Services this week at CPC

5 April – 10 April 2010

Monday		Bank Holiday
	2.30pm	Julian Group - Almshouses
Tuesday	1.10pm	Eucharist
Wednesday	11.00am	Eucharist (BCP)
	8.00pm	Circle Dancing
Thursday	11.00am	Eucharist – Whitgift House
Friday	10.00am	Eucharist
Saturday	10.00am	Eucharist

Next Sunday, 11 April 2010

2nd Sunday of Easter

08.00am	Eucharist
10.00am	Parish Eucharist Acts 5:27-32; Psalm 118:14-29; Revelation 1:4-8; John 20:19-31
6.30pm	Evensong to Chants

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SIREN

Sunday 4 April 2010

Easter Day

08.00am	Eucharist <i>Revd Mark Hill</i>
09.50am	Sunday School & Crèche meet <i>in the church</i>
10.00am	Sung Eucharist <i>Men, Boys & Girls</i> <i>Celebrant:</i> Canon Colin Boswell <i>Preacher:</i> Canon Colin Boswell Introit: This joyful Eastertide – Wood Hymns: 124, 110, 112, 120 Setting: Mass in D – Dvorak Reader: Gladys Riley Intercessor: Elaine Cooper Motet: Laudate Dominum – Dupré Voluntary:
09.00am	Eucharist at the Almshouses <i>Revd Geoffrey Thompson</i>

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

Retiring Collection & Raffle

*the proceeds of which will go to the Bishop of
Southwark's Lent Appeal – please give generously*

6.30pm	Choral Evensong
<i>Officiant:</i>	Canon Colin Boswell
<i>Preacher:</i>	Revd Geoffrey Thompson
Hymns:	113, 115, 117
Responses:	Radcliffe
Psalm:	114
Canticles:	Stanford in C
Anthem:	Blessed be the God and Father – Wesley
Recessional:	Psalm 150
Voluntary:	Homage to Elgar – How

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 April magazine is available: 80p

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 – No Mini Movers this week
Sponsorship of the church flowers– forms under the tower or speak to the Parish Office
2010 Music & Events Brochures are under the tower
Westminster Abbey Pass–available from the Parish Office
CD's - 'The Way' – Lenten Cantata by Martin How is 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), China Mugs (£7), & Ceramic Mugs (£5) are still available

Lent Boxes – if you haven't brought yours back today please could you do so as soon as possible – *thank you*

CRB checks: please could all **Sunday School Leaders** and **Crèche Helpers** return their CRB forms and accompanying documents to Liz Watkins no later than **Sunday 18 April**, as we are required to send them to the Diocesan office by 20 April. Please contact Liz on 07973 172807 with any queries.

The Electoral Roll (ER) Revision – started last week. Everyone should be on the Church ER (this is different to the Council Electoral Roll Register). Being on the ER gives you voting rights at the Annual Parish Meeting (APM) & Eligibility to be on the Parochial Church Council (PCC). Please complete a form if you are:

- Baptised and aged 16 or over.
- A member of the Church of England (or of a Church in communion with the Church of England) and resident in the parish.
- **Or** A member of the Church of England (or of a Church in communion with the Church of England) and, not being resident in the parish and have habitually attended public worship in the parish during the period of six months prior to enrolment.
- **Or** A member in good standing of a Church (not in communion with the Church of England) which subscribes to the doctrine of the Holy Trinity and also declare yourself to be a member of the Church of England and have habitually attended public worship in the parish during the period of six months prior to enrolment.

Forms are available at the back of church. Please hand your form to Denise (the Verger) or to one of the Sides people.

Annual Report Booklet If you have been asked to write a Report for the Annual Booklet I should be very grateful to receive it as soon as possible so that I can produce the Booklet during the Easter holidays. Thank you in anticipation. Diana Hemmings

Annual Parochial Meeting Wednesday 28 April at 7.30pm in the Church Hall. This year there are 6 vacancies on the Parochial Church Council and elections will be held at the Meeting. Why don't YOU become involved and actively support YOUR Church? All information is available in the Parish Magazine. Application forms can be obtained from Diana Hemmings, PCC Secretary.

Drop In Centre – Mondays 11.30-3.30pm at the Salvation Army providing food, clothing, advice and companionship. Volunteers are always welcome. A volunteer will need to be attentive, a sensitive listener and to help with form filling (if asked). Anyone with experience of the benefits system or housing advice would be very welcome. If you are interested or able to volunteer please speak to Fr Tim.

Parish Cook Book – we are proposing to create a Parish Cook Book ready for sale by Christmas 2010. If you have a favourite or family recipe that you would like included in the cook book then we would like to hear from you. Please submit your recipe to Sue Jupp via the parish office. Entries will cost £2.00 per recipe which will go towards production costs.

Confirmation will take place on **Sunday 20 June at 6.00pm** here. If you or your child wishes to be confirmed (children should be 11 years old [or 10 and rising]) please give your name to one of the clergy or to the Parish Office. Classes will begin after Easter.

Friday 14 May 2010 at 7.00pm – Concert by 'The Sixteen' Tickets are available from the Parish Office, prices £20, £12 & £8 (sorry no OAP concessions) half price tickets for registered disabled accompanied by a full paying adult.

Sunday 16 May – Fr Geoffrey will be taking part in an 8km sponsored walk around the City of London for **Christian Aid**. He would welcome sponsorship.

Hymns.... Is there a hymn from the *New English Hymnal* that you like that we have not sung recently? If so could you let us know? If it is not so familiar to us we may need you to identify the tune. Please speak to Drew, the Vicar or Denise.

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

Vicar:	Revd Canon Colin J Luke Boswell	020-8688 1387
Senior Curate:	Revd Geoffrey Thompson	020-8680 4221
Deacon:	Revd Tim Goode	020-8406 4188
Hon C:	Revd Mark Hill	020-8688 1387
Hon C:	Revd Sara Goatcher	020-8660 6198
St George's Curate in Charge:	Revd Kim Aston	020-8688 7006 01689-843669