NOTICES FOR THE COMING WEEK

Today	We welcome Paul Parmenter preaching today
Today	12 noon – Building and Finance meeting
Tues 14 June	7am – Summer Early Walk and Pray 2
Wed 15 June	10am – Holy Communion Peaceful and Prayerful
Fri 17 June	8pm Choir Practice – all are welcome
Sat 18 June	10am-11am Parish Office open for Baptisms/Christenings; Weddings and Hall bookings
	11am-3pm – Open Church Tours of the Church
Sun 19 June	10am Dedication Service – celebrating couples and Fathers' Day
	12 noon – Mission Action Team meeting

QUOTES FOR THE DAY

"The "show business," which is so incorporated into our view of Christian work today, has caused us to drift far from Our Lord's conception of discipleship. It is instilled in us to think that we have to do exceptional things for God; we have not. We have to be exceptional in ordinary things, to be holy in mean streets, among mean people, surrounded by sordid sinners. That is not learned in five minutes."

Oswald Chambers

"All of Christ's commands are invitations and all of His invitations are commands."

— Andy Davis

Compassion is language the deaf can hear and the blind can see.

— Mark Twain

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HOLY SAVIOUR CHURCH – CROYDONBarnabas the Apostle 12th June 2016

HYMN 1-1 – Awake my soul and with the sun

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Bountiful God, giver of all gifts, who poured your Spirit upon your servant Barnabas and gave him grace to encourage others: help us, by his example, to be generous in our judgements and unselfish in our service; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God. now and for ever. Amen

OLD TESTAMENT READING - Ingrid Job 29: 11-16

- When the ear heard, it commended me, and when the eye saw, it approved;
- ¹² because I delivered the poor who cried, and the orphan who had no helper.
- ¹³ The blessing of the wretched came upon me, and I caused the widow's heart to sing for joy.
- ¹⁴ I put on righteousness, and it clothed me; my justice was like a robe and a turban.
- ¹⁵ I was eyes to the blind, and feet to the lame.
- ¹⁶ I was a father to the needy, and I championed the cause of the stranger.

Psalm 112 vv 1-10

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Blessed is the man that feareth the Lord : he hath great delight in his commandments.

- 2 His seed shall be mighty upon earth: the generation of the faithful shall be blessed.
 3 Riches and plenteousness shall be in his house: and his righteousness endureth for ever.
- 4 Unto the godly there ariseth up light in the darkness: he is merciful, loving, and righteous.
- 5 A good man is merciful, and lendeth: and will guide his words with discretion. 6 For he shall never be moved: and the righteous shall be had in everlasting remembrance.
- 7 He will not be afraid of any evil tidings: for his heart standeth fast, and believeth in the Lord.
- 8 His heart is established, and will not shrink: until he see his desire upon his enemies.
- 9 He hath dispersed abroad, and given to the poor: and his righteousness remaineth for ever; his horn shall be exalted with honour.
- 10 The ungodly shall see it, and it shall grieve him: he shall gnash with his teeth, and consume away; the desire of the ungodly shall perish.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;

as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen

NEW TESTAMENT READING - Efua NT Reading - Acts 11: 19-30

¹⁹ Now those who were scattered because of the persecution that took place over Stephen travelled as far as Phoenicia, Cyprus, and Antioch, and they spoke the word to no one except Jews. ²⁰ But among them were some men of Cyprus and Cyrene who, on coming to Antioch, spoke to the Hellenists also, proclaiming the Lord Jesus. ²¹ The hand of the Lord was with them, and a great number became believers and turned to the Lord. ²² News of this came to the ears of the church in Jerusalem, and they sent Barnabas to Antioch. 23 When he came and saw the grace of God, he rejoiced, and he exhorted them all to remain faithful to the Lord with steadfast devotion; ²⁴ for he was a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. And a great many people were brought to the Lord. ²⁵ Then Barnabas went to Tarsus to look for Saul, ²⁶ and when he had found him, he brought him to Antioch. So it was that for an entire year they met with the church and taught a great many people, and it was in Antioch that the disciples were first called "Christians."

²⁷ At that time prophets came down from Jerusalem to Antioch. ²⁸ One of them named Agabus stood up and predicted by the Spirit that there would be a severe famine over all the world; and this took place during the reign of Claudius.

²⁹ The disciples determined that according to their ability, each would send relief to the believers living in Judea; ³⁰ this they did, sending it to the elders by Barnabas and Saul.

Hymn 2 - HHS17 - As the deer pants

GOSPEL READING

Gospel - John 15 : 12-17

¹² "This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. ¹³ No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. ¹⁴ You are my friends if you do what I command you. ¹⁵ I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. ¹⁶ You did not choose me but I chose vou. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. ¹⁷ I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.

Prayers of Intercession - Barbara

We Pray Especially This Week For:

Those taking GCSE's and A levels
The voting systems with respect to the EU
The troubles in Tel Aviv

Those who work long and unsocial hours

The soul of Muhammad Ali, Jose Prado and Leopold Bernard.

May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

We Pray for those Unwell in Body, Mind or Spirit

Grace Lai Fook, Alston Whiteley, Nancy as she travels to Ghana, Alexander, Brauna Johnson, John Beadell, Rod, Marie W, Christine C, Nicole, Tessa Carter, Ina, Cheryl, Tony, Jenny Prentice, Stella Herbert, Ethel Miller, Enid Robinson, Julie Baxter, Jasmine, the Mendez family, Errol, Ron Thurgood, John Smith, Avril Ward, Beauty, Noel Scarlett, Clifton and Irene Myton, Walter, Eric, Geraldine Attwood, Agatha Evans, Jane Matthews, Marshall, Vivaldo, and all those known to us

We Give Thanks and Praise For:

The 1st early morning Walk and Pray - a very good way to start the morning Summer sports

All who give voluntary time to help our church

The dedication and duty shown by HM The Queen and HRH Prince Phillip

Offertory Hymn – 243 – Come O thou traveler unknown

Eucharistic Prayer will be Prayer B on page 22 in your red book

Communion Hymns

403 – Now let us from this table HHS 36- A New Commandment

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking of bread,

and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

The Prayer of St Francis of Assisi

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace,

Where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy;
O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand;

For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.

to be loved as to love.

Final Hymn – 212 – Who would true valour see