

## NOTICES FOR THE COMING WEEK

Today	<b>10am</b> Holy Communion : sermon by Revd Sandra Schloss 12noon Building and Finance meeting
Wed 27 July	<b>10am</b> Holy Communion Peaceful and Prayerful <b>7pm</b> Social Events Team meeting
Thurs 28 July	<b>1pm</b> <i>Funeral of Rina Boorer Croydon Crem</i>
Fri 29 July	<b>8.30am -3.30pm</b> Community Payback Garden <b>8pm</b> Choir Practice – all welcome to sing
Sat 30 July	<b>10am-11am</b> Parish Office open for Baptisms/Christenings Weddings & Hall Hire
Sun 31 July	<b>10am</b> Holy Communion: 10 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity & Sunday School – Sermon : James Lewis

### QUOTES FOR THE DAY

Many people in Spain celebrate the life and deeds of James, son of Zebedee, on Saint James' Day (Santiago Apostol), which is on July 25. Saint James was one of Jesus' first disciples. Some Christians believe that his remains are buried in Santiago de Compostela in Spain.

Common symbols of St James include a traveler's hat and a scallop shell. The scallop shell is used to mark a network of pilgrimage routes. These routes lead to the cathedral in Santiago de Compostela from many European countries

## HOLY SAVIOUR CHURCH – CROYDON

### James the Apostle – 24 July 2016

**HYMN 1- 199 Immortal, Invisible God only wise**

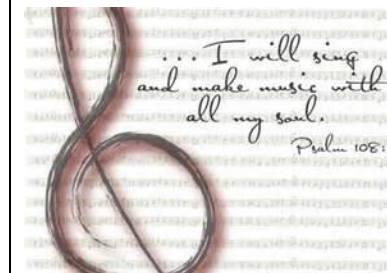
#### **COLLECT FOR THE DAY**

Merciful God,  
whose holy apostle Saint James,  
leaving his father and all that he had,  
was obedient to the calling of your Son  
Jesus Christ  
and followed him even to death:  
help us, forsaking the false attractions  
of the world,  
to be ready at all times to answer your  
call without delay;  
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.

#### **OLD TESTAMENT READING – James Jeremiah 45:1-5**

The word that the prophet Jeremiah spoke to Baruch son of Neriah, when he wrote these words in a scroll at the dictation of Jeremiah, in the fourth year of King Jehoiakim son of Josiah of Judah: <sup>2</sup>Thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, to you, O Baruch: <sup>3</sup>You said, 'Woe is me! The LORD has added sorrow to my pain; I am weary with my groaning, and I find no rest.' <sup>4</sup>Thus you shall say to him, 'Thus says the LORD: I am going to break down what I have built, and pluck up what I have planted—that is, the whole land. <sup>5</sup>And you, do you seek great things for yourself? Do not seek them; for I am going to bring disaster upon all flesh,

says the LORD; but I will give you your life as a prize of war in every place to which you may go.'



#### **Psalm 126:1-7 In convertendo**

WHEN the Lord turned again the captivity of Sion : then were we like unto them that dream.  
2 Then was our mouth filled with laughter : and our tongue with joy.  
3 Then said they among the heathen : The Lord hath done great things for them.  
4 Yea, the Lord hath done great things for us already : whereof we rejoice.  
5 Turn our captivity, O Lord : as the rivers in the south.  
6 They that sow in tears : shall reap in joy.  
7 He that now goeth on his way weeping, and beareth forth good seed : shall doubtless come again with joy, and bring his sheaves with him

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**NEW TESTAMENT READING – Efu  
Acts 11 27-12:2**

At that time prophets came down from Jerusalem to Antioch. <sup>28</sup>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. <sup>29</sup>The disciples determined that according to their ability, each would send relief to the believers living in Judea; <sup>30</sup>this they did, sending it to the elders by Barnabas and Saul. About that time King Herod laid violent hands upon some who belonged to the church. <sup>2</sup>He had James, the brother of John, killed with the sword.

**Hymn 2 – 391 Lord Jesus You have come**

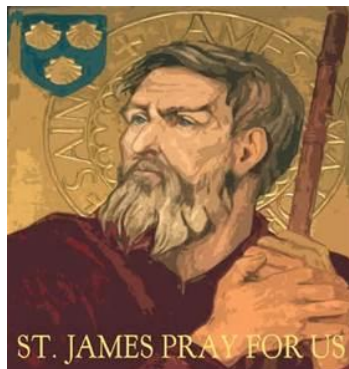
**Gospel –Matthew 20:20-28**

<sup>20</sup> Then the mother of the sons of Zebedee came to him with her sons, and kneeling before him, she asked a favour of him. <sup>21</sup>And he said to her, 'What do you want?' She said to him, 'Declare that these two sons of mine will sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your kingdom.' <sup>22</sup>But Jesus answered, 'You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I am about to drink?' They said

to him, 'We are able.' <sup>23</sup>He said to them, 'You will indeed drink my cup, but to sit at my right hand and at my left, this is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared by my Father.'

<sup>24</sup> When the ten heard it, they were angry with the two brothers. <sup>25</sup>But Jesus called them to him and said, 'You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. <sup>26</sup>It will not be so among you; but whoever wishes to be great among you must be your servant, <sup>27</sup>and whoever wishes to be first among you must be your slave; <sup>28</sup>just as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.'

**Sermon**



**Prayers of Intercession – Christine  
We Pray Especially This Week For:**

*For the Prentice family and for the soul of Joe*

*For the continued problem of fly-tipping in this area*

*Those affected by incidents in Nice, Munich and Turkey*

*For negotiations between UK and Europe for politics in the USA*

**We Pray for those Unwell in Body, Mind or Spirit**

*Danielle, Alexander, Rod, Christine C, Nicole, Tessa Carter, Ina,, Tony, Jenny Prentice, Stella Herbert, Ethel Miller, Enid Robinson, Julie Baxter, Jasmine, 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:**

*All those who have received their degrees this week especially Steven and Tevin*

*New born baby Leo*

*For those baptised here recently – the 2 Elijahs & Anthony*

*For Valeria the activities co-ordinator at Elmwood care Home*

*For summer holidays*

**Offertory Hymn – 107 the Lord is King**

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

**Communion Hymns**

**303 Lo, round the throne a**

**glorious band**

**256 let all mortal flesh keep silence**

**The Post Communion Prayer**

Faithful God, who called James to serve you and gave him joy in walking the path of holiness:

by this eucharist, in which you renew within us the vision of your glory, strengthen us all to follow the way of perfection

until we come to see you face to face; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**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;

to be loved as to love.

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.

**Final Hymn – 148 At the name of Jesus**