NOTICES FOR THE WEEK

Today 10:00am-11:30am – Trinity 21 – Luke the Evangelist –

HC + YPIG group in the choir room

12noon Heritage, Connect & Merchandise meeting in the

Vicarage

Tues 23 Oct 7.00am – Morning Prayer

2.00pm – Action Nativity Planning re CLT at St Luke's7.30pm-8.30pm Night Prayer with mindfulness mediation

Weds 24 Oct 10am-10.45am Holy Communion peaceful & prayerful

Thurs 25 Oct 4pm-5pm Elmwood Care Home Thanksgiving Service

6:00pm-6:45pm - Evening Prayer

Friday 26 Oct 8.30am-3.30pm Community Payback Gardeners

Sat 27 Oct 10am-11am Parish Office for baptisms (Christenings),

Weddings and all bookings

Sun 28 Oct 10:00am-11:30am – Last Sunday of Trinity – Simon and Jude

Apostles – HC + Sunday School + Baptism of Oreque with talk by children's writer Velma McClaremont

THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK

"A healer's power stems not from any special ability, but from maintaining the courage and awareness to embody and express the universal healing power that every human being naturally possesses."

— Eric Michael Leventhal

"I feel the healing hands of God touch my heart and kiss my soul."

Harley King

Next Sunday's Readings Trinity 22 – Simon and Jude Apostles

OT - Isaiah 28 vv 14-16 NT - Ephesians 2 vv: 19-22 Gospel - John 15 vv 17-27 Psalm 119 vv 89-96

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HOLY SAVIOUR CHURCH CROYDON 21st Sunday of Trinity/ Luke the Evangelist Sunday 21st October 2018

HYMN 1-101 - O worship the King

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Almighty God, you called Luke the physician, whose praise is in the gospel, to be an evangelist and physician of the soul: by the grace of the Spirit and through the wholesome medicine of the gospel, give your Church the same love and power to heal; 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

OT Reading – Isaiah 35: 3-6, Sheri

Strengthen the weak hands, and make firm the feeble knees. ⁴ Say to those who are of a fearful heart, "Be strong, do not fear! Here is your God.

He will come with vengeance, with terrible recompense.

He will come and save you."

⁵ Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened,

and the ears of the deaf unstopped; ⁶ then the lame shall leap like a deer, and the tongue of the speechless sing for joy.

For waters shall break forth in the wilderness,

and streams in the desert.

Psalm 147: vv 1-7

Laudate Dominum

O praise the Lord, for it is a good thing to sing praises unto our God: yea, a joyful and pleasant thing it is to be thankful.

2 The Lord doth build up Jerusalem: and gather together the out-casts of Israel.

3 He healeth those that are broken in

3 He healeth those that are broken in heart: and giveth medicine to heal their sickness.

4 He telleth the number of the stars : and calleth them all by their names.

5 Great is our Lord, and great is his power : yea, and his wisdom is infinite.

6 The Lord setteth up the meek: and bringeth the ungodly down to the ground.
7 O sing unto the Lord with thanksgiving: sing praises upon the harp unto our God.

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

NT Reading – 2 Timothy 4: 5-17, Sue

As for you, always be sober, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, carry out your ministry fully. ⁶ As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. ⁷ I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. 8 From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing. 9 Do your best to come to me soon, ¹⁰ for Demas, in love with this present world, has deserted me and gone to Thessalonica; Crescens has gone to Galatia, Titus to Dalmatia. ¹¹Only Luke is with me. Get Mark and bring him with you, for he is useful in my ministry. 12 I have sent Tychicus to Ephesus. 13 When you come, bring the cloak that I left with Carpus at Troas, also the books, and above all the parchments. ¹⁴ Alexander the coppersmith did me great harm; the Lord will pay him back for his deeds. ¹⁵ You also must beware of him, for he strongly opposed our message. ¹⁶ At my first defence no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! ¹⁷ But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth.

Hymn 2: 312 - Jesus calls us

Gospel - Luke 10: 1-9

After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. ² He said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest. ³ Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. ⁴ Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. 5 Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this house!' ⁶ And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. ⁷ Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the labourer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. 8 Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; 9 cure the sick who are there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.'

INTERCESSIONS – Marie We Pray Especially This Week:

-For all those whose hospital operations and appointments get postponed -For our government during continued Brexit discussions and for Ireland. -For those looking for new jobs or in new jobs and for fairness in the workplace. -For Katie & Steven as they travel to Hong Kong

We Pray for those Unwell in Body, Mind or Spirit: John – B's cousin, Edith – C's mum, Karen - S's friend, Andrea – D's friend, Anthony – K's neighbour, Raymond, Lloyd- R's relative, Simon & Samantha – S' son & partner, Pat – B's sister, Mona - A's mother, Sidney, the Gibson family, Steve, Edmund, Alexander & Vida, Tinashe, Feodora, David and Valerie, Natalie, Jennifer, Girish, Brenda, baby Teddy, Enid, Ethel, Pat & Enid, Bradley, Bridget, Josephine, Coleen, Christine, Tessa, Ina, Tony, Noel, Irene, Ron, Avril, and all those we love. We pray for all in our congregation

† We pray for the souls of Ian Sopp and Ricardo Stephenson and we pray for all those mourning.

We Give Thanks and Praise:

For Public Spirit Deanery Young people's project yesterday
For Michael's safe return - back from travelling in Africa
For James our Reader – for his preaching and Bible study leading and all he does in the Parish.

For all your contributions to our foodbank

Offertory - HHS 27 - O Lord my God

Communion Hymns.

97- Father of Heaven 224- Lead us heavenly Father

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,

Prayer of St Francis of Assisi

in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

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.

Hymn 205 - Now thank we all our God