NOTICES FOR THE WEEK

Today 10:00am-11:30am – Trinity 4 HC + Sunday School
12.15-2pm Public Spirit young people at St Oswald's Norbury

Tues 16 July 8:00am- 8.30am Morning Prayer

10:00am - 2:00pm - Interfaith Training at Croydon Minster for

Clergy, Readers, SPAs

7:30pm-8:30pm Night Prayer & Meditation

Weds 17 July 10am-10.45am Holy Communion peaceful & prayerful

Thurs 18 July 6:00pm-7.00pm – Bible Study with James

Friday 19 Jul RevC on sabbatical until Monday 16th September

For any pastoral issues please speak to James, Mitzi or Marie

Sat 20 July 10am-11am Parish Office for baptisms (Christenings),

Weddings and all bookings

Sun 21 July 10:00am-11:30am - Trinity 4 HC + Sunday School + YPIG _

Revd Peter Jones Presiding and Preaching

THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK

"Live life so well that, even if you die, the empty seats behind you will tell the story that, "yea, this soul did what God sent him/her to do". Give life and hope into your family, village, community, country, continent and the world at large. You can do it!"

Israelmore Ayivor, <u>The Great Hand Book of Quotes</u>

For the walkers of yesterday's sponsored walk

"Winston was gelatinous with fatigue."

— George Orwell, <u>1984</u>

Next Sunday's Readings – Mary Magdalene

Song of Solomon 3 – vv 1-4 2 Corinthians 5– 14-17 John 20– vv 1-2, 11-18 Psalm 42 – vv 1-10

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HOLY SAVIOUR CHURCH CROYDON Trinity 4 – Sunday 14th July 2019

HYMN 1- 122 - How sweet the name of Jesus

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that with you as our ruler and guide we may so pass through things temporal that we lose not our hold on things eternal; grant this, heavenly Father, for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

OT Reading – Deuteronomy 30 – vv 9-14-Marie

The Lord your God will make you abundantly prosperous in all your undertakings, in the fruit of your body, in the fruit of your livestock, and in the fruit of your soil. For the Lord will again take delight in prospering you, just as he delighted in prospering your ancestors, ¹⁰ when you obey the Lord your God by observing his commandments and decrees that are written in this book of the law, because you turn to the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul. ¹¹ Surely, this commandment that I am commanding you today is not too hard for you, nor is it too far away. 12 It is not in heaven, that you should say, "Who will go up to heaven for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?" ¹³ Neither is it beyond the sea, that you should say, "Who will cross to the other side of the sea for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?"

¹⁴ No, the word is very near to you; it is in your mouth and in your heart for you to observe.

Psalm 25 – vv 1-10 Ad te, Domine, levavi

Unto thee, O Lord, will I lift up my soul; my God, I have put my trust in thee: O let me not be confounded, neither let mine enemies triumph over me.

2 For all they that hope in thee shall not be ashamed: but such as transgress without a cause shall be put to confusion.

3 Shew me thy ways, O Lord : and teach me thy paths.

4 Lead me forth in thy truth, and learn me: for thou art the God of my salvation; in thee hath been my hope all the day long.

5 Call to remembrance, O Lord, thy tender mercies: and thy loving-kindnesses, which have been ever of old.

6 O remember not the sins and offences of my youth: but according to thy mercy think thou upon me, O Lord, for thy goodness.

7 Gracious and righteous is the Lord: therefore will he teach sinners in the way.

8 Them that are meek shall he guide in judgement: and such as are gentle, them shall he learn his way.

9 All the paths of the Lord are mercy and truth: unto such as keep his covenant and his testimonies.

10 For thy Name's sake, O Lord : be merciful unto my sin, for it is great.

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 – Colossians 1 – vv 1-14 - Pearl

1 Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother. ²To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father. ³ In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, ⁴ for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, ⁵ because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel ⁶ that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. ⁷ This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, 8 and he has made known to us your love in the Spirit. 9 For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, 10 so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. 11 May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully 12 giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. 13 He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, ¹⁴ in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

Hymn 2: 244 - Hark my soul

Gospel- Luke 10 - vv 25-37- Mitzi

²⁵ Just then a lawver stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?" 26 He said to him. "What is written in the law? What do vou read there?" ²⁷ He answered. "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself." ²⁸ And he said to him, "You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live." ²⁹ But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbour?" 30 Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. 31 Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. ³² So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. 33 But a Samaritan while traveling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. 34 He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn. and took care of him. 35 The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, 'Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.' 36 Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?" ³⁷ He said, "The one who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

INTERCESSIONS - Barbara

We Pray Especially This Week:

For future of the UK and its relationships with other countries.

For good community relations and safety on our streets

For Tessa Carter who is very unwell in St Christopher's Hospice.

We Pray for those Unwell in Body, Mind or

Spirit: Miriam, Brenda, Denise, Melissa & Christina, neighbour Veronica & sister Marie, Denise & Mia & Ernestine, Edith, Simon & Samantha, Pat, Mona, Alexander, Tinashe, Feodora, Nathan, Girish, Enid, Ethel, Pat & Enid, Bradley, Bridget, Josephine, Ina, Tony, Noel, Irene, Ron, Avril. And all those we love.

† We pray for the souls of Adisa Sheri's father and 'the lady at no. 13', Alan Billington and all those we still love and remember.

We pray for all who are mourning.

We Give Thanks and Praise:

- -For the recovery of Ronald W
- -For summer sports, events and parties and long summer evenings
- -For all who came on our sponsored walk especially the over 80's!

And for all who came to the picnic in the cool of the church gardens – and to those who brought food

-And for everyone's donations even if you didn't walk! They are hugely appreciated. -For the love and goodness of God.

Offertory Hymn: 133 – Immortal Love

Communion Hymns.

29 – The Lord will come HHS 10– Peace Perfect Peace

Post Communion Prayer

Eternal God, comfort of the afflicted and healer of the broken, you have fed us at the table of life and hope: teach us the ways of gentleness and peace, that all the world may acknowledge the kingdom of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

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.

Hymn 6: HHS 30 – To God be the Glory