

NOTICES FOR THE COMING WEEK

Today	10am Holy Communion Service - Bible Sunday – HC + Sunday School + Bring your own Bible *12 noon Sidesperson’s Refresher Workshop led by CW’s *12.30 Social Events Team meeting *12.30-2.30pm Public Spirit Young People at St Stephens Church Norbury 9 Warwick Road CR7 7NH
Tues 29 Oct	8.00am – Morning Prayer 12.15 Funeral of Samuel Thomas in church 7.30pm-8.30pm Night Prayer with mindfulness meditation
Weds 30 Oct	10am-10.45am Holy Communion peaceful & prayerful
Thurs 31 Oct	6:00pm-6.30pm – Evening Prayer – All Hallows Eve
Fri 1 Nov	7:00pm Choir Practice – Anyone is welcome
Sat 2 Nov	10am-11am Parish Office open for Baptisms/Christenings; Weddings and Hall bookings *5pm Fireworks and Food!! in church grounds
Sun 3 Nov	10am Holy Communion Service – All Saints – HC + Sunday School + Anointing 11.45am Standing Committee *4pm – All Souls – we remember those we love who have passed

THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK

“The Bible is the greatest love story ever told.”

— **Evangelist Author Jordan Wells**

“What a book the Bible is, what a miracle, what strength is given with it to man. It’s like a mould cast of the world and man and human nature, everything is there, and a law for everything for all the ages. And what mysteries are solved and revealed”

— **Fyodor Dostoyevsky, The Brothers Karamazov**

Next Sunday’s Readings – All Saints

Daniel 7 – vv 1-3, 15-18, Ephesians 1–11-23, Luke 6 – vv 20-31, Psalm 149 – vv 1-9

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HOLY SAVIOUR CHURCH – CROYDON

Bible Sunday

27th October 2019

Processional Hymn – 146 When morning gilds the skies

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: help us so to hear them, to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them that, through patience, and the comfort of your holy word, we may embrace and for ever hold fast the hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

OT Reading Isaiah 45 – vv 22-25 – Victoria

²² Turn to me and be saved,
all the ends of the earth!
For I am God, and there is no other.

²³ By myself I have sworn,
from my mouth has gone forth in
righteousness

a word that shall not return:
“To me every knee shall bow,
every tongue shall swear.”

²⁴ Only in the Lord, it shall be said of me,
are righteousness and strength;
all who were incensed against him
shall come to him and be ashamed.

²⁵ In the Lord all the offspring of Israel
shall triumph and glory.

Psalm 119 – vv 129-136

Mirabilia

¹²⁹ Thy testimonies are wonderful :
therefore doth my soul keep them.

¹³⁰ When thy word goeth forth : it
giveth light and understanding unto
the simple.

¹³¹ I opened my mouth, and drew in
my breath : for my delight was in
thy commandments.

¹³² O look thou upon me, and be
merciful unto me : as thou usest to
do unto those that love thy Name.

¹³³ Order my steps in thy word : and
so shall no wickedness have
dominion over me.

¹³⁴ O deliver me from the wrongful
dealings of men : and so shall I keep
thy commandments.

¹³⁵ Shew the light of thy
countenance upon thy servant : and
teach me thy statutes.

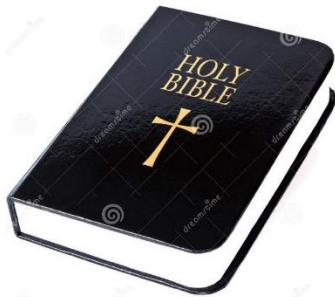
¹³⁶ Mine eyes gush out with water :
because men keep not thy law.

**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 – Romans 15–1-6 – Pearl

¹ We who are strong ought to put up with the failings of the weak, and not to please ourselves. ² Each of us must please our neighbour for the good purpose of building up the neighbour. ³ For Christ did not please himself; but, as it is written, “The insults of those who insult you have fallen on me.” ⁴ For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, so that by steadfastness and by the encouragement of the scriptures we might have hope. ⁵ May the God of steadfastness and encouragement grant you to live in harmony with one another, in accordance with Christ Jesus, ⁶ so that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ

Gradual Hymn – 509 – Rise and hear the Lord is speaking



Gospel– Luke 4 – vv 16-24 Mitzi

¹⁶ When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the Sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, ¹⁷ and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written: ¹⁸ “The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, ¹⁹ to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favour.” ²⁰ And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. ²¹ Then he began to say to them, “Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.” ²² All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They said, “Is not this Joseph’s son?” ²³ He said to them, “Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, ‘Doctor, cure yourself!’ And you will say, ‘Do here also in your hometown the things that we have heard you did at Capernaum.’” ²⁴ And he said, “Truly I tell you, no prophet is accepted in the prophet’s hometown.

INTERCESSIONS – Christine

We Pray Especially This Week :

- For the souls of the 39 people found in the Essex lorry and all who mourn them.
- For Parliament & the party leaders
- For progress in cure for Dementia
- For those facing losing their homes
- For Rose L suffering in Mayday hospital and for her daughter

We Pray for those Unwell in Body, Mind or Spirit

Pamphilia, all those at 44 Kimberley, Ishmael & Mayfair & baby Jacob, Feodora, Lauren, Maria, Alison, Mother Jean Y, Rose, Miriam, Brenda, Denise, Denise, Mia & Ernestine, Simon and Samantha, Pat, Mona, Vida & Alexander, Tinashe, Girish, Enid, Ethel, Pat & Enid, Ina, Tony, Noel, Irene, Ron, Avril. And all those we love

† The soul of Marsha daughter of the Woodhouse family, the soul of Samuel Joseph Thomas. We pray in loving memory of Leonard P. And for all those mourning at this time.

We Give Thanks and Praise:

- For the Babin/Akaje-Macauley 3 generations talk last week
- For our Young People’s independent Group & Public Spirit
- For beautiful autumn colours
- For the inspiration of the scriptures in our lives

Offertory Hymn – 180– Thou whose almighty word

The Hymns during Communion

168– The heavens declare HHS 9 – Seek Ye First

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

God of all grace, your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry with the bread of his life and the word of his kingdom:

renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your true and living bread; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever **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;
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.

Recessional Hymn – HHS 11 - Give me joy in my heart