

## NOTICES FOR THE WEEK

**Tues 30 June 6.30pm-8.30pm** Church Open for individual prayer  
**7.30pm** Evening prayer - in the garden weather permitting

**Weds 1 July 10am** Zoom Morning Prayers  
Led by Rev Catherine, Reflection by SPA Marie, Intercessions by Lilian

**Weds 1 July 6.30pm-8.30pm** Church Open for individual prayer  
**7.30pm** Evening prayer - in the garden weather permitting

**Thurs 2 July 7.30pm** Zoom Bible Study : Led by Reader James

**Sat 4 July 9.30am-11.30am** Church Open for individual prayer  
**9.30am** Morning prayer - in the garden weather permitting

**Sund 5 July 10am** Church Service & Twitter Service Thomas The Apostle  
Revd Catherine Preside & Preach, Intercessions by Dan

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### THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK

*"Hospitality is a prized virtue of monastic communities. Benedict's rule says: 'All guests who present themselves are to be welcomed as Christ, for he himself will say, "I was a stranger and you welcomed me."' Brother Alphonsus served as a doorkeeper in the seventeenth century at a Jesuit college in Majorca, Spain. Each time someone knocked at the door he would reply, 'I am coming, Lord!' This practice reminded him to treat each person with as much respect as if it were Jesus himself at the door."*

— **Ken Shigematsu, God in My Everything: How an Ancient Rhythm Helps Busy People Enjoy God**

*"It is good people who make good places."*

— **Anna Sewell, Black Beauty**

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## HOLY SAVIOUR CHURCH CROYDON Third Sunday after Trinity 28<sup>th</sup> June 2020

**HYMN 1: 49 – O worship the Lord**

### COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts whereby we call you Father: give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that we and all creation may be brought to the glorious liberty of the children of God; 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 Jeremiah 28 – vv 5-9

<sup>5</sup>Then the prophet Jeremiah spoke to the prophet Hananiah in the presence of the priests and all the people who were standing in the house of the Lord; <sup>6</sup>and the prophet Jeremiah said, "Amen! May the Lord do so; may the Lord fulfill the words that you have prophesied, and bring back to this place from Babylon the vessels of the house of the Lord, and all the exiles. <sup>7</sup>But listen now to this word that I speak in your hearing and in the hearing of all the people. <sup>8</sup>The prophets who preceded you and me from ancient times prophesied war, famine, and pestilence against many countries and great kingdoms. <sup>9</sup>As for the prophet who prophesies peace, when the word of that prophet comes true, then it will be known that the Lord has truly sent the prophet."

**Psalm 89– vv 8-18**

8 God is very greatly to be feared in the council of the saints : and to be had in reverence of all them that are round about him.  
9 O Lord God of hosts, who is like unto thee : thy truth, most mighty Lord, is on every side.  
10 Thou rulest the raging of the sea : thou stillest the waves thereof when they arise.  
11 Thou hast subdued Egypt, and destroyed it : thou hast scattered thine enemies abroad with thy mighty arm.  
12 The heavens are thine, the earth also is thine : thou hast laid the foundation of the round world, and all that therein is.  
13 Thou hast made the north and the south : Tabor and Hermon shall rejoice in thy Name.  
14 Thou hast a mighty arm : strong is thy hand, and high is thy right hand.  
15 Righteousness and equity are the habitation of thy seat : mercy and truth shall go before thy face.  
16 Blessed is the people, O Lord, that can rejoice in thee : they shall walk in the light of thy countenance.  
17 Their delight shall be daily in thy Name : and in thy righteousness shall they make their boast.  
18 For thou art the glory of their strength : and in thy loving-kindness thou shalt lift up our horns.

**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 Romans 6– vv 1b-11**

<sup>12</sup>Therefore, do not let sin exercise dominion in your mortal bodies, to make you obey their passions. <sup>13</sup>No longer present your members to sin as instruments of wickedness, but present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and present your members to God as instruments of righteousness. <sup>14</sup>For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law but under grace. <sup>15</sup>What then? Should we sin because we are not under law but under grace? By no means! <sup>16</sup>Do you not know that if you present yourselves to anyone as obedient slaves, you are slaves of the one whom you obey, either of sin, which leads to death, or of obedience, which leads to righteousness? <sup>17</sup>But thanks be to God that you, having once been slaves of sin, have become obedient from the heart to the form of teaching to which you were entrusted, <sup>18</sup>and that you, having been set free from sin, have become slaves of righteousness. <sup>19</sup>I am speaking in human terms because of your natural limitations. For just as you once presented your members as slaves to impurity and to greater and greater iniquity, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness for sanctification. <sup>20</sup>When you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. <sup>21</sup>So what advantage did you then get from the things of

which you now are ashamed? The end of those things is death. <sup>22</sup>But now that you have been freed from sin and enslaved to God, the advantage you get is sanctification. The end is eternal life. <sup>23</sup>For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

**Gradual Hymn – 135 – Rock of Ages**

**Gospel – Matthew 10 – vv 40-42**

<sup>40</sup>“Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. <sup>41</sup>Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet’s reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; <sup>42</sup>and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple—truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward.”

**INTERCESSIONS – by Christine**  
*See separate sheet*



**Offertory Hymn: 235 – O Jesus I have promised**

**Communion Hymns.**

209 – Through all the changing  
380– Jesus, Lord we look to Thee

**Post Communion Prayer**

O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining and whose power we cannot comprehend: show us your glory as far as we can grasp it, and shield us from knowing more than we can bear until we may look upon you without fear; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. **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 6 Will you come and follow me**