NOTICES FOR THE WEEK

Tues 23 June 6.30pm-8.30pm Church Open for individual prayer 7.30pm Evening prayer - in the garden weather permitting

Weds 24 June 10am Zoom Morning prayers led by Revd Darius with Reflection by Revd Catherine and intercessions by Barbara Weds 24 June 6.30pm-8.30pm Church Open for individual prayer 7.30pm Evening prayer - in the garden weather permitting

Thurs 25 June 2pm Funeral Service celebrating the life of Mitzi's brother Wray Sealey – contact Mitzi for online viewing Mitzi.isaacs@gmail.com

Thurs 25 June 8pm-9pm Zoom Deanery Synod – guest speaker our new Archdeacon Venerable Rosemary Mallet and report back on 'Black History in the making'. All are very welcome – you do not have to be a member of Deanery Synod. (no Bible study this week)

Sat 27 June 9.30am-11.30am Church Open for individual prayer **9.30am** Morning prayer - in the garden weather permitting

Sund 28 June 10am Twitter service 3rd Sunday After Trinity Revd Darius presiding, Reader James preaching, Intercessions by Christine **9.30am-11.30am** Church Open for individual prayer

THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK

"You may say I'm a dreamer, but I'm not the only one. I hope someday you'll join us. And the world will live as one."— **John Lennon**

"It's really a wonder that I haven't dropped all my ideals, because they seem so absurd and impossible to carry out. Yet I keep them, because in spite of everything, I still believe that people are really good at heart."

— Anne Frank, <u>The Diary of a Young Girl</u>

"The world is indeed full of peril, and in it there are many dark places; but still there is much that is fair, and though in all lands love is now mingled with grief, it grows perhaps the greater.

- J.R.R. Tolkien, The Fellowship of the Ring

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HOLY SAVIOUR CHURCH CROYDON Second Sunday after Trinity 21st June 2020

HYMN 1: 156 - Come down O love

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Lord, you have taught us that all our doings without love are nothing worth: send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues, without which whoever lives is counted dead before you. Grant this for your only Son 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 Jeremiah 20 – vv 7-13

O Lord, you have enticed me, and I was enticed; you have overpowered me, and you have prevailed. I have become a laughingstock all day long; everyone mocks me. ⁸ For whenever I speak, I must cry out, I must shout, "Violence and destruction!" For the word of the Lord has become for me a reproach and derision all day long. 9 If I say, "I will not mention him, or speak any more in his name," then within me there is something like a burning fire shut up in my bones; I am weary with holding it in, and I cannot. ¹⁰ For I hear many whispering: "Terror is all around! Denounce him! Let us denounce him!" All my close friends are watching for me to stumble. "Perhaps he can be enticed, and we can prevail against him, and take our revenge on him." ¹¹ But the Lord is with me like a dread warrior; therefore my persecutors will stumble, and they will not prevail. They will be greatly shamed, for they will not succeed.

Their eternal dishonour will never be forgotten. ¹² O Lord of hosts, you test the righteous, you see the heart and the mind; let me see your retribution upon them, for to you I have committed my cause.

¹³ Sing to the Lord; praise the Lord!

For he has delivered the life of the needy from the hands of evildoers.

Psalm 69- vv 8-11

8 I am become a stranger unto my brethren: even an alien unto my mother's children.
9 For the zeal of thine house hath even eaten me: and the rebukes of them that rebuked thee are fallen upon me.

10 I wept, and chastened myself with fasting : and that was turned to my reproof.

11 I put on sackcloth also : and they jested upon me.

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

Should we continue in sin in order

that grace may abound? 2 By no means! How can we who died to sin go on living in it? 3 Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? ⁴Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life. ⁵ For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. ⁶ We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. ⁷ For whoever has died is freed from sin. 8 But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. 9 We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. ¹⁰ The death he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. 11 So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

Gospel – Matthew 10 – vv 26-33

²⁶ "So have no fear of them; for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered, and nothing secret that will not become known. 27 What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light; and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. ²⁸ Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul: rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell²⁹ Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground apart from your Father. ³⁰ And even the hairs of your head are all counted. 31 So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows. ³² "Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven: 33 but whoever denies me before others, I also will deny before my Father in heaven.

INTERCESSIONS – Marie See separate sheet



Offertory Hymn: HHS 24 – Lord for the years

Communion Hymns.

95 – Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God almighty

102- My God how wonderful Thou art

Post Communion Prayer

Loving Father, we thank you for feeding us at the supper of your Son:

sustain us with your Spirit, that we may serve you here on earth until our joy is complete in heaven, and we share in the eternal banquet with 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: 163 Angel voices ever singing