

## NOTICES FOR THE WEEK

*Today 10am – Trinity 9 – Revd Darius to preside, Reader James preaching Live and on Twitter*

*Mon 10 August – Revd Catherine back from holiday this evening*

*Tues 11 Aug - Night Prayer - led by Revd Darius & Lilian,*

*Weds 12 August - 10am Zoom Morning Prayers*

*Led by SPA Marie. ,Reflection by Revd C, Intercessions by Veronica*

*6.30pm-8.30pm Church Open for individual prayer*

*7pm-8pm Zoom Deanery Black History... in the making... planning meeting 3*

*Thurs 13 August*

*7.30pm -8.15pm Zoom Bible Study : Rev Darius*

*Sat 15 August*

*9.30am-11.00am Church Open for individual prayer*

*9.30am Morning prayer - in the church/garden*

*11am-12.30 Zoom Deanery Public Spirit Young People's Leaders Transition to What Next?*

*Sunday 16 August 10am Church Service & Twitter Service*

*Trinity 10*

*Revd Catherine Preside, Revd Darius preach, SPA Marie intercessions*

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*Save the date:*

**\*\* Note APCM the date for the delayed APCM is now 12noon Sunday 11**

**October. Everyone involved in the future of this church is invited.**

**Note this has moved from the 4th**

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## HOLY SAVIOUR CHURCH CROYDON

Trinity 9

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> August 2020

**HYMN 1- 148 – At the name of Jesus**

### **COLLECT FOR THE DAY**

Almighty God, who sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of your Church: open our hearts to the riches of your grace, that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit in love and joy and peace; 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 – 1 Kings 19: 9-18 – Pearl**

<sup>9</sup>At that place he came to a cave, and spent the night there. Then the word of the Lord came to him, saying, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" <sup>10</sup>He answered, "I have been very zealous for the Lord, the God of hosts; for the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away." <sup>11</sup>He said, "Go out and stand on the mountain before the Lord, for the Lord is about to pass by." Now there was a great wind, so strong that it was splitting mountains and breaking rocks in pieces before the Lord, but the Lord was not in the wind; and after the wind an earthquake, but the Lord was not in the earthquake; <sup>12</sup>and after the earthquake a fire, but the Lord was not in the fire; and after the fire a sound of sheer silence. <sup>13</sup>When Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his

mantle and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. Then there came a voice to him that said, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" <sup>14</sup>He answered, "I have been very zealous for the Lord, the God of hosts; for the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away." <sup>15</sup>Then the Lord said to him, "Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus; when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael as king over Aram. <sup>16</sup>Also you shall anoint Jehu son of Nimshi as king over Israel; and you shall anoint Elisha son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah as prophet in your place. <sup>17</sup>Whoever escapes from the sword of Hazael, Jehu shall kill; and whoever escapes from the sword of Jehu, Elisha shall kill. <sup>18</sup>Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him."

### **Psalm 85: vv 8-13**

<sup>8</sup>I will hearken what the Lord God will say concerning me : for he shall speak peace unto his people, and to his saints, that they turn not again.

<sup>9</sup>For his salvation is nigh them that fear him : that glory may dwell in our land.

<sup>10</sup>Mercy and truth are met together : righteousness and peace have kissed each other.

<sup>11</sup> Truth shall flourish out of the earth : and righteousness hath looked down from heaven.

<sup>12</sup> Yea, the Lord shall shew loving-kindness : and our land shall give her increase.

<sup>13</sup> Righteousness shall go before him : and he shall direct his going in the way.

**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 10 –: 5-15 –Pearl**

<sup>5</sup> Moses writes concerning the righteousness that comes from the law, that “the person who does these things will live by them.” <sup>6</sup> But the righteousness that comes from faith says, “Do not say in your heart, ‘Who will ascend into heaven?’” (that is, to bring Christ down) <sup>7</sup> “or ‘Who will descend into the abyss?’” (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). <sup>8</sup> But what does it say? “The word is near you, on your lips and in your heart” (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); <sup>9</sup> because if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. <sup>10</sup> For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. <sup>11</sup> The scripture says, “No one who believes in him will be put to shame.” <sup>12</sup> For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek

the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him.

<sup>13</sup> For, “Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.”

<sup>14</sup> But how are they to call on one in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in one of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone to proclaim him? <sup>15</sup> And how are they to proclaim him unless they are sent? As it is written, “How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!”

**Gradual Hymn – 312 – Jesus calls us**

**Gospel – Matthew 14: 22-33 SPA Marie**

<sup>22</sup> Immediately he made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. <sup>23</sup> And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, <sup>24</sup> but by this time the boat, battered by the waves, was far from the land, for the wind was against them. <sup>25</sup> And early in the morning he came walking toward them on the sea. <sup>26</sup> But when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were terrified, saying, “It is a ghost!” And they cried out in fear. <sup>27</sup> But immediately Jesus spoke to them and said, “Take heart, it is I; do not be afraid.” <sup>28</sup> Peter answered him, “Lord, if it is you, command me to

come to you on the water.” <sup>29</sup> He said, “Come.” So Peter got out of the boat, started walking on the water, and came toward Jesus. <sup>30</sup> But when he noticed the strong wind, he became frightened, and beginning to sink, he cried out, “Lord, save me!” <sup>31</sup> Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught him, saying to him, “You of little faith, why did you doubt?” <sup>32</sup> When they got into the boat, the wind ceased. <sup>33</sup> And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, “Truly you are the Son of God.”

**Intercessions – Barbara**

**We Pray Especially This Week:**

- For those awaiting medical test results.  
- For those affected by the weather  
- For young people worried about returning to school  
- For those affected by noisy neighbours  
- For our armed forces

**We Pray for those Unwell in Body, Mind or Spirit:** Wendy, Dan, Nathan, Minnie, Alexander at home, Taishawn, Oke and his siblings, Terry, Trisha, Obi, Cousin Zen, Cousin Michael, Geraldine, Gordon, Feyemi, all those at 44 Kimberley Road & Christopher, Tabitha & Tinashe, Maria, Alison, Miriam, Brenda, Denise M, Ernestine & family, Simon & Samantha, Pat, Mona, Girish, Enid, Ethel, Pat & Enid, Bridget, Ina, Tony, Noel, Irene, Ron, Avril.

+We lift to you Lord, the souls of Miriam’s Aunt, Jean Fagg, Wray Sealey We remember all those we have loved & lost and still love. +May light perpetual shine upon them, may they rest in peace and rise in glory. -We pray for all who are mourning. especially Mitzi & family

**We Give Thanks and Praise :**

- For the joys of nature  
- For the love of fun and those who spread happiness  
= For our friends and relatives  
- For music

**Offertory Hymn: 115 – Dear Lord and Father**

**Communion Hymns:**

**223 - Put thou thy trust in God**

**HHS 73 – To Him we come**

1. To him we come  
Jesus Christ our Lord.  
God's own living Word,  
His dear Son.  
In him there is no east and west,  
in him all nations shall be blessed;  
to all he offers peace and rest-  
loving Lord!

2. In him we live  
Christ our strength and stay,  
life and truth and way,  
Friend divine.  
His power can break the chains of sin,  
still all life's storms without, within,  
help us the daily fight to win-  
living Lord!

3. With him we serve,  
His the work we share,  
with saints everywhere,  
Near and far.  
One in the task which faith requires,  
one in the zeal which never tires,  
one in the hope his love inspires-  
coming Lord!

4. Onward we go  
Faithful, bold, and true,  
called his will to do  
Day by day.  
Till, at the last, with joy we'll see  
Jesus, in glorious majesty;  
live with him through eternity-  
reigning Lord!

#### **Post Communion Prayer**

Holy Father, who gathered us here  
around the table of your Son to share  
this meal with the whole household of  
God: in that new world where you  
reveal the fullness of your peace, gather  
people of every race and language to  
share in the eternal banquet of 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: 277 – Glory in highest  
heaven**

#### **THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK**

*Chosen by Barbara*

*“There are only two ways to live your life.  
One is as though nothing is a miracle. The  
other is as though everything is a miracle.”*

— **Albert Einstein**

*“Create your own miracles; do what you  
think you cannot do.”*

— **Roy T. Bennett**

*“Each moment of worry, anxiety or stress  
represents lack of faith in miracles, for  
they never cease.”*

— **T.F. Hodge, From Within I Rise:  
Spiritual Triumph Over Death and  
Conscious Encounters with "The Divine  
Presence"**

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