

HOLY SAVIOUR CHURCH – CROYDON

7th Sunday After Trinity 31ST July 2022

HYMN 1- 336 All my hope on God is founded

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Lord of all power and might,
the author and giver of all good things:
graft in our hearts the love of your
name, increase in us true religion,
nourish us with all goodness,
and of your great mercy keep us in the
same; 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**

OLD TESTAMENT READING – Pearl Ecclesiastes 1: 2 & 12-14 & 2: 18-23

² Vanity of vanities, says the Teacher,
vanity of vanities! All is vanity.

¹² I, the Teacher, when king over Israel in
Jerusalem, ¹³applied my mind to seek
and to search out by wisdom all that is
done under heaven; it is an unhappy
business that God has given to human
beings to be busy with. ¹⁴I saw all the
deeds that are done under the sun; and
see, all is vanity and a chasing after wind.

¹⁸ I hated all my toil in which I had toiled
under the sun, seeing that I must leave it
to those who come after me ¹⁹—and
who knows whether they will be wise or
foolish? Yet they will be master of all for
which I toiled and used my wisdom
under the sun. This also is vanity. ²⁰So I
turned and gave my heart up to despair
concerning all the toil of my labours
under the sun, ²¹because sometimes

one who has toiled with wisdom and
knowledge and skill must leave all to be
enjoyed by another who did not toil for it.
This also is vanity and a great evil. ²²What
do mortals get from all the toil and strain
with which they toil under the sun? ²³For
all their days are full of pain, and their
work is a vexation; even at night their
minds do not rest. This also is vanity.

Psalm 49:1-12 Audite haec, omnes

O HEAR ye this, all ye people : ponder it
with your ears, all ye that dwell in the
world; ² High and low, rich and poor : one
with another. ³ My mouth shall speak of
wisdom : and my heart shall muse of
understanding. ⁴ I will incline mine ear to
the parable : and shew my dark speech
upon the harp. ⁵ Wherefore should I fear in
the days of wickedness : and when the
wickedness of my heels compasseth me
round about? ⁶ There be some that put
their trust in their goods : and boast
themselves in the multitude of their riches.
⁷ But no man may deliver his brother : nor
make agreement unto God for him; ⁸ For it
cost more to redeem their souls : so that
he must let that alone for ever; ⁹ Yea,
though he live long : and see not the grave.
¹⁰ For he seeth that wise men also die, and
perish together : as well as the ignorant
and foolish, and leave their riches for
other.

¹¹ And yet they think that their houses shall
continue for ever : and that their dwelling-
places shall endure from one generation

to another; and call the lands after their own names.

¹² Nevertheless, man will not abide in honour : seeing he may be compared unto the beasts that perish; this is the way of them.

***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***

***NEW TESTAMENT READING – Murnell
Colossians 3:1-11***

So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. ²Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, ³for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. ⁴When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory. ⁵ Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). ⁶On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. ⁷These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. ⁸But now you must get rid of all such things—anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. ⁹Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices ¹⁰and have clothed

yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. ¹¹In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

Hymn 2 – HHS 52 – Blessed Assurance

Gospel - Luke 12:13-21 – Mitzi

¹³ Someone in the crowd said to him, ‘Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me.’ ¹⁴But he said to him, ‘Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?’ ¹⁵And he said to them, ‘Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one’s life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.’ ¹⁶Then he told them a parable: ‘The land of a rich man produced abundantly. ¹⁷And he thought to himself, “What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?” ¹⁸Then he said, “I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. ¹⁹And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.” ²⁰But God said to him, “You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?” ²¹So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich towards God.’

Prayers of Intercession –

We Pray Especially This Week For:

- The Commonwealth Games competitors
- For people affected by strikes and demonstrations.
- For those looking after their grandchildren during the holidays
- For Cleveland and Catherine as they mourn the loss of Mary Simpson

We Pray for those Unwell in Body, Mind or Spirit

Barbara G, Margaret L, Janine H, Janet & John J, Stephen Mc, Geraldine, Sandra, Kat's sister Christine, Jean, Sarah's mother Fedora, Veronica F's friend, Matt, Tabitha's aunt, Brenda, Stephanie, Cyril & Janet, Minnie, Alexander, Cousin Zen, all at 44 Kimberley Road & Christopher, Miriam, Denise M, Ernestine, Simon & Samantha, Girish, Pat & Enid, Bridget, Ron and all those we know and love

✠ We pray for the souls of Mary Simpson, Avril Ward, Ethel Miller, Baby Paul Jnr. and June Cresswell

+May light perpetual shine upon them,
May they rest in peace and rise in glory

We pray for those who are mourning
We Give Thanks and Praise For:

- Our 'holy dusters' who clean the church
- The rain that we get for our gardens
- Those who work with the dying

A Prayer during Interregnum

Heavenly Father, During our Interregnum period We call on you for guidance, vision and renewed hope. As we seek a new incumbent oh Lord, We ask for someone who will be filled with Godly love Faithful in prayer and be prepared to serve you with joy. May the work that they do impact positively on Holy Saviour and the wider community. As we pray and wait faithfully, help us to remember that the plans you have for us are not filled with harm, but give us that reassurance of a future filled with hope. Thank you oh Lord for continuing on this journey with us.

AMEN

Offertory Hymn – 184 – Jerusalem the Golden

Communion Hymns

HHS 47 Amazing Grace

HHS 63 – Make me a channel

The Post Communion Prayer

Lord God, whose Son is the true vine and the source of life, ever giving himself that the world may live: may we so receive within ourselves the power of his death and passion that, in his saving cup, we may share his glory and be made perfect in his love; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **AMEN**

Final Hymn – HHS 97

What a friend we have in Jesus

NOTICES FOR THE COMING WEEK

Please stay at home if you have cold or flu-like symptoms.

- Today** **10.00am-11.15am** – Holy Communion Service + Sunday School
Revd Ada presiding and preaching
- Tues 2 August** No Night Prayer with mindfulness meditation – returns 20 September
- Weds 3 August** **10am-10.45am** Midweek Service in church
- Thurs 4 August** No Bible Study – returns 22 September
- Sat 6 August** **10.30am-11.30am** Holy Dusters & Parish Office for baptisms
(Christenings), Weddings and hall bookings
Confirmation classes in the church. Please see Revd Ada for more
information
- Sun 7 August** **10am-11.15am** – Holy Communion Service – Trinity 8
Revd Ada presiding and preaching
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QUOTES FOR THE WEEK

“They who can give up essential liberty to obtain a little temporary safety deserve
neither liberty nor safety.”

— **Benjamin Franklin**

“Do not stop thinking of life as an adventure. You have no security unless you can live
bravely, excitingly, imaginatively; unless you can choose a challenge instead of
competence.”

— **Eleanor Roosevelt**

“You might be poor, your shoes might be broken, but your mind is a palace.”

— **Frank McCourt, Angela's Ashes**

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