Holy Saviour Church, Croydon 11th Sunday After Trinity 11th August 2024

Entrance Hymn 2 – New Every Morning

Hymn Before the Gospel: 122 – How Sweet The Name of Jesus Sounds

Offertory Hymn 263 – Lord Enthroned In Heavenly Splendour

Communion Hymn(s):249 – Take My Life and Let It Be: **272** —O God Unseen, Yet Ever

Near

Final Hymn: 212 – Who Would True Valour Seed

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

O God, you declare your almighty power most chiefly in showing mercy and pity: mercifully grant to us such a measure of your grace, that we, running the way of your commandments, may receive your gracious promises, and be made partakers of your heavenly treasure; 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**

FIRST READING: 1 Kings 19: 4-8-Sue

⁴ But he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness and came and sat down under a solitary broom tree. He asked that he might die, "It is enough; now, O Lord, take away my life, for I am no better than my ancestors." ⁵ Then he lay down under the broom tree and fell asleep. Suddenly an angel touched him and said to him, "Get up and eat." ⁶ He looked, and there at his head was a cake baked on hot stones and a jar of water. He ate and drank and lay down again. ⁷ The angel of the Lord came a second time, touched him, and said, "Get up and eat, or the journey will be too much for you." ⁸ He got up and ate and drank; then he went in the strength of that food forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God.

PSALM 34: 1-8

Benedicam Domino

I will alway give thanks unto the Lord: his praise shall ever be in my mouth. ² My soul shall make her boast in the Lord: the humble shall hear thereof, and be glad. ³ O praise the Lord with me: and let us magnify his Name together. ⁴ I sought the Lord, and he heard me: yea, he delivered me out of all my fear. ⁵ They had an eye unto him, and were lightened: and their faces were not ashamed. ⁶ Lo, the poor crieth, and the Lord heareth him: yea, and saveth him out of all his troubles. ⁷ The angel of the Lord tarrieth round about them that fear him: and delivereth them. ⁸ O taste, and see, how gracious the Lord is: blessed is the man that trusteth in him.

We <u>remain seated</u> for the concluding doxology: 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

SECOND READING: Ephesians 4:25-5.2 Sheri

²⁵ So then, putting away falsehood, let each of you speak the truth with your neighbour, for we are members of one another. ²⁶ Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, ²⁷ and do not make room for the devil. ²⁸ Those who steal must give up stealing; rather, let them labour, doing good work with their own hands, so as to have something to share with the needy. ²⁹ Let no evil talk come out of your mouths but only what is good for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. ³⁰ And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were marked with a seal for the day of redemption. ³¹ Put away from you all bitterness and wrath and anger and wrangling and slander, together with all malice. ³² Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you. ¹ Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children, ² and walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

GOSPEL - John 6:35, 41-51 - Lilian

³⁵ Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. 41 Then the Jews began to complain about him because he said, "I am the bread that came down from heaven." 42 They were saying, "Is not this Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, 'I have come down from heaven'?" ⁴³ Jesus answered them, "Do not complain among yourselves. ⁴⁴ No one can come to me unless drawn by the Father who sent me, and I will raise that person up on the last day. 45 It is written in the prophets, 'And they shall all be taught by God.' Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me. 46 Not that anyone has seen the Father except the one who is from God; he has seen the Father. ⁴⁷ Very truly, I tell you, whoever believes has eternal life. ⁴⁸ I am the bread of life. ⁴⁹ Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. 50 This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. ⁵¹I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever, and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh."

INTERCESSIONS - Barbara

We Pray for those Unwell in Body, Mind or Spirit:

Lynton Salmon, Cherelle, Julie Johns, Lyn Johns, Khalil A, Paulina Larios, Sally and Katharine, Allen, Tracey and Ann Davis, David, Milton Findlay, Clifford, Finn, Tony, Julie and her father, Billy, Jacob, Ellie and her mother, Sally, Jennifer, Brandon, Billy's Uncle Richard, Barbara G, Janine H, John J, Geraldine, Sandra, Kat's sister Christine, Jean, Sarah's mother Fedora, Vilma Morgan, Matt, Brenda, Stephanie, Minnie, Alexander, Cousin Zen, Christopher, Denise M, Enid, Simon & Samantha, Girish, Pat, Adrian, Ron, Cleveland, Britt and Barry, Veronica Vernon, Pauline Temiz, Brian Cresswell, The King and the Princess of Wales

We pray for those who mourn

We pray for the souls of: Bebe King, Elsie Dot Stancombe, and Alice Dasilva Aguiar, killed at the start of their summer holidays.

May light perpetual shine upon them. May they rest in peace. And rise in glory.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Lord of all mercy, we your faithful people have celebrated that one true sacrifice which takes away our sins and brings pardon and peace: by our communion keep us firm on the foundation of the gospel and preserve us from all sin; through 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.

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For Baptisms (Christenings) and Weddings, please speak to or contact the Vicar

	Services this Week
Today	10am – 11 th Sunday after Trinity
Wed 14 Aug	10.00am - Morning Prayer
Sat 17 Aug	11:00am – Holy Dusters
Sun 18 Aug	10am – 12 th Sunday after Trinity

Other Notices

Sunday School Dates: Sunday School will be taking a break for the month of August. Watch out for our Autumn Term dates. Parents are welcome to accompany children to Sunday School or to remain in the service. Please don't leave your children behind at Holy Saviour!

Sunday School Dates for September - 1 Sept & 29 Sept

14 Sept 2-4pm	Mix and Mingle Macmillan Coffee Event – save the date in your diary!
14 Sept 12-4pm	Open City Festival – Holy Saviour will be open as part of the London wide Open City Festival (open-city.org.uk).

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