



For our prayers this week

**Those who are ill or in need...** Pam Mcleave, Chris Aylen, Paul, Val Hancock, Jean, Peter McLean.

**Those who have died...**

**Anniversary of death...**

**Link Parish** of St Francis of Assisi, Barham Green, Zimbabwe.



*THIS WEEK...*

**SUNDAY 20 JULY 2025**

**FIFTH SUNDAY  
AFTER TRINITY**

8am **HOLY COMMUNION**  
10am **PARISH EUCHARIST**  
with **BAPTISM**  
6.30pm **BCP EVENSONG**

**WEDNESDAY 23 JULY**

*NO TODDLER GROUP*  
– summer break  
12 noon **PRAYER GROUP**  
Church



*NOTICES*



The Diocese of  
**Southwark**

This month's edition of  
**THE BRIDGE** can be read  
and downloaded from:  
[southwark.anglican.org/thebridge](http://southwark.anglican.org/thebridge)

## Local charity **CHRISTIAN CARE ASSOCIATION**

is currently in urgent need of single & double duvet covers and sheets to give to clients when rehoused. Please bring to church. Small wardrobes up to 90cm x 190cm also required (preferably white). For these please phone 07565 176 765 (Tuesdays to Thursdays). For more information talk to Pat Spencer or Jane Allen.

## CREATIONTIDE DISPLAY

Please put pictures, paintings, photographs and objects for this year's Creationtide Display in the box on the table at the back of church between 13th July and the 24th August. If it's difficult for you to print photos, you can email them to Lucy Christie direct or via the parish office by the 15th August.

## CREATION CARE

Southwark Diocesan Environment Officer Sophie Roberts will be preaching on Sunday 27th July.

## CHURCH CLEANING VOLUNTEER

Due to one of our church cleaning team moving away, we have a vacancy for someone to join the team who usually clean on a Wednesday morning, once every four weeks. Please contact the parish office.



*NEXT WEEK...*

**SUNDAY 27 JULY 2025**

**SIXTH SUNDAY  
AFTER TRINITY**

8am **HOLY COMMUNION**  
10am **PARISH EUCHARIST**  
6.30pm **BCP EVENSONG**

**WEDNESDAY 30 JULY**

*NO TODDLER GROUP*  
– summer break  
12 noon **PRAYER GROUP**  
Church

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## This week's readings

### A reading from the letter of Paul to the Colossians.

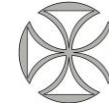
Christ is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers – all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross. And you who were once estranged and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, he has now reconciled in his fleshly body through death, so as to present you holy and blameless and irreproachable before him – provided that you continue securely established and steadfast in the faith, without shifting from the hope promised by the gospel that you heard, which has been proclaimed to every creature under heaven. I, Paul, became a servant of this gospel. I am now rejoicing in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am completing what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the church. I became its servant according to God's commission that was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known, the mystery that has been hidden throughout the ages and generations but has now been revealed to his saints. To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. It is he whom we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone in all wisdom, so that we may present everyone mature in Christ.

*Colossians 1.15–28*

### Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

Now as Jesus and his disciples went on their way, he entered a certain village, where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home. She had a sister named Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to what he was saying. But Martha was distracted by her many tasks; so she came to Jesus and asked, 'Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me.' But the Lord answered her, 'Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her.'

*Luke 10.38–42*



## CHRIST CHURCH, WEST WIMBLEDON

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**SUNDAY 20 JULY 2025**

### **FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**

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#### **The Collect**

Almighty God, send down upon your  
Church the riches of your Spirit,  
and kindle in all who minister the gospel  
your countless gifts of grace;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

#### **Post Communion**

Grant, O Lord, we beseech you, that the  
course of this world may be so peaceably  
ordered by your governance, that your  
Church may joyfully serve you in all godly  
quietness; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

#### **Green / World Prayer**

And so we speak and name our captors. We renounce their power and sway.  
We will not yield nor bow the knee. Unrestrained Capitalism - your days are numbered.  
Consumerism - your days are numbered. Individualism - your days are numbered.

They bring death. But you, O Lord, bring life.  
They bring destruction. But you, O Lord, bring restoration.  
They bring slavery. But you, O Lord, are the God of freedom.  
They bring sorrow. But in you, O Lord, is fullness of joy.  
They build walls. But you, O Lord, extend the table. **Amen.**

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#### **8am HOLY COMMUNION**

#### **10am PARISH EUCHARIST with BAPTISM**

**Readings** Colossians 1.15-28; Luke 10.38-end

**Hymns** 410, 575, 435, 383, 48

#### **6.30pm EVENSONG**

**Readings** Genesis 41.1-16,25-37; 1 Corinthians 4.8-13

**Hymns** 648, 282, 64 **Psalm** 81

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