

**MITCHAM
PARISH CHURCH**
St Peter & St Paul



SUNDAY 27th JULY 2025

**10.00am SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
PARISH EUCHARIST
WITH MINISTRY OF HEALING
& 'BE WELL HUB' MEETING ON 'AGEING'**

TUESDAY 29th JULY

10.00am Said Eucharist

followed by refreshments and 'Open Church' until 12noon

THURSDAY 31st JULY

1.30pm GAMES AFTERNOON

with the Mothers' Union in the parish centre

SUNDAY 3rd AUGUST 2025

**10.00am SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
PARISH EUCHARIST**

TUESDAY 5th AUGUST

10.00am Said Eucharist

followed by refreshments and 'Open Church' until 12noon

WEDNESDAY 6th AUGUST

7.30pm JULIAN MEETING

Come and join us for quiet meditative prayer in the silence of our church





SUNDAY'S READINGS

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Colossians.

Brothers and sisters, as you have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.

See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the universe, and not according to Christ. For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, and you have come to fullness in him, who is the head of every ruler and authority. In him also you were circumcised with a spiritual circumcision, by putting off the body of the flesh in the circumcision of Christ; when you were buried with him in baptism, you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised him from the dead. And when you were dead in trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive together with him, when he forgave us all our trespasses, erasing the record that stood against us with its legal demands. He set this aside, nailing it to the cross. He disarmed the rulers and authorities and made a public example of them, triumphing over them in it.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

Colossians 2.6–15

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

Jesus was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, 'Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples.' He said to them, 'When you pray, say:

Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial.'

And he said to them, 'Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, "Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him." And he answers from within, "Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything." I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs. So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish? Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ

Luke 11.1–13



FOR YOUR PRAYERS

Our prayer-partner Parish:

*St Katherine's Church, Kingsdale
in Matabeleland, Zimbabwe.*

For reconciliation and peace throughout the world.

For those countries, world-wide,
affected by violence, war, discrimination,
prejudice or conflict, or by natural disaster.

For peacemakers, and all who work in the
emergency services and relief agencies.

Those who are sick or in need:

Ken Hunte, Carol Lawrence, Anna Anbu,
Henry Pratt, Gary Giles, Marcia Marcus,
Sukhi Kaur, Ken Greenwich, Victor Attfield,
Pauline Iweha, Pauline Barrell, Lexi Willoughby,
Nellie Young, Dianne Cowley, John Cowley,
Pat Townend, Amanda Woodman, Verity Lester,
Jim Harte, Denise Bygraves.

For all who mourn.

Those in our Intercessions Book

The Departed:

- those who have recently died:

Lloyd Eckstein, Pamela Allen, Andrew Addy,
Joyce Joko-John.

Years' Mind:

*We remember all those whose Year's Mind
falls at this time, among them:*

Mishak Morah (31st).

*We give thanks for their lives, their love,
and their example.*

**✠ Rest eternal, grant them, O Lord;
and let light perpetual shine upon them.**

**Lord, in your mercy:
hear our prayer!**

COLLECT FOR THIS WEEK

**Creator God,
you made us all in your image:
may we discern you
in all that we see,
and serve you in all that we do;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

AMEN

A PRAYER FOR THIS WEEK

**But you, O Lord,
extend the table.**

**In your kingdom,
a new way is possible.**

**In your kingdom,
justice flows.**

**In your Kingdom,
Jesus is Lord.**

**Father of Creation,
God of Redemption,**

**To you be all praise,
honour and glory.**

Now and Forever.

AMEN



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PARISH CONTACT DETAILS

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If you would like to make a donation to Mitcham Parish Church, this QR code will take you straight to our SumUp giving system.



Calling all garden helpers!

Weather permitting, we are planning a

Working Morning

to address the overgrowing garden areas around the church

on **Saturday 9th August from 10.00am**

- to when we finish!

Please bring gloves and garden equipment you are familiar with; we will provide refreshments, encouragement and guidance...

(The church is being used by Bethel Church between 11am and 1.00pm; so sadly, we will not be able to do our usual inside cleaning as well....)

SUNDAYS: CHURCH STAFFING ROTA

If you are unable to do the dates given, please let Fr David know - AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
Please phone Fr David: (020 8646 0666).

Thank you for being a team member & helping our church run so smoothly!

Fr David

Sunday 27th July 10.00am

Sixth Sunday after Trinity

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| Welcomers | Sam Lyons Alan Reece Diana Burrows |
| Children Corner | Chiko Chamwaita |
| Colossians 2:6-15 | Carole Hornsby |
| Luke 11:1-13 | Clergy |
| Intercessor | Andrew King |
| Euch. Asst. | Bamidele Afolabi |
| Refreshm'ts | Grace Morah Esther Odum |
| Counters | Nneka Belonwu David Coggins |

Sunday 3rd August 10.00am

Seventh Sunday after Trinity

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| Welcomers | Barbara Jones Val Hylton Micheline Ravololonarisoa |
| Children Corner | Gill Campbell; |
| Colossians 3:1-11 | Barbara Jones |
| Luke 12:13-21 | Clergy |
| Intercessor | Josie Dixie |
| Euch. Asst. | Ebele Belonwu |
| Refreshm'ts | Helena Vagnolini Greg Vagnolini |

[No counting]

Sunday 10th August 10.00am

Eighth Sunday after Trinity

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| Welcomers | Mercy Antwi Mavis Bennett Grace Morah |
| Children Corner | Diana Burrows |
| Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16 | Jim Kirby |
| Luke 12: 32-40 | Clergy |
| Intercessor | Fr David |
| Euch. Asst. | Robert Willer |
| Refreshm'ts | Sandra Barry Patricia Benjamin |
| Counters | Kat Chandler Lin Matthews |

MOTHERS' UNION

**INTERNATIONAL
SOCIAL EVENING**

MUSIC - FOOD - DRINK

**Saturday 30th August 2025
5 - 9pm**

Mitcham Parish Centre, Church Path,
Mitcham CR4 3BN
Parking in Hallowfied Way CR4 3YE

TICKETS:
ADULT £10
CHILD £4 (5 - 10 YEARS)
UNDER 5'S FREE
FAMILY £25 (2 ADULTS & 3 CHILDREN)

**GAMES
AFTERNOON**

on the last Thursday each month - from 1.30-3.30pm

in Mitcham Parish Centre
Church Path CR4 3BN

Hosted by
MITCHAM MOTHERS' UNION

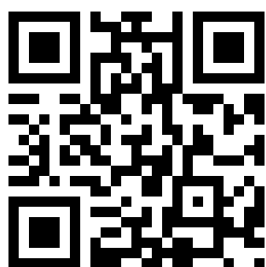
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FLOWERS IN CHURCH

The flowers we place in church
(except during Advent & Lent)
may be sponsored:

in memory of a loved one,
in thanksgiving,
or for any other
celebratory reason.

**To sponsor the flowers
please speak to Lin Matthews -
Tel: 020 8646 3390**



We wish a very

HAPPY
Birthday

**MARGARET DANQUAH;
PRINCE SWARAY;
MUNA ANOKWU**

and all whose birthday is this week.

*Is your birthday coming up soon?
Do let the Parish Office / Clergy know,
if you don't think you are on our List!*

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