



SUNDAY 12th OCTOBER 2025

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY 10.00am PARISH EUCHARIST

followed by refreshments and fellowship

TUESDAY 14th OCTOBER

10.00am SAID EUCHARIST

followed by refreshments and 'Open Church' until 12noon

SATURDAY 18th OCTOBER

11.00am Kingston-Matabeleland Link Coffee & Pastry Morning at St Paul's Wimbledon Parkside (see poster)

SUNDAY 19th OCTOBER 2025

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY 10.00am PARISH EUCHARIST

followed by refreshments and fellowship

6.00pm Kingston Racial Justice event in Norbiton (see poster)

MONDAY 20th OCTOBER

Churches Together in Mitcham Organising Group
Meet in Church at 7.30pm

TUESDAY 21st OCTOBER

10.00am SAID EUCHARIST

followed by refreshments and 'Open Church' until 12noon

6.30pm - 8.30pm:

South London Citizens Housing & Health Assembly at St George's Roman Catholic Cathedral SEI (see poster)



SUNDAY'S READINGS

A reading from the second letter of Paul to Timothy.

Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David – that is my gospel, for which I suffer hardship, even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, so that they may also obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory. The saying is sure:

If we have died with him, we will also live with him; if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he will also deny us; if we are faithless, he remains faithful – for he cannot deny himself.

Remind them of this, and warn them before God that they are to avoid wrangling over words, which does no good but only ruins those who are listening. Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved by him, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly explaining the word of truth.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

2 Timothy 2.8–15

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

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, 'Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!' When he saw them, he said to them, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, 'Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?' Then he said to Samaritan, 'Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ

Luke 17.11-19



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:

Jessie Willoughby, Karen Stockdale, Maryan Ahmed, Mary Quinn, John Considine, Shaghayegh Malekian, Gill Campbell, Lisa Morris, Jolliboy Coker, Elizabeth Cheshire, Mary Phillips, Anna Anbu, Gary Giles, Sukhi Kaur, Victor Attfield.

For all who mourn, the unnamed who need our prayers, and those in our Intercessions Book.

The Departed:

those who have recently died:
 Gordon Wong, Lucy Torto, Danny Young,
 Jason Davis, Rachel Bolton

Years' Mind:

We remember all those whose Year's Mind falls at this time.

Hazel Warne (12th)

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

Gracious God,
you call us to fullness of life:
deliver us from unbelief
and banish our anxieties
with the liberating love
of Jesus Christ our Lord.

AMEN

CREATIONTIDE PRAYER

Praise the Lord, all his creatures! From the rising of the sun to the setting of the same.

The Lord's name be praised.

Praise the Lord,

all the earth!

AMEN

The new copy of The Bridge is out. It is now available in church. You can read and download it from southwark.anglican.org/thebridge



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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.



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



DAVID COGGINS;

and to <u>all</u> whose birthday is today or during this coming week!

Is your birthday coming up soon?

Do let the Parish Office / Clergy know, if you don't think you are on our List!



SUNDAYS: CHURCH STAFFING ROTA

10.00am

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 12th October

17 Sunday after Trinity

Welcomers Mercy Antwi

Mavis Bennett

Grace Morah

Children Corner Val Hylton 2 Timothy 2:8-15 Paul Carter

Luke 17:11-19 Clergy

Intercessor Mary Coggins Robert Willer Euch. Asst. Refreshm'ts Carole Hornsby

Patricia Benjamin

[No counting]

Sunday 19th October **Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity**

Welcomers Sam Lyons

Alan Reece

Children Corner Diana Burrows

2 Timothy 3:14-4.5 Pam Donovan

Luke 18:1-8 Clergy

Intercessor Josie Dixie

Euch. Asst. Reuben-Zebidiah Willoughby

Refreshments Grace Morah

Esther Odum

Doris Maduforo

Kat Chandler Counters

Lin Matthews

South London Listens

SAVE THE DATE! SOUTH LONDON ASSEMBLY



Where? St George's Catholic Cathedral, SE17HY

When? 21 October, 6:30 to 8:30 PM.



Why?

To get your ticket, ask your local organiser Join hundreds of leaders from across South London to celebrate progress on commitments and making change together!



To tackle health inequalities

We need YOU.



There is a list at the back church for you to add the names of loved ones that you would like to be remembered by name at our

ALL SOULS' MEMORIAL EUCHARIST

on Saturday 1st November at 11.00am

Rest eternal grant them O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them!

It is with great sadness, that we report the death, a week ago Monday evening, of

Mrs LUCY TORTO

A faithful member of this congregation, who previously lived in Glebelands.

She died peacefully, surrounded by her extended family.

The Funeral will take place on Friday 21st November.

Rest eternal grant her O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon her!

Dates for your diary: towards December 2025 All these events take place in the Church, alongside our regular Services

Sunday 26th October at 10.00am Eucharist - HEALING MINISTRY - followed by 'BE WELL HUB'

SATURDAY 1st November at 11.00am - ALL SOULS' DAY - REQUIEM EUCHARIST

Sunday 2nd November at 10.00am - ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY - FESTIVAL EUCHARIST

Sulday 2 November at 10.00am - ALL SAINTS SONDAT - PLSTIVAL LOCHANIS

Sunday 9th November at <u>09.30am</u> - REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Tuesday 11th November at 10.45am - Eucharist at 10.00am; gather in Church for ARMISTICE DAY COMMEMORATION at 11.00am

Wednesday 12th November at 7.30pm - JULIAN MEETING

Sunday 23rd November at 10.00am - CHRIST THE KING FESTIVAL EUCHARIST

Martin, Bishop of Kingston, to celebrate & preach

Wednesday 26th November at 1.30pm - JULIAN MEETING

Sunday 30th November at 10.00am Eucharist - HEALING MINISTRY - followed by 'BE WELL HUB'

Wednesday 10th December at 7.30pm - JULIAN MEETING

Wednesday 17th December at 1.30pm - JULIAN MEETING

Sunday 21st December at 5.00pm - CAROLS & CHRISTINGLES – followed by mulled

GRAND DRAW

PLEASE LEAVE ALL DONATIONS **FOR GRAND DRAW PRIZES** AT THE BACK OF CHURCH AND PLEASE HELP TO SELL THE DRAW TICKETS!!



SUNDAY 9th NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

9.30am PARISH EUCHARIST

followed by the Civic Service at the War Memorial, Lower Green at 10.40am

TUESDAY 11th NOVEMBER ARMISTICE DAY SERVICE 11.00am COMMEMORATION

Meet in church 10.45am PROMPT prior to

moving outside to the Cross of Sacrifice.



Kingston Racial Justice are organising a Kingston Area event:

"Who do you say that I am?" **Black History Month Kingston Area celebration**

Sunday 19th October at St Peter's Norbiton, KT2 6XL

Tea/coffee and biscuits will be available from 5:30pm with the session begins at 6pm, which will include a presentation on aspects of Black British history and identity, time for discussion and prayer, finishing by 7.30pm.

There is plenty of parking on site with the main car park being entered from Cambridge Road.

Invitation: Kingston-Matabeleland Link Coffee and Pastry Morning Saturday 18th October – 11.00am – 1.00pm

Dear Fellow Pilgrims in Christ,

Following the completion of my Pennine Way Challenge in August, an incredible £40,000 (£32,914.00 on line and also many Parish donations – including yours) has been raised for our link Diocese in Matabeleland. Thank you! I am hugely grateful for your support and donations, which are already funding vital projects for schools in Matabeleland.

I would like to invite you to join me on Saturday 18th October for an event celebrating the Link and following up on the projects that are now underway thanks to your donations. It will be an opportunity to hear the stories from my run, learn more about next steps for the Link and most importantly, to meet Jem, the hero of the Pennine Way!



Saturday 18 October 2025

11.00am - 1.00pm

St Paul's Church, Wimbledon Parkside, Augustus Road, SW19 6EW

This will be an informal gathering with coffee and pastries. I will be interviewed by the Revd Steve Coulson, Chair of the Link Committee. There will be opportunities to chat to members of the Link team and to play with Jem!

Please RSVP via the Microsoft Form here so that we can cater for everyone:

https://forms.office.com/e/RBLyKw2BWz

I look forward to seeing you there.

Best wishes and prayers, & Martin, Bishop of Kingston