

Parish of St Matthew, Surbiton In the Tolworth Hook & Surbiton Team Ministry

25th October 2020

Twentieth Sunday after Trinity



Join our services in church, live online or watch later:

9am service with Holy Communion 10.30am All-age worship with Holy Communion

Both services currently last about 45 minutes.

If you are attending a service in church, social distancing must be observed and a face covering worn. Your details will be taken for track and trace.

Please do not attend in person if you have any symptoms of the virus.

Collect for the Week

God, our light and our salvation:
Illuminate our lives,
that we may see your goodness in the land of the living,
and looking on your beauty
may be changed into the likeness of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Give thanks for answered prayer: and please pray for:

Reverends Helen Hancock, Luke Wickings, David Nyirongo, Carolyn Lucas & their families, Jen Houghton and family, THiS Team, Carol Bainbridge, and Paul Atkins.

GDPR Notice Now that our services are live-streamed you could potentially appear in shot if you are at the front of the church (in the front two pews or on or near the platform). If this presents any problems for you please speak to a warden or to Helen.

Our <u>Annual Parochial Church Meeting Is today at 11.15am</u> after the 10.30am service. Please stay on for the meeting after the service in church (it shouldn't take too long) or join the meeting from home via Zoom. If you are staying in church and want to bring a flask of coffee or a bottle of water then please do so. If you are going to attend on Zoom, here is the link:

https://zoom.us/i/99678996012?pwd=UWRIcVBYNjJ0SVNNWXIxZWJY0FZ4QT09

We have also made that link available through KiT Groups this week and it will be posted on our website shortly before the start of the meeting on Sunday.

If you are not on the internet you can phone in on 020 8080 6591 or 020 3901 7895 for the cost of a local call and join by phone. This works very well so please don't be put off! When prompted, you will need to tap in the Meeting ID <u>996 7899 6012</u> and the Meeting Passcode <u>091588</u>. There is no Participant ID so when asked for that just enter # as directed.

We will be electing Churchwardens, PCC members and Deanery Synod Reps.

The Annual Report and Accounts for 2019 will also be discussed. These are available online.

Sunday 1 November at 5pm will be our **Service of Remembering and Thanking** for the relatives and friends of those who have died in the last year. It is open to everyone but we are mindful that it may be a popular service so if you would like to attend in person please let Julie know in the office so we can ensure there is space for you. Otherwise you will be able to join it as a live-stream. Priority will be given to those without internet access.

Look up, Look out! our ZoomAwayMorning is on **Saturday 14 November** –9.30 – 11.30 am. Please register with the Parish Office or with Helen to get the joining information and more details. You will be able to join online or on the telephone. The morning will provide a good opportunity for us all to spend a couple of hours doing and thinking about something a bit different and, as they say, a change is as good as a rest!

Sermon Series in November – we shall be thinking about our vision 'Seven Whole Days in Covid and in . . . 'looking at how our Vision might shape our actions and our thinking in this present time.

For more information about our church and events visit our website at www.stmatthewskt6.org -

email address: <u>admin@stmatthewskt6.org</u> Facebook 'StMatthewsChurchSurbiton'
Julie is still working, although sometimes from home.

Please don't try to visit the Parish Office for the time being.

Motto Verse2020

Out of reverence for the Lord, I acted differently.

based on Nehemiah 5.15