

# NOTICES for Sunday 22 September

9.30am FAMILY WORSHIP - Trinity 17

Preacher: Rev Steve Cooper

**CREATIONTIDE Service** – a time dedicated to God, the Creator and Sustainer of all life.

**Lectionary readings:** Proverbs 31:10-end; Psalm 1; James 3:13-4:3,7-8a; Mark 9:30-37.

**Readings at 8.00am:** Psalm 1 (page 543); Mark 9:30-37 (page 1013).

**Readings at 9.30am:** Job:38:1-18 (page 538); Matthew 4:1-11 (page: 967).

## Collect:

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

*The flowers at the pulpit are in celebration of the Diamond Wedding anniversary of Paul & Jill James on 19 September. Congratulations!*



## Every week at St. Antony's...

**Sundays at 3.00pm: CAFÉ CHURCH** - a relaxed worship service with Afternoon Tea, refreshments, singing, Bible readings, a short talk, prayers, and time to get to know Jesus better. **There will be Holy Communion on 22<sup>nd</sup> September (4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month) led by Revd Steve Cooper – TODAY!**

**Thursdays at 8.30am: Weekly Morning Prayer** - a short liturgical service of praise to God with a Psalm, Old & New Testament readings and Intercessory prayer.

## Tuesday 24 September - Men's Group Steak Night, 7pm

We shall be meeting at the Sir Julian Huxley at 7.00pm. There are plenty of alternatives for those that don't like steak. Good value, good company and all are welcome.

## Wednesday 25 September - Sanderstead Local History Group, 2pm in the Small Hall

An illustrated talk: "South London Palaces - past and present", by Dee Palmer. Open to all. £2 cash on the door, includes tea and biscuits. For more details visit [www.sandersteadlhq.co.uk](http://www.sandersteadlhq.co.uk)

## **Friday 27 September, 10am-12pm - COFFEE POT**

Come and meet new friends and enjoy chatter with fresh homemade cakes and tea or coffee in the All Saints' Church Halls. For more details call the Parish Office.

## **Saturday 28 September – PARISH PRAYERS, 9am**

We will meet at All Saints' Church. It is a prayer time for everybody across the parish, for All Saints and St. Antony's, led by Katheryn Hewitt.

## **Saturday 28 September - ALL SAINTS GARDENING DAY from**

**9.30am onwards.** Any volunteers are welcome to join us. The main job is to make space for planting spring bulbs. Garden fork, trowel and secateurs would be useful.

*Ann and Michael Turner 020 8657 5224*

## **Sunday 29 September - 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

**8.00am Said Eucharist** [*Additional 8am service as no Communion at 9.30am*]

*Preacher:* Revd Jeremy Groombridge

**9.30am Family Worship - HARVEST Festival Parade Service**

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For our Harvest appeal 2024, we are collecting for the Purley Food Hub. See below, list of items and food most needed.



## **Sunday 29 September - Parish Get-together: Have your say!**

**11.30am – 3pm – sign up by today!**

Planning is well underway for our time together to discuss the key elements of our updated parish profile. It would help us, if you are able, to sign up to let us know you are intending to come, either online via the link sent by Rosanne (on 3 Sept) or, if you prefer, on the sign-up sheet at the back of the church, by Sunday 22nd September, today!

On the day we will aim to start promptly after coffee at 11.30am in the main hall. Please bring your own packed lunch. We will provide beverages, biscuits, and cakes! We are aiming to be finished by around 3pm. Mike and Sue, *Churchwardens*

## **Saturday 5 October – Book & Jigsaw Sale, 10am – 12 noon**

Sanderstead Neighbourhood Care are running Book Sale & Jigsaw Sale in the All Saints' Church Hall. Refreshments will be provided. There will also be a tombola.

*Debbie*

## **Wednesday 9 October – Sharing Faith [Telling your story], 7.30pm**

Croydon South Deanery have organised an Open Meeting at St. John's Church, Coulsdon, 7.30pm to 9.15pm – refreshments, worship & Bible reading, Deanery Synod business and a presentation by Canon Will Cookson, Director of Mission and Dean of Pioneering Ministry & Fresh Expressions.

## **Saturday 9 November - Diocesan Children, Youth & Families**

**Ministry Conference, from 10am** is being held at St John's Waterloo. The theme is "Small changes, Big impact". Introduced by Bishop Christopher, the conference is aimed at giving you and your volunteers ideas and tools and a place to discuss how we can reach children and young people. Tickets are £15 per person (including lunch and refreshments). Group tickets cost £10 per person (4 or more from the same parish). Contact Judith, Sue or Sarah if you're interested in attending so that group tickets can be purchased.

## **THE PARISH NEWS - Church Newsletter resurrected!**

The PCC is delighted that Jackie Worthington and Chris Harman have agreed to resurrect the Parish News. This will likely be produced once every 3 months or so, with the first edition being published at the beginning of November. If you have any articles, events, pictures, poems etc that you would like published, please send to the following email address: [parishnews@sanderstead-parish.org.uk](mailto:parishnews@sanderstead-parish.org.uk) by Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October.

## **Christmas Day Lunch 2024 Co-ordinator – could it be you?**

A co-ordinator is needed to organise Christmas Day Lunch this year for anyone who lives in the Parish of Sanderstead who would otherwise be on their own on Christmas day. Please contact Mike or Sue (the churchwardens), if you are interested in this very worthwhile role. Direction and support can be given.

## **Purley Food Hub September list – for our Harvest Appeal 2024**

Purley Food Hub provides food and other essentials for local people going through times of crisis. Please consider donating any of these Top 10 priority items for our Harvest Appeal 2024. Bring along to church next Sunday (29<sup>th</sup> September), or leave at the back of Church or in the Church Lobby ....

- Cartons of Long Life Full Fat Milk
- Small 500g Packets of Sugar
- Boxes/Packets of Dried Potato



- Tins of Tuna Fish
- Small Bottles of Fruit Squash
- Jars of Peanut Butter and Meat & Fish Paste
- Tinned Dessert Fruit & Rice Pudding
- Packets of Sweet Biscuits
- Bars of Soap
- Toilet Rolls

## **Donations**

We would greatly appreciate your help to continue our work for God in the community in the Parish of Sanderstead. If you can, please consider making a donation. This is our QR code for the Parish of Sanderstead. To donate using this code, open up the camera on a mobile phone - point the camera at the QR code – follow the instructions. 😊 The offertory plate will go round during one of the hymns. There is also the opportunity to donate by card.



## **Safeguarding / 'A Safe Church':**

If you ever have any concerns, contact one of our Parish Safeguarding Officers:

Julie Marsh 8651 2109/ [julie.safeguarding@sanderstead-parish.org.uk](mailto:julie.safeguarding@sanderstead-parish.org.uk) or Katheryn Hewitt 8651 6308/ [katheryn.safeguarding@sanderstead-parish.org.uk](mailto:katheryn.safeguarding@sanderstead-parish.org.uk)