

### Please Pray...

**For opportunities:** To share God's gospel wherever we are. Pray for the effective ministry of Simon Butler (25yrs an ordained priest) in St Mary's Battersea and in his wider church involvement.

**For those in need:** Rev Martin Ferris, URC Minister, who is slowly getting better following an infection; all those coping with declining health, all the bereaved, especially the family and friends of Sheila Lovell.

**For justice in the world:** Pray for the EU's response to the refugee crisis, and for the Croydon Refugee Centre; also those in the UK who are homeless; pray for Brexit negotiations – we need God's clear intervention!

**For our Mission links:** Including Pastor Patrick and the House of Hope's work in Kenya for girls fleeing forced early marriage, and Chris & Alison Hawksbee building up the church in Paraguay.

**For our churches:** The new Sanderstead Team; Churches Together; for outreach to families and children; for Family Fun, Toddlers, Jigsaw, baptisms; for renewed joy in our music and worship.

**For our community:** Limpsfield Road and All Saints' Drive

### Next Week:

**Sunday 15th July 2018**  
**7th Sunday after Trinity**

**8.30am: Holy Communion**

**10.00am: Parish Eucharist**

Preacher: Rev Jeremy Groombridge

Theme: The Holy Spirit

[Amos 7:7-15]

Ephesians 1:3-14

John 14:25-31

**2.30pm Family Fun Games** on The Gruffy

**6.00pm Fresh Encounters** "I AM the Way, the Truth & the Life"

### Please pray for the following:

**Langley Oaks HC:** Tues 17th July, 4pm

**Baptismal Prep Class:** Sat 21st July, 9am

**Church Prayer:** Sat 28th July, 9am

**Standing Committee:** Mon 30th July, 7.45pm

## CHURCH NOTICES

**Tea at The Rectory:** Emma and Martin would like to invite you to tea at The Rectory 53 Glebe Hyrst, on 5 or 19 August at 4:00pm. At the back of the church there are 2 lists, one for each date. Please put your name down for the date you are able to come, to help us with planning, and we look forward to welcoming you. Thank you. *Martin & Emma*

**Parish Office** Please note that the Parish Office will be closed on Monday. *Paul*

**The Mission Boards** will feature the work of Church Mission Society until the end of July. CMS is one of our Mission Partners so please take time to look at the boards by the font. *Rosemary*

**YOUR COMMUNITY NEEDS YOU! Croydon Street / School / Prayer Pastors** Please consider joining in. Visit [www.croydon.streetpastors.org.uk](http://www.croydon.streetpastors.org.uk) for more info.

**Pledge 2019 Action Group** Please consider volunteering to join the Pledge 2019 Action Group to undertake this important piece of work. Anyone with a flair for marketing or writing appeals would be especially welcome. In the past we have accomplished this project with just six sessions of up to one hour. If you feel able to assist with this please let Michael Turner know urgently. Thank you. *Michael*

**The Graveyard** is maintained by some external contractors but we would like to establish a very small team to oversee their activities and identify any work that is required. If you might be interested in helping in this way or if you would like some further information, please have a word with Lynne.

**CALLING ALL BUDDING PHOTOGRAPHERS...!** For our 10am "Taste and See" service on Sun 26th August, I want to display photos taken by YOU that are an aid to worship. Email them to me or the Parish Office by **Sunday 5 August** latest. Marc Smith and Corrie Hibberd can give you help if you need it. *Jeremy*

**Memorial service for Sheila Lovell Friday 13th July at 3.15pm** to celebrate Sheila's life to which all friends and family are warmly invited. This will be followed by a reception in the Church Hall. All welcome.

**Volunteers needed to serve refreshments at the reception; please contact Lynne.** Dress code uplifting & comfortable! Donations to Girls' Rights Funds at [www.mydonate.bt.com/fundraisers/sheilalovellfundraising](http://www.mydonate.bt.com/fundraisers/sheilalovellfundraising) or envelopes available on the day.

**Church Family Fun Picnic and games Sunday 15 July on The Gruffy** Please join us from 2:30pm for an afternoon of games and fun. Please bring a rug or chair to sit on, any games to play with others and any food you wish. Refreshments, cakes and biscuits will be provided. For further information speak to Emma or Judith or call 020 8657 1366. *Emma and Judith*

**Fresh Encounters Sunday 15 July 6pm "I AM the Way, the Truth and the Life"** Come and explore, through Scripture, poetry, music and mediation, the encounter of humanity with God in Jesus. *Penny*

**Bible Week 13-17 August 3pm and 8pm** The themes will be 'The Lord is One': Knowing the one true God and The names of Jesus. *Martin*

**Summer in Sanderstead 21-23 August 10.30am—3.30pm** Holiday at home for older people. Cost £6 per day to include coffee, lunch and tea. Different activities and entertainment every day. *Piers & Linda*

**Children's Holiday Club 28-30 August 10am—12.30pm** Holiday Club for children aged 5-11. The theme will be 'Mission Rescue' and we explore God's amazing rescue plan for us. **We need resources!** Any old sunglasses, hats or wigs, clean sheets (single or larger), and computer peripherals e.g. mouse, keyboards will all be useful. There is a blue box in the church hall foyer where you can leave items for use at the Holiday Club. Any items you want returned, please give to Emma, Judith or Sue. *Thank you.*

**ADVENTure in December 2018 will be running** Mike & Anne Fixter will be leading it, and further details are available in the July newsletter and at the back of the church. Remember - "There's room for everyone in the ADVENTure Ark!" Please try and join us on the ADVENTure! *Mike & Anne*

**Holy Communion:** Regular communicants, including children, are welcome to receive the sacrament with us here. Gluten-free wafers are available on request.

**Children during the 10am service:** A children's area for pre-school is available with toys and books on the far left in St. Catherine's Aisle.

**Pastoral Care:** If you'd like a chat with Canon Martin, call 8657 1366 or email [rector@sanderstead-parish.org.uk](mailto:rector@sanderstead-parish.org.uk)

**Prayer Chain:** To put a confidential message on the chain call Penny 8657 1176 or Arnold 8657 4695.

**Safeguarding / 'A Safe Church':** If you ever have any concern, you should speak with one of the clergy or with Margaret Quiney, our Safeguarding Officer 8657 4087.

**Health & Safety:** Please ensure that you know the location of your nearest fire exit.

**Sermons at All Saints are often recorded**, so if you missed a Sunday or want to hear a message again, you can find sermons to listen to on our website- [www.sanderstead-parish.org.uk/talks](http://www.sanderstead-parish.org.uk/talks)

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#### Psalm 48

1 Great is the Lord, and most worthy of praise,  
in the city of our God, his holy mountain.

2 **Beautiful in its loftiness,  
the joy of the whole earth,  
like the heights of Zaphon is Mount Zion,  
the city of the Great King.**

3 God is in her citadels;  
he has shown himself to be her fortress.

4 **When the kings joined forces,  
when they advanced together,**

5 they saw her and were astounded;  
they fled in terror.

6 **Trembling seized them there,  
pain like that of a woman in labour.**

7 You destroyed them like ships of Tarshish  
shattered by an east wind.

8 **As we have heard, so we have seen in the city  
of the Lord Almighty, in the city of our God:  
God makes her secure forever.**

9 Within your temple, O God,  
we meditate on your unending love.

10 **Like your name, O God,  
your praise reaches to the ends of the earth;  
your right hand is filled with righteousness.**

11 Mount Zion rejoices, the villages of Judah are glad  
because of your judgments.

12 **Walk about Zion, go around her, count her  
towers,**

13 consider well her ramparts, view her citadels,  
that you may tell of them to the next generation.

14 **For this God is our God for ever and ever;  
he will be our guide even to the end. Amen**



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Committed to GROW:  
in Discipleship, Service & Numbers*

**This week:**

**Sunday 8th July 2018  
6th Sunday after Trinity**

**8.30am: Holy Communion**  
**10.00am: Parish Praise with baptism of  
Marlowe Tonkin and Theodore  
Hunter**

Preacher: Rev Jeremy Groombridge  
Theme: Lost and found!

Ezekiel 2:1-5 8.30am only (Bible page: 831)  
2 Corinthians 12:2-10 (Bible page: 1165)  
Luke 15:1-10 (Bible page: 1048)

**Collect for 6th Sunday after Trinity**

Merciful God,  
you have prepared for those who love you  
such good things  
as pass our understanding.  
Pour into our hearts such love towards you  
that we, loving you above all things,  
may obtain your promises  
which exceed all that we can desire,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen**