



Parish of St Matthew, Surbiton

In the Tolworth Hook & Surbiton Team Ministry

30th June 2024

Fifth Sunday after Trinity School Welcome Sunday

Today's readings 2 Corinthians 8:7-24 & Mark 5:21-43

Theme : "Giving- part 3"



Our 10.45 service is live-streamed on our [YouTube Channel](#) so your image may be visible on the stream. By attending onsite you are presumed to have consented to our Location Warning Notice which can be found in church or on our website.

9.00am Holy Communion

Hymns : MP 564 ,MP700 , MP 683 (omit v2), MP457.

10.45am Worship Together for all ages and stages led Inspire House Group

At the 9am service, the choir will sing the anthem "We cannot measure how you heal" arr. by Malcolm Archer and the organ voluntary will be Chorale Prelude "Praise the Lord, O my soul"- Karg – Elert.

Collect

Almighty God,
send down upon your Church
the riches of your Spirit,
and kindle in all who minister the gospel
your countless gifts of grace;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Give thanks for answered prayer and please pray for: Carolyn and William, THiS Team Ministry, The candidate for the post of Rector. Pray for St Paul's as they continue their search for a Vicar to fill their vacancy. For Mary Carter, Julie Martin and her family, Pat Norrish in hospital after a fall, Norma Yates, Dave Hill, Alex and family at St. Paul's. Keith and Lauren Hudson moving to the U.S.A.

Diary for the Week - additional pages of notice sheet, if required, are on the church website at www.stmatthewskt6.org

Monday	1st	10.00am Brunch Bunch Study Group: Sitzler Room
Thursday	4th	General Election- Church is closed from 7.00 am-10.00pm as It is being used as a Polling Station ALL DAY
Friday	5th	6.30 pm Choir Practice: Sitzler Room
Sunday	7 th	<u>Sixth Sunday after Trinity</u> 9.00 am Holy Communion 10.45 am Worship Together for all ages and stages

Children's Groups, can you help please? We are requesting cover for the Childrens' Groups over the summer so that we can give our regular leaders a break. We have some volunteers but **need four more**, it usually involves a bible story and little bit of craft or games and closes with a short prayer. Could anyone prepared to help please speak to Jackie.

Wheelchair Needed - We are looking for a wheelchair for Miles Stewart-William's father who has now gone into care and needs one urgently with a restraining belt. If you can help please contact Nigel Palmer.

St. Matthews Cof E Primary School Governor vacancy. The PCC are seeking to appoint a School Governor for our welcoming, inspiring church school. If you are interested and would like to know more please contact current governors Jessica Johnson email: jessicajohnson852@btinternet.com or phone: 07960313559 or Pauline Keane paulinekeane@btinternet.com We look forward to hearing from you.

GENEROSITY IN GIVING - RED ENVELOPE - If you have received a red envelope with a gift from St. Matthew's church inside, please remember to complete the pledge form, put it back in the red envelope and post it in the large red box at the back of church. On behalf of the church PCC. Thank you.

Encore Choir - As you may be aware the Encore Choir practices in our church on Monday mornings. Their free Summer Concert, that was so well attended and supported last year, is returning to the Church on **Monday 8th July 7pm**, with refreshments afterwards. Everyone welcome.

Prayer Corner: As well as sharing your prayer requests with the congregation during "7 Whole Days", please feel free to use our prayer corner in the North Transept before and after services for quiet reflection, and to display any prayer requests on the prayer board so others can join you in praying for them.



Eco Tips- Relax: make a bug hotel by tying short hollow stems of e.g. bamboo into a bundle and hanging from a fence or tree. Sit back and listen to the buzz!

"Sing at St Matthew's" - Directed by Jason Edge. If you are someone who loves to sing (but welcomes flexibility) come and join us for 120 minutes of pure singing joy, on the third Saturday morning of each month between 9.45am -12.15am. With "Sing at St Matthew's" there is absolutely no commitment or subscription (come and go when you please). There is no audition, you do not need to read music, but, of course, it helps, and there is no obligation to participate in any performances that "Sing at Matthew's" are invited to perform. We will also be previewing forthcoming music that St Matthew's Church Choir will be singing in various services throughout the year. If we rehearse something you enjoy, you will be welcome to sing as part of the official choir for the service that features your favourite! The next dates are:

Saturday July 20th 9:45am-12:15pm, (August - break),

Saturday 21st September (Concert Day), Rehearsal (Come-and-Sing style) 2:30-5pm Concert 7pm.

Do come along and tell your friends, the more the merrier. See poster at the back of Church and for more information email: jason.a.edge@gmail.com

Faith Talks - the next one is on Wednesday, 11th September, 6:30pm at All Saints Church.

The topic is "The Economy- How do we build an economy that works for us all?"

Speaker : Bishop Peter Selby.

Confirmation -The next confirmation service in the Kingston Deanery is planned for early autumn (exact date TBC). If you are interested in being confirmed, please contact Carolyn Lucas on carolynlucas@gmail.com

Kingston Foodbank- The box for food etc. donations is available at the **BACK OF CHURCH**. They would also appreciate any money donations via their website: <https://kingston.foodbank.org.uk/>

KCAH- To donate please visit: <https://www.kcah.org.uk/can-you-help-us/donate-money/>

Church Notices- If you have any notices for the next weekly sheet, please contact Jennie or Jeff Akerman on jakerman28@btinternet.com or 8399 2549 or mob. 07519 514194, **by Thursday please.**

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Parish Office no. 020 8390 5121. Our Parish Administrator, Steve Blevins is working the usual hours Mon, Tues and Thurs 9am -1pm. During the Vacancy, if you need to speak to a member of the clergy, please contact either Rev Carolyn Lucas on 07933 022516 or carolynlucas@gmail.com or Rev William Allberry on 07818 641576 or wallberry49@gmail.com

