

PEW'S NEWS

Church of St Matthew, Croydon

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Services

Sundays at 8.30am we have a said service of Holy Communion. The 10am service is Holy Communion with singing led by the choir. Mid-week Communion Services on Wednesdays at 10.00am. 10am Sunday services are live streamed and can be viewed on our YouTube channel.

Young Church

Sundays at 10am except on special occasions.

Gallery Group

11-12am Wednesdays in the Lady Chapel. Prayer, bible study and book discussion, coffee and a chat.

Morning Prayer

Morning Prayer is said on Mondays and Wednesdays at 9am in the Lady Chapel. Zoom Morning Prayer is on Tuesdays at 9am. See Weekly Link or website for log in details.

Church Open

The church is open Tuesday mornings from 9am to 12pm for prayer or contemplation.

Prayer Focus



As government restrictions on Chinese Christians increase, and their access to the Scriptures becomes increasingly difficult, pray that the Holy Spirit will be at work amongst them, teaching them all things and reminding them of everything that Jesus has said to us (John 14:26). Praise God that when the Chinese church was cut off from outside links in 1949 for many decades, it did not die but grew while enduring persecution. Pray that our Lord will continue to build His church in China.

This week we are praying for the residents of:

Alden Court

Red Court

Peony Court

Reading for 13th March - 2nd Sunday of Lent

Genesis 15.1-12, 17-18

Galatians 3. 15- 29

Luke 13.31-end

Parish Church of St Matthew



Flowers for Easter

If you would like to donate to the Flowers for Easter please place your donation in the envelope and hand to either Lesley Mead or Terry Mitchell.

You can also place the envelope in the Vicar's Mailbox.



You can even donate by scanning the QR Code.



Diary Dates

Easter Dates

See poster opposite for dates

Music Festival

23rd to 30th April 22 -
Details to follow

Persecuted Church Prayer Meeting

17th March at 7.30pm -
The Vicarage

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Easter at St Matthew's

Palm Sunday 10 th April	8.30am	Said Eucharist
	10am	Sung Eucharist
Monday 11 th April	8pm	The Stations of the Cross
Tuesday 12 th April	8pm	Eucharist with Reflection
Wednesday 13 th April	8pm	Taizé Service
Maundy Thursday 14 th April	8pm	Eucharist with Foot Washing
Good Friday 15 th April	12 to 1pm	Church Open for Quiet Reflection
	1 to 2pm	Meditation
	2 to 3pm	The Last Hour
Easter Day 17 th April	8.30am	Said Eucharist
	10am	Sung Eucharist

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