

# 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 steamed 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**



Globally there are estimated to be more than 82 million refugees and internally displaced persons, among whom are many Christians. In the early weeks of the conflict in Ukraine at least 3.5 million people sought sanctuary in neighbouring countries. Christians have been forced to flee their homes by Islamic attacks in Nigeria, the Taliban takeover in Afghanistan, oppression by the Myanmar military government and land disputes in various countries where they are driven out by followers of the majority religion. Pray that God's children will experience His peace amid the trauma of displacement.

# This week we are praying for the residents of:

Green Acres / Guinness Court / Hanover Buildings

# Reading for 26th June -Second Sunday after Trinity

2 Kings 2: 1-2, 6-14 / Galatians 5:13-25 / Luke 9: 51-62

## Renew 121

Every Monday from 2.00 to 4.00pm our hall becomes a community space for a variety of hobbies and activities. These are run by the community for the community. Anyone is welcome to share a hobby or skill and anyone is welcome to join a workshop or activity. They are all free. Or you can come and relax and chat, or enjoy the peace in our quiet area. See posters for more details.

# **Diary Dates**

# **Festal Choral Evensong** 3rd July at 6pm

# **Roof Fundraising Meeting**

4th July at 7.30pm

# **Comms Team Meeting**

6th July at 7.30pm

## Picnic & Games at Lloyd Park

9th July at 1pm

### **Confirmation Service**

10th July at 6pm

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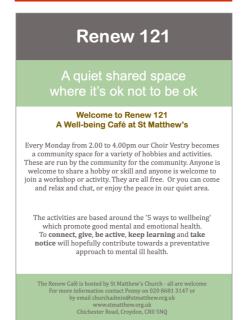














#### **Contact Us**

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