



PEW'S NEWS

Church of St Matthew, Croydon

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Services

Sundays at 8.30am - said service of Holy Communion
Sundays at 10am service of Holy Communion with singing led by the choir (live-streamed and on YouTube). Mid-week Communion Service on Wednesdays at 10.00am.

Young Church

Sundays at 10am except the 2nd Sunday of each month which is an Altogether Now Service.

Morning Prayer

Morning Prayer on Mondays & Wednesdays at 9am in the Lady Chapel. Zoom Morning Prayer - Tuesdays at 9am. Log in details: 524 546 0709 Password: stmatts

Messy Church

2024 Dates: 14/10, 11/11, 9/12. 3.30 to 5pm

Toddler Group

Thursdays 8.30/9am to 10.30am

Renew 121

Every Monday - 2-4pm

Coffee Mornings

2nd & 4th Sats. 10.30 to 12

Prayer Focus



Pray for the families of more than 80 people who were killed by suspected Islamist terrorists in a wave of attacks in Christian-majority North Kivu province of the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC), between 31 May and 9 June. According to survivors, many were killed while trying to flee from the militants, who were armed with guns and machetes. Ask the Lord to protect His people in DRC from further attacks, and to comfort those who were affected by this violence.

This week we are praying for the residents of:

Arthur Court / Cedar View /
Wilhelmina House / Sudbury Gardens

Readings for 6th October - Harvest Festival

Genesis 2.18-24 /
Hebrews 1.1-4; 2.5-12 / Mark 10.2-16

Diary Dates

October Breakfasts

In-between Sunday services

Pet Blessing Service

13th October at 10am

Choral Evensong

13th October at 6pm

Messy Church

14th October at 3.30pm

Quiz Night

19th October at 7pm

Hidden Voices

12th October at 2pm

Reflective Prayer Service

20th October at 7pm

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Dear St Matthew's family

October is here already, I found that September went by so quickly! This Sunday 6th October is our harvest service where we give thanks for God's goodness and for what we have. We will be collecting donations for Nightwatch in Croydon, this will include both non perishable donations and money. Thank you for what you are able to give.

Then the week after on the 13th October we have our pet blessing in the 10am service.

Do also remember that during October between the two services we will be hosting breakfasts and you are warmly invited to these.

May you know God's blessing in this season of Creation and may we as a church community be a blessing to those around us.

Rev Ruth

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