



# 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

## Toddler Group

Thursdays 8.30 to 10.30am

## Renew 121

Mondays 2-4pm

## Coffee Mornings

2nd & 4th Sats. 10.30 to 12

## Gallery Group

Wednesdays 11am - 12pm

## Prayer Focus



Christians in the Buddhist-majority South Asian nation of Bhutan are not allowed to meet publicly for worship. Churches are not officially recognised by the government - they cannot own property or conduct outreach activities - and evangelism is illegal. Despite this, Christians can usually worship in private without fear of being arrested by the authorities or attacked by extremists. Ask that the Lord will continue to be an everpresent help (Psalm 46:1) to His people in Bhutan.

## This week we are praying for the residents of:

Alden Court / Red Court / Peony Court

## Readings for 19th January - Second Sunday of Epiphany

Isaiah 62.1-5 / 1 Corinthians 12.1-11 / John 2.1-11

## Diary Dates

### Women of the Nativity

Reflection & Prayer after the 10am service until Candlemas

### Reflective Prayer Service

19th January at 7pm

### Renew 121

20th January at 2pm

### Winter Engagement Event

22nd January at 12-2.45pm

### Toddler Group

23rd January at 8.30am

### Australia Talk

8th February at 2.30pm

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# REFLECTIVE PRAYER SERVICE

Every third Sunday of the month:

Refreshments at 7pm  
Service at 7.30pm

19TH JANUARY  
16TH FEBRUARY  
16TH MARCH

18TH MAY  
15TH JUNE



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