

Parishes' News Sheet for ...

St Nicholas' Charlwood & Emmanuel Sidlow Bridge

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31st July 2022 – 7th Sunday after Trinity

11.00am Venture Week Service at St Nicholas'

11am Sung Eucharist at Emmanuel

6pm Evening Prayer by telephone

Details for **Prayer By Telephone**

Telephone No: 0333 0160 300
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PRAYER BOX – PLEASE PRAY FOR

Ukraine and its people. We pray for peace and the freedom for all to live in a peaceful environment.

Those who live in Horley Road.

Chaplaincy Team at East Surrey. Those who organise Tea and Chat and Coffee and Chat, and those who might like to come but are unsure.

The sick, isolated and troubled and those who care for them, especially Pat Hucker, Jim Butt, Julie King, Pam and Dave Parsons, and Kay Riley.

Those we have loved but see no more, those who have recently died and all those that mourn for them.

LATEST UPDATE

We are now in the part of the Church calendar known as ordinary time. The vestments and altar frontal are green for this is a time of growth. This season lasts until the end of the year with the new year beginning on Advent Sunday. So now we are to focus on the Bible/the Gospel with time to study and think and pray about our faith and grow in our relationship with God. Mary Gooding.

WEDNESDAY 27th July - Just to remind everyone about **Coffee and Chat** at **Emmanuel on Wednesday 27th July**. Drop in anytime between **11-12** for a cuppa and chat – you will be most welcome.

HORLEY FOOD BANK reminder that we have a collection point by the desk as you enter St. Nicholas' for Horley Food Bank. All donations, however small, would be appreciated by those less fortunate than ourselves

SAVE THE DATE – 30TH SEPTEMBER Charlwood Parish Hall. Farnham Maltings will be performing their latest production “Syrian Baker”. More information to follow.

Tea and Chat: is the 2nd Tuesday of each month **9th August, at 2pm** in the **Parish Hall Charlwood**. Everyone welcome. Please join us. As always a lovely tea is provided with the opportunity to sit and chat with friends old and new.

Coffee & Tea available every Sunday in Church **following the 9.30am** service at **St Nicholas'**. Do come and join us. **All welcome**

FRIDAY GROUP – Friday Group is a great opportunity to meet and make new friends and have a fun afternoon. It is held on the second Friday of each month at 2.15 and usually in Charlwood Parish Hall. A speaker or other activity is provided followed by afternoon tea and a raffle. Both men and women are welcome. In August our meeting will be on the 19th August (not 2nd Friday) at Sue Bloom's house, 35 The Street where we will meet up for tea in her garden. If you would like to join us as a guest you would be most welcome. For more information please contact Sue Bloom on 07702 023391 or Fran Hampshire on 07843 425579. Sue Bloom

The **Prayer and Study group** have agreed to take a break during **August**. There will be no Thursday Share, Care and Prayer, no Letter and no Notes. We are back on **Thursday, 1 September!**

Read and download The Bridge
southwark.anglican.org/thebridge

Evening Service on the phone.

It is with some sadness that I write this message. We are now coming to the end of our evening prayer service on the phone. It has been very special to worship together week by week to share a quiet and reflective time, to pray together, to be members of the family of Christ.

Our services on the phone were started in the pandemic as a way to meet together with prayer and praise to listen and learn. We have, however, come to the point when for many reasons we feel it is time to finish. Both Paul and I as well as Sue before us have enjoyed the privilege of being with you each week, it has been very special. We hope that you also have benefited and enjoyed our worship.

There will be one more service of evening prayer on July 31st, we hope you can join us, so for the time being at least the evening prayer service will end. Just to let you know that there are many other services available on the internet and phone including morning prayer from Southwark Cathedral.

Best wishes and God Bless. Mary Gooding

Evening Prayer by Telephone

Please see phone numbers in box above (page 1). You can use any mobile phone or normal land line to phone in. Phone the telephone number and you will then be asked to dial in the other numbers shown above. If you arrive

at 'back ground' music, it means you are the first one there so please just hang on. If it is quiet, then we are just waiting to start so please just hang on. Mary or I will begin the Service at about 6.00pm. The Service lasts around 20 minutes. Telephone charges will be at the local rate, depending on your contract. If you would like a Service Sheet please let me know. It would be lovely if you could join us. Paul Weakley.

READINGS

31/07/22

Seventh Sunday after Trinity

Collect Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Post Communion Prayer Lord God, whose Son is the true vine and the source of life, ever giving himself that the world may live: may we so receive within ourselves the power of his death and passion that, in his saving cup, we may share his glory and be made perfect in his love; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

First Reading - Colossians 3.1-11 | 1 If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. 2Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, 3 for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. 4When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory. 5Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). 6On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. 7These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. 8But now you must get rid of all such things – anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. 9Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices 10and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. 11In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

Gospel - Luke 12.13-21 | 13Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, ‘Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me.’ 14But he said to him, ‘Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?’ 15And he said to the crowd, ‘Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one’s life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.’ 16Then he told them a parable: ‘The land of a rich man produced abundantly. 17And

he thought to himself, “What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?” 18Then he said, “I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. 19And I will say to my soul, ‘Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.’” 20But God said to him, “You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?” 21So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich towards God.’

Just to remind us that our responsibilities to the nearly 90 million displaced people in the world, over a third of whom are children. The Bible calls us to walk alongside those who are displaced, extending Jesus’ generosity and love as we recognise the image of God in our ‘neighbours’. Please pray for all these people.

A PRAYER

Love bringing Home-making God, May the shelter of your presence bring hope and healing to all those who have been uprooted and stranded in unfamiliar lands, because of the brokenness of this world. Amen

This was a prayer that I recently read written by Martyn Payne a volunteer prayer advocate for BRF and I wanted to share it with you all. Carol Clark, Emmanuel Church.

Marion Dallison

Again, can I remind readers that I would like to receive any greeting cards and old birthday cards etc (landscapes, flowers, butterflies, birds) to cut and convert into attractive cards for our persecuted Christian brothers and sisters in other lands, to bless and uplift them.

On each card I say they are loved and not forgotten, a word of encouragement that Jesus is their strength, helper and comforter. I also add a printed Bible verse and a prayer. Concluding With all my love in Jesus.

I make and send 30 cards each week so I greatly appreciate receiving cards etc to recycle or any unwanted flower books.

And Finally

Please contact me if you know someone who does not receive the News Sheet and would like to. Please forward their email address to me as below.

If you would like anything included in a future News Sheet please email me details to wingspeeksbrook@aol.com ***Fran***

Services

Sunday 31 st July 7 th Sunday after Trinity	11.00am Venture Week Service at St. Nicholas' 11.00am Sung Eucharist at Emmanuel 6pm Evening Prayer by telephone
Sunday 7 th August 8 th Sunday after Trinity	9.30am Family Service at St. Nicholas' 11.00am Sung Eucharist at Emmanuel
Sunday 14 th August 9 th Sunday after Trinity	9.30am Parish Communion at St. Nicholas' 11.00am Sung Matins at Emmanuel
Sunday 21 st August 10 th Sunday after Trinity	9.30am Sung Matins at St. Nicholas' 11.00am Sung Eucharist at Emmanuel
Sunday 28 th August 11 th Sunday after Trinity	9.30am Parish Communion at St. Nicholas' 11.00am Sung Eucharist at Emmanuel
Sunday 4 th September 12 th Sunday after Trinity	9.30am Family Service at St. Nicholas' 11.00m Sung Eucharist at Emmanuel