

### A reading from the second letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

As we work together with Christ, we urge you also not to accept the grace of God in vain. For he says, 'At an acceptable time I have listened to you, and on a day of salvation I have helped you.' See, now is the acceptable time; see, now is the day of salvation! We are putting no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, but as servants of God we have commended ourselves in every way: through great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, beatings, imprisonments, riots, labours, sleepless nights, hunger; by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, holiness of spirit, genuine love, truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; in honour and dishonour, in ill repute and good repute. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; as unknown, and yet are well known; as dying, and see – we are alive; as punished, and yet not killed; as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing everything. We have spoken frankly to you Corinthians; our heart is wide open to you. There is no restriction in our affections, but only in yours. In return – I speak as to children – open wide your hearts also.

*2 Corinthians 6.1-13*

### Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

When evening had come, Jesus said to his disciples, 'Let us go across to the other side.' And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. A great gale arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, 'Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?' He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, 'Peace! Be still!' Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. He said to them, 'Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?' And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, 'Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?'

*Mark 4.35-41*



CHRIST CHURCH, WEST WIMBLEDON

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**SUNDAY 20 JUNE 2021**  
**Third Sunday after Trinity**



#### Collect

God our saviour, look on this wounded world in pity and in power; hold us fast to your promises of peace won for us by your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

**Amen.**

#### Post Communion

O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining and whose power we cannot comprehend: show us your glory as far as we can grasp it, and shield us from knowing more than we can bear until we may look upon you without fear; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. **Amen.**

#### SUNDAY 20 JUNE 2021

8am Holy Communion (BCP)  
10am Parish Eucharist

#### READINGS

2 Corinthians 6.1-13; Mark 4.35-41

#### Green Prayer

God of truth and love,  
give us the wisdom  
to know what is right,  
the strength to do it  
and the courage to declare it,  
for the sake of Jesus Christ,  
our Lord and Saviour.

**Amen.**

#### EVERY WEDNESDAY MORNING

10am-12 noon Church open  
for quiet prayer - all welcome

#### SUNDAY 20 JUNE 2021

6.30pm Evening Prayer

#### READINGS

Jeremiah 10.1-16; Romans 11.25-36

Psalms 49

## FOR OUR PRAYERS

**Those who are ill or in need:** Michael Green;  
Jenny Smith; Sheila Dickens;

**Those who have died:** Judith Sanson;

**Those whose anniversary of death falls at this time:** Dorothy Roberts (2000);

**Link Parish** of St Francis of Assisi, Barham Green, Zimbabwe

### THIS WEEK

**Wednesday 23 June—10 till 12 Church open**

**SUNDAY 27 JUNE 2021**

#### TRINITY 4

**8am Holy Communion (BCP)**

**10am Parish Eucharist**

*led by Archdeacon of Lambeth whom we welcome*

**6.30pm Said Evening Prayer (BCP)**



**JUDITH SANSON** died peacefully last Sunday at her home in Letchworth. The funeral will take place in Hertfordshire and it is hoped will be live streamed – details to come. In the meantime, we give thanks for Judith's life and pray for Stewart and his family at this sad time.

**THE LIFTING OF RESTRICTIONS** has been delayed a month as you all know! Please continue to wear face coverings and to social distance when in church. Try and move outside for conversations with others. There is currently a cap of 6 singers permitted in an amateur choir and we are grateful to Tom and the choir for their singing during Communion. Roll on July 19!

**ZOOMING THE 10AM SERVICE:** thanks to the work of those who operate zoom, we will continue to broadcast our 10am service, finishing on Sunday July 25.

**ONLINE GIVING:** There is a web link which has now been inserted onto the website and where you can make payments. The link connects you to the SumUp giving system which is the same as the contactless collection method in church. For donations over £3,000 please use a bank transfer as indicated below. There is a retained commission of 2% on donations via SumUp. We have also been given a QR code below:



**FINANCES AT CHRIST CHURCH** – Thank you to those of you who contribute financially to the life of Christ Church. If you wish to contribute via your bank, the details of our CAF bank account, in the name of **The PCC of Christ Church, West Wimbledon**, are **Sort code: 40-52-40** and **Account number: 00029176**. Please can you put your name in the reference. Cheques can also be made payable to **The PCC of Christ Church West Wimbledon and sent to Christ Church West Wimbledon, 2, Cottenham Park Road, West Wimbledon, London SW20 0RZ**. Please **note** you must put in the full name of the account if you are setting up an online payment with your bank: **The PCC of Christ Church West Wimbledon**

**CHURCHES COUNT ON NATURE:** Thank you to all the Junior Church and Stepping Up Church children, parents and leaders who helped with this national survey of species in church grounds and burial grounds. We had fun counting plants, insects and birds and submitted 51 species to the website. We also measured some of the trees in the gardens to estimate height and age. The horse chestnut tree is about 160 years old (as old as the church!) The Sycamore trees are 27 and 40 years old and 17 and 26 metres tall respectively. Well done everyone! Michael adds: Many thanks to Lucy (with Ian's assistance) for organising such a great event.

**CREATIONTIDE DISPLAY 2021 - Local and UK nature & landscapes: What has God's Creation meant to you in a year of lockdowns?** Once again, we will celebrate Creationtide at Christ Church with a display of pictures, photographs, paintings and objects from church members. Please start collecting, photographing and creating now for this year's display.

Contributions for the display will be collected at church from July and by Sunday 29 August at the latest. If it's difficult for you to print photos, you can email them to Lucy Christie direct or via the parish office.

**MUSIC TEACHER:** A member of the choir, Sarah Voigt, is offering Piano, Violin or Theory of Music lessons. She has taught for 25 years and is an experienced performer. Please contact Sarah on 07946 539 199 or 0208 947 3455.

**ACCOMMODATION WANTED:** The new Chaplain at King's College School will be taking up her post in January 2022 and is looking for a bedroom close to school for three nights a week. If any members of the congregation are able to help, they would be gaining a mature, considerate and delightful part time tenant. Any replies to the present chaplain, Joan, on 0208 255 5305 or speak to Michael.

**MyRaynesPark FESTIVAL 24 to 27 June.** Full details on their website [www.myraynespark.co.uk](http://www.myraynespark.co.uk). Events include outdoor painting class in Holland Park (26<sup>th</sup>), live music in The Cavern (27<sup>th</sup>) and online quiz (25<sup>th</sup>).

### FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES:

**JOHN BARRETT**—there will be a Memorial Service for John to be held at Christ Church on **MONDAY 2 AUGUST 2021 at 11.30am**, followed by a cup of tea and biscuit/cake in the Hall. If you intend to be present, please can you sign the list on the table at the back of the Church so that the family know how many orders of service to print and how much tea to make! There will be a retiring collection to support the work of the Wimbledon Branch of the National Trust which John helped to found. All will be welcome.

**DEDICATION OF THE NEW CHURCH GARDEN** will take place at the end of the 10am service on **SUNDAY 5 SEPTEMBER 2021** followed by refreshments.

**CHANGING OUR PLANET:** Christian & Local Action. **6 -8pm SATURDAY 9 OCTOBER 2021:** A speaker evening in the run up to COP26 with Q&A session organised by the Eco Church Group at Christ Church. We're planning for an in-person event but it will be virtual or a combination event if there are restrictions. Please see the flyer for more details.