

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews.

Every priest stands day after day at his service, offering again and again the same sacrifices that can never take away sins. But when Christ had offered for all time a single sacrifice for sins, 'he sat down at the right hand of God,' and since then has been waiting 'until his enemies would be made a footstool for his feet.' For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are sanctified.

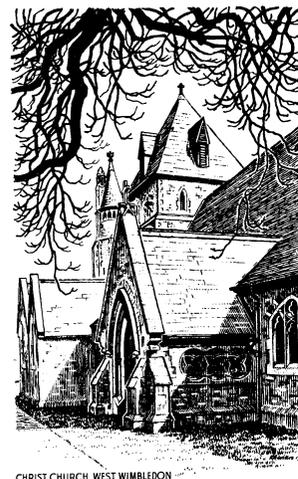
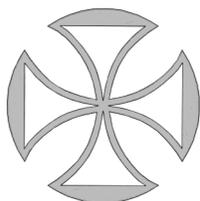
Therefore, my friends, since we have confidence to enter the sanctuary by the blood of Jesus, by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain (that is, through his flesh), and since we have a great priest over the house of God, let us approach with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. Let us hold fast to the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who has promised is faithful. And let us consider how to provoke one another to love and good deeds, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

Hebrews 10.11-14, 19-25

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

As Jesus came out of the temple, one of his disciples said to him, 'Look, Teacher, what large stones and what large buildings!' Then Jesus asked him, 'Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone will be left here upon another; all will be thrown down.' When he was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John, and Andrew asked him privately, 'Tell us, when will this be, and what will be the sign that all these things are about to be accomplished?' Then Jesus began to say to them, 'Beware that no one leads you astray. Many will come in my name and say, "I am he!" and they will lead many astray. When you hear of wars and rumours of wars, do not be alarmed; this must take place, but the end is still to come. For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birth pangs.'

Mark 13.1-8



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SUNDAY 14 NOVEMBER 2021

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY



Collect

Almighty and eternal God,
from whose love we cannot be parted hear
us as we remember those
who have died in war,
torn from their loved ones and friends.
By your grace heal the nations
and bring into your kingdom
people of every race and country
to live at peace through Christ,
in whom all people on earth are united
with you and the Holy Spirit,
now and for ever. **Amen.**

Post Communion

Gracious Lord, in this holy sacrament
you give substance to our hope:
bring us at the last to that fullness of life
for which we long;
through Jesus Christ our Saviour. **Amen.**

SUNDAY 14 NOVEMBER 2021

8am Holy Communion (BCP)

10am Parish Eucharist with Junior Church

READINGS

Hebrews 10.11-14, 19-25; Mark 13.1-8

HYMNS

19, 61, 634, 483

Green Prayer

Lord, we pray for a vision of your world
as your love would make it:
A world where the weak are protected
and none go hungry or poor;
A world where the benefits of life
are fairly shared; A world where nations,
races, cultures and religions
live with mutual respect;
A world where peace is built with justice,
and justice is guided by love,
and that we may have the courage and
inspiration to play our part in building it.
Amen.

EVERY WEDNESDAY MORNING

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

SUNDAY 14 NOVEMBER 2021

11am Act of Remembrance
6.30pm Our Annual Service of
Remembering with Thankfulness

HYMNS

129, 636, 624, 2.

FOR OUR PRAYERS

Those who are ill or in need: Simon; Michael Green; Nick Coke; Simon Kimber; Rita Allen;

Those who have died: Miles Eden-Smith; Tony Stokes.

Those whose anniversary of death falls at this time: Harry Watson (2019); Jeremy Metters (2020)

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

THIS WEEK

Monday 15 November:

3.15pm Memorial Service for Tony Stokes

8pm Social Committee meeting

Tuesday 16 November:

8.00pm PCC Meeting on Zoom

Wednesday 17 November:

10 till 12 Quiet Prayer—Church open

Thursday 18 November:

6pm King's College School Confirmation Service

Friday 19 November:

7.45pm KFH in the Hall

SUNDAY 21 NOVEMBER: CHRIST the KING

8am Holy Communion (BCP)

10am Parish Eucharist with Baptism of Joshua

6.30pm BCP Evensong

OUR REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY WREATH OF POPPIES has been kindly donated by Frederick Paine Funeral Directors in Raynes Park, with thanks to Lin.

OUR ANNUAL SERVICE OF REMEMBERING takes place **TONIGHT—SUNDAY 14 NOVEMBER at 6.30pm**. All are warmly welcome.

COMMUNAL CHRISTMAS CARD—An ECO IDEA. There'll be a giant card displayed at the back of church from 28th November. You can write your Christmas message to everyone in the church. If you like, the money saved on cards can be donated to a charity you're supporting this Christmas. Obviously you can still decide to send individual cards if you wish but this is just one simple idea to be kind to the planet and still be friendly to your friends in the congregation!

THE BRIDGE, which is the Diocesan monthly paper, is now available to read and download from southwark.anglican.org/thebridge

SYRIAN REFUGEE PROJECT You will recall that prior to lockdown the parish made a commitment to accommodate a refugee family as part of the government scheme. The Steering Group met recently and unanimously decided to revisit the project. Many parishioners kindly made generous financial pledges. We're contacting those people to check out whether they are still in a position to make the commitment. (If you did not pledge then, but would now wish to do so, please email Chris Larkman chrislarkman@gmail.com.) We are currently cautiously optimistic that we may have identified a potential property to accommodate our family. We will keep you updated. Chris Larkman.

QUIET DAY FOR ADVENT SATURDAY 20 NOVEMBER, 10.30 am to 3.30 pm at ST MATTHEWS, DURHAM ROAD, WIMBLEDON (registration 10 am), arranged by the Merton Spiritual Formation Group. Speaker Dr. Raewynne Whiteley. Everyone warmly welcomed. Free tickets available at the Eventbrite weblink: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/when-the-world-goes-wrong-reclaiming-the-power-of-lament-and-hope-tickets169251069505>. Donations welcome on the day. See poster for further details.

A CALL FOR NEW CHURCH CLEANERS: Could you consider sparing 1 to 1 1/2 hours every 4 weeks to join the Church cleaning teams? Tasks include dusting, vacuuming, cleaning the glass and the brass. Teams usually clean on a Monday or Saturday morning, but this could differ. Please speak to Liz Errington or send her an email via cparishoffice@yahoo.co.uk.

OUR ADVENT FAIR will take place on **Sunday 28th November** after Church. We are planning to have a home produce stall, tombola, and a Christmas Present Stall. We would be very grateful for donations of anything that is good enough to be given as a Christmas Present for our new stall – please nothing second hand. Also, home baked produce and any spare bottles of hooch that you might have sitting around. There will also be a KFH stall, plant stall, children's corner, and a raffle. Raffle prizes will be very gratefully received. There will also be hot spiced apple cider and sausage rolls, with Christmas music playing in the background. A very Advent event!

THE TRADCRAFT STALL stall is now stocked for a Fair Trade Christmas. We have Advent calendars and candles as well as Christmas cards and wrapping paper; Christmas chocolates, decorations and gifts alongside our usual selection of teas, coffees, groceries and household goods. We're happy to take orders for Christmas cards and other items in the catalogue. Please support poor producers in the developing world by shopping at your Christ Church Tradecraft Stall.

A CALL FOR NEW CHURCH GARDENERS: now that the new garden has been established we would love to invite members of the congregation to help us look after it and the wider church garden. We anticipate monthly gardening sessions but also ad hoc care, working to a given plan. Please do let me or any of the gardening team know if you have any interest. This does not commit you! Karen 07971813314 or send her an email via cparishoffice@yahoo.co.uk.

UPDATE—FINANCES TO END SEPTEMBER: Despite the difficult conditions arising from the part closure of the church and the hall, the Church finances to end of September show only a small operating deficit. We have been greatly helped by a number of significant donations over the usual level of giving, hall bookings are beginning to pick up and we have not had to do any major repairs thus far. We have also received a legacy of £2,500 from the estate of John Barrett. However we have got to undertake some major works in the months to come such as maintenance of the trees and repairing the inner vestry walls. To make progress with our finances we will be asking for donations to help with some projects, and we are asking for your continued support. John Davey.

FINANCES AT 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**