

NEXT WEEK

Sunday 9th June 2019 ~ PENTECOST Sunday (Whit Sunday)

Holy Communion

President: Revd Sr. Elizabeth Shearcroft, C.A.

Preacher: Dr. Marion Gray

Readings: Acts 2.1-21	NT page 115
Romans 8.14-17	NT page 153
John 14.8-17[25-27]	NT page 105



For your
prayer time ~
Thought for
reflection found
in our readings
this week.

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Our weekly newsletter for you to take home



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Immanuel Prays!

Prayer underpins all that we do in faith and we believe it is important to gather regularly to pray and encourage one another in our church life and journey.

The next meetings will be on:

Sunday 2nd June

Sunday 16th June

Monday 10th June

Monday 24th June

We meet in the Chapel at 7:30pm **except** on Sundays when we gather at around 11:30am after the Service. For the time being we are planning to hold the Sunday meetings on the **1st and 3rd Sundays** of each month.

All are welcome! You don't have to pray out loud at the meeting - God hears silent prayer! Weekday meetings last about 45 mins.

If you are unable to attend but would like us to pray for you or someone you know, please contact either Lorraine Thomas or Marion Gray.

TODAY

Sunday 2nd June 2019 ~ Sunday After Ascension

(Seventh Sunday of Easter) ~ Holy Communion

Preacher & President: Revd Sr. Elizabeth Shearcroft, C.A.

Readings: Acts 16.16-34	NT page 132
Revelation 22.12-14,16,17,20,21	NT page 258
John 17.20-26	NT page 108

Prayer Pointers

- Give thanks for the family of God at Immanuel & St. Andrew and pray for God's continuing guidance for our ministry as, we seek to **know Jesus, and make him known** through our MAP. Give thanks for all who are supporting us in our explorations, enabling us to become a Pentecost people.
- Pray for Suzie Krisifoe and her family as they mourn the death of her father Robert Knox, that they will know God's peace.
- Please pray for May's Dad Alfie who is making a slow but steady recovery from a bleed in his brain. Thank God for his healing so far and patience as he learns how to walk again.
- Pray for your school governors completing the Bishop's Certificate, that their learning will benefit the school.
- Pray for the Church Army Mission Community as it Gathers this week, for Elizabeth and all other members and for Mark Russell preparing to leave them and become CEO of the Children's Society.

Junior Church

Our Junior church is open on 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month, during term time, whenever possible.
Could you help or possibly lead the sessions once in a while ~ if so please talk to Gloria or Rebecca.

Ministry at home

Holy Communion and/or Anointing are available, on request, for those unable to attend church due to illness or frailty.

3rd - 6th June ~ Elizabeth is attending the Church Army Biennial Gathering and will not be available to the parish during that time.

Diary Dates

Thursday 6th June~ CAIAS ~ Coffee & chat, Knitting and Natter
~ Anyone over 60 is welcome to join us at our informal gathering offering friendship and support.

Advance Diary Dates

TABLE SALE ~ Saturday 8th June

Note the time change to see if we can reach more of our local community we are moving to the afternoon.
If you would like to book a stall or to help the Social Committee set up and clear away that day ~ then please talk to Joyce Lynch.

Prayer Picnic ~ Sunday 9th June ~ All are welcome
Join with your church family in a picnic on the Common. Bring some picnic food & drink to share, enjoy the fresh air, let the children play and spend some time praising God, together, in prayer.

Love Streatham AGM and presentations on how local churches are supporting social action in Streatham ~

Thursday 13th June, 7pm for 7.30pm start
at The Atrium, 22 Lewin Road SW16 5JR

See notice in entrance for further details.
Further information from Arthur Williams.

Summer Outing to Southend ~ Saturday 13th July 2019

Great opportunity for a family day out with new friends you have made at church and without having to drive or get the train! We have had great days in Southend before so have chosen it as our destination again this year. Only putting on one coach due to short notice and responding to your requests for that day to go back in our social diary ~

Book with Lorraine or Joyce today!
Adults £22 ~ children £18 (up to year 6) ~
Babes £10 (check car seat requirements)

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