

Trial Layout



The trial period of the more radical of the two layout ideas has just over a month to run and we would be grateful if you could make sure your comments and views are heard. The Standing Committee, having listened to the views for both solutions, has agreed to a further trial of a slightly different layout, that of the dais at the chancel steps and this will come in to effect in August.

For more information on what we are doing and why please see our website or speak to one of the PCC members. Feedback can be given by email to wardens@holyspirit-clapham.org.uk, or in writing to the church office addressed to the wardens.

FAITH CONFIRMED.

Weekly Confirmation Classes will be starting here on Wednesday 31st August for 7 weeks.

Confirmation service will be

Held on Sunday 16th October which this year will be held HERE! Suitable for those who want to be confirmed, those who have forgotten what on earth they got confirmed for in the first place & those who are just curious. SPEAK to Mtr Ruth.



Searching for stillness and peace?

Sunday Evenings offer Stillness, Silence & Solace.

Every Sunday at 6.30 pm

MEDITATION stillness & silence to listen to God (1st & 3rd Sundays)

TAIZE prayer of the heart in word, song & silence (4th Sunday)

Traditional Book of Common Prayer (1662) (2nd Sunday)



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Holy Spirit



Sunday 3rd July Sixth Sunday after Trinity

WELCOME

Welcome to Holy Spirit. We have Sunday School for children from Reception age upwards during term time & a crèche all year round. For LARGE print hymn & service books ask the sidespeople. There is a loop system; please adjust the setting of your personal hearing aid.

JOIN IN

Please ALL COME to the Lord's table: whether or not you are used to receiving communion. We all gather as members of God's family to receive bread & wine or a blessing.

Please stay for a drink & a chat after the service

SUPPORT

Make your donation count: Thank you for supporting Holy Spirit. You can make your donation even more valuable by allowing us to reclaim the tax on your gift. To do so please fill in your details on the front of the Yellow Envelopes.

THANK YOU!

READINGS

2 Kings 5:1-14

Naaman leads the army of Israel's powerful and aggressive neighbour. When he develops leprosy he seeks healing from Israel's prophet, Elisha who advises him to wash seven times in the river Jordan. Naaman is offended: he does not believe that so simple an act, performed in so ordinary and common a river, can heal.

The echoes of baptism are unmissable: God uses the perfectly ordinary water with which we are baptized transforms us; just as his uses his perfectly ordinary people to transform the world.

Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

Jesus sends seventy disciples into the surrounding country to prepare a way for him: they carry nothing with them, they are given precious little instructions and yet they discover that they can bring healing and freedom that they can carry the kingdom of God to wherever they go.

Hymns: 337 452 499 394

CALENDAR

Today

9.00am Said Eucharist

10.30am Parish Eucharist

7.00pm Floriade Ensemble Concert

Monday 4th July

9.00am Morning Prayer

7.45pm PCC meeting

Tues 5th July

9.00am Morning Prayer

10.30am-12.00pm

Silver Socials

Weds 6th July

9.00am Morning Prayer

6.00pm Diocesan Synod

Thursday 7th July

12.30pm Lunchtime Eucharist

followed by simple lunch

Saturday 9th July

1.00pm Ace of Clubs 21st party

Sunday 10th July

9.00am Said Eucharist

10.30am Parish Eucharist

Followed by Parish Picnic

6.30pm Evening Prayer

Please pray:

for those who are sick:

Albert Bell, Heidi Bell, Jane Bell, Tony Trudgill, Tim Grisdale, Chris Friend, Nick Lynch, Cassie Williams, Chris Barton, Charles Donoghue, Anthony Walker, Sara Carter, Avis Sowels and Lynford Esterine

Welcome to Martha, Bobby and Noah and their families and friends who are with them for their baptism today.

Next weekend is Party Weekend !

Ace of Clubs will be celebrating their **21st Birthday** they are having a party to celebrate on Saturday July 9th, 1-6pm in the grounds of St Marys. It's amazing to think how many people will have walked through their doors during this time and how many lives will have been altered in some way as a result of their work. There will be live music, food and a chance to see the centre and hear about their work. Do support them, tickets available on their website <http://aceofclubs.org.uk/> and raffle tickets available to buy from Sarah Miles.



Parish Picnic and Games on Sunday 10th, after church on the common, it will be sunny, bring your picnic rug and food and join in the fun! If you can help



with games please see Kathryn Newell.

Notices

The Floriade Ensemble are a new group formed recently and will be singing works by Josquin des Prez (c.1440/55-1521) who is widely regarded as one of the finest and most influential composers in the history of Western music. They will be singing **Tonight**, doors open 6.30pm, concert 7pm

Are you **passionate** about social **justice** and about our **local community**?

Do you want to work together to create social change and pursue the common good? Church Holy Spirit Clapham has recently

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action for social justice.

If you have any interest at all (passionate about a particular problem, have an idea of a solution, or just curious) then please either speak to Rachael Burke after church or email her on rachael.burke@gmail.com



Knit n Natter—Newbies welcome. CHS Knitting Club meets to get crafty next on July 13th at 7.30pm by kind invitation of Lynn at 19 Rodenhurst Road

Book club had a lively discussion on Tuesday, they meet again after the summer on September 12th, 8pm, 67 Rodenhurst Road to discuss Mr Weston's Good Wine by TF Powys and Villa Triste Patrick Modiano. We also recommend reading Ammonites and Leaping Fish by Penelope Lively as an extra summer read.



joined the **Citizens UK** network. We need a group of people who are excited and passionate about justice to join in on a journey of learning about community organising, partnering with our neighbours and together taking

