

## CALENDAR

### Sunday 25th August

**8.00 am** Pram Service  
**9.00 am** Said Eucharist  
**10.30 am** Parish Eucharist  
**6:30 pm** Evening Prayer

### Monday 26th August

**9.00 am** Morning prayer

### Tuesday 27th August

**9.00 am** Morning prayer  
**10.30 am** Silver Socials  
**7:30 pm** Standing Committee Meeting

### Wednesday 28th August

**9.00am** Morning prayer

### Thursday 29th August

**9.00 am** Morning prayer  
**12.30 pm** Lunchtime Eucharist followed by simple lunch  
**7:30 pm** Theology Uncorked

### Friday 30th August

**9.00 am** Morning prayer

### Sunday 31st August

**8.00 am** Pram Service  
**9.00 am** Said Eucharist  
**10.30 am** Parish Eucharist  
**6.30 pm** Evening Prayer

**NEXT PCC MEETING 3RD SEPT '19**



## WELCOMING CHURCH

The next welcoming church service is at St John the Divine Church on the 15th Sept 2019. From October welcoming church will be at St Pauls Church Clapham.

Would you look good in a robe...?



OH YES YOU WOULD!

We need new servers, full training given. Any age. Please speak to Mother Ruth.

**THEOLOGY UNCORKED** Come and join Fran and Andrew on the **29th August** for an evening of avid theological discussion on the topic of the environment with snacks and drinks to boot! Starts at 7:30pm here at church of the Holy Spirit.



## LAMBETH CITIZENS PARTY

**Sunday 15th September** 2:30-5pm at St. John's church, Waterloo. A chance to get together and celebrate achievements of Lambeth Citizens. A good way to talk to people from other member groups in the borough and find out about current and future campaigns. ALL WELCOME.

## Please pray for

**For those who are sick:** Heidi Bell, Jane Bell, Albert Bell, Sara Carter, Ruby Mitchell, Enzo Saunt, Bernard Maciejko, Jane Taylor & Linda Parker.

## NOTICES

### THE FUTURE OF THE ABBEVILLE FETE

On **Tuesday 3rd September** there is an open meeting being held at 7pm to discuss the future of the Abbeville Fete. Come and have your say. We need your thoughts so please think about the following questions:



1. Should CHS continue to manage, and take responsibility for, the Abbeville Fete?
2. Would you support the ownership of the Abbeville Fete being transferred from CHS to a non-profit community interest company?
3. Can you volunteer to help organise or run the next Abbeville Fete (on Sat 20th June 2020) in any capacity?

If you cannot come to the meeting, fill in your ideas on the form at the back of church.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR OUR HEAVENLY HALLOWS' EEN PARTY ON

**Thursday 31st October** 4-6 PM. CAN YOU HELP US????



Please let us know...

WE



OUR COMMUNITY

We are holding a **VOLUNTEERS FAIR** on **SUNDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 11-12.30** If you are involved in any LOCAL charities or volunteering organizations that might like to be represented please contact Mother Ruth (BEFORE the end of the summer!). Please do COME and bring with you any friends & neighbours who want to support their local community.

**7th September COME AND SING HANDEL'S MESSIAH** with the Whitehall Choir and conductor Joanna Tomlinson from 10am –5pm. Improve your singing technique, make friends and have fun. Tickets are £20 for singers and £5 to watch the sing through performance at 4pm. Please see notice board for more info.

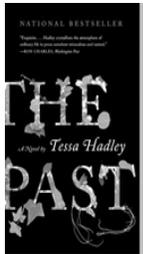


## ANNUAL INTERFAITH WALK on SATURDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2019

Take a local interfaith pilgrimage including:

- ◆ Streatham Synagogue,
- ◆ St Leonard's Church,
- ◆ South London Islamic Centre
- ◆ Shree Swaminarayan Hindu Temple

Walk starts from 12:45 pm— 4:30pm but please do come and join us for the Sabbath Service at the synagogue at 10:45am



**BOOK CLUB** next meet on 17th September and are currently reading “The Past” by Tessa Hadley and “Warlight” by Michael Ondaatje (an outstandingly good read – Vicar). Why not read along and if you can pop in to join them to discuss on Tuesday 17 September at 109 Hambalt Road at 7:30pm



## DO YOU WANT TO SAVE THE PLANET

Two great interfaith speaker events 6:30pm-9:30pm on the 10th and 17th of September at All Saints Battersea.

ALL WELCOME.



### CONTACTS

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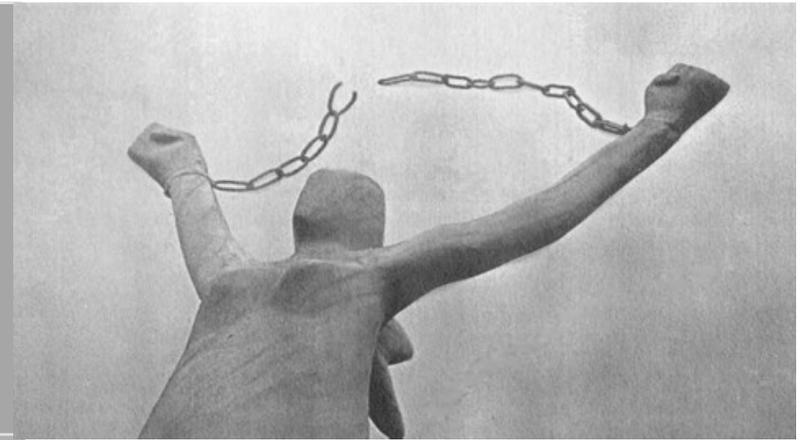
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## Holy Spirit



**Sunday 25th August 2019 Trinity 10**

### WELCOME

Sunday School (from Reception age upwards) during term time & 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 come to the Lord's table: whether or not you are used to receiving communion. We 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

Thank you for supporting Holy Spirit's work. You can donate in cash or by card— please make your donation even more valuable by filling in your details on the front of the Yellow Envelopes or onscreen for Gift Aid.

**THANK YOU!**

## READINGS

“Until we are all free, we are none of us free”.

### Isaiah 58:9-14

The community wants to know why God does not seem to dwell among them. The prophet promises that God is in their midst when the relationships between people are just and merciful. He calls on God's people to raise each other up, to bear each other's burdens and to set each other free. Then they will experience God's kingdom here and now.

### Luke 13:10-17

The woman Jesus heals on the Sabbath is bent-over, at his touch, she straightens up. She can now look people in the eye as an equal. Miracles are always a sign of the kingdom, a symbol of the life God longs for us to live. In healing the woman Jesus calls for his community to be healed, to become a place in which everyone can stand tall and look each other in the eye.

**Hymns:**

**569**

**698**

**604**

**498**