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SUNDAY 6 JULY 2025 (TRINITY 3)

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| 8.00am | Holy Communion (BCP) in Church |
| 10.00am | Sung Eucharist in Church and Online |
| 4.00pm | Family Service |

WEDNESDAY 9 JULY

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| 9.00am | Prayer meeting in the Lady Chapel |
| 3.25pm | T-Time Tales |

THURSDAY 10 JULY

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| 12.45pm | Holy Communion (Iona) |
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SUNDAY 13 JULY 2025 (TRINITY 4)

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| 8.00am | Holy Communion (BCP) in Church |
| 10.00am | Sung Eucharist in Church and Online |

THE COLLECT FOR TODAY

Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts whereby we call you Father: give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that we and all creation may be brought to the glorious liberty of the children of God; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

DIOCESE OF SOUTHWARK



CROYDON EPISCOPAL AREA

ARCHDEACONRY OF REIGATE

These are the readings appointed for today

THE FIRST READING

ISAIAH 66: 10 to 14

Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her, all you who love her; rejoice with her in joy, all you who mourn over her – that you may nurse and be satisfied from her consoling breast; that you may drink deeply with delight from her glorious bosom. For thus says the Lord: I will extend prosperity to her like a river, and the wealth of the nations like an overflowing stream; and you shall nurse and be carried on her arm, and dandled on her knees. As a mother comforts her child, so I will comfort you; you shall be comforted in Jerusalem. You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice; your bodies shall flourish like the grass; and it shall be known that the hand of the LORD is with his servants, and his indignation is against his enemies.

THE GOSPEL READING

Luke 10: 1 to 11, 16 to 20

The Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. He said to them, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest. Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. Whatever house you enter, first say, "Peace to this house!" And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the labourer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, "The kingdom of God has come near to you." But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, "Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near." Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me.' The seventy returned with joy, saying, 'Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!' He said to them, 'I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.'

INTERCESSIONS

Please pray for those in particular need:
Yvonne Powell, Jacqueline McCallough,
George Hook, Lennox Hartman,
Rosemary Absalom, Jane-Ann Paul,
Sonia Pearson.

For those living in Holmesdale Road

For Reigate Park Church (URC)

For anniversaries falling at this time:
John Bridge, Suzanne Budgen,
Elspeth Calder, Sheila Thiele,
David Whitmarsh Knight.

ELECTION OF CHURCHWARDENS

At last week's Vestry meeting Mr Timothy Warren and Mrs Jane Artis were elected Churchwardens.

CONFIRMATION

Bishop Rosemarie will be coming to St Mark's on Sunday 19 October for a Confirmation Service. Any adults or young people (currently in Year 6 or above in school) who wish to be confirmed or to find out more about what this means, please speak to me as soon as possible as we will be starting preparation classes soon.

Fr Martin



SMOAT@HOME

AFTERNOON CREAM TEA

Why not treat yourself to an afternoon cream tea whilst you watch a Wimbledon Final? We are baking scones for delivery, together with jam and clotted cream, on the afternoon of Saturday 12 July. A scone is £6.00, a family tea (four scones) is £20.00 and an extra scone will be £2.50. With the money raised, we are supporting a water and sanitation project in Togo with our partners, Deki.

If you would like to partake in this delicious cream tea then you can email me at chair@SMOAT.org.uk or you can order on TicketSource (there is an admin fee).

*Barbara Perkins,
Chairman, SMOAT*

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If you are able to, please consider making a regular donation to St Mark's through the Parish Giving Scheme. This is the most effective way to donate as we receive 100% of your donation and Gift Aid is automatically claimed. Please follow the link below to sign up.

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