



**Parish of St Matthew, Surbiton**  
In the Tolworth Hook & Surbiton Team Ministry  
**18<sup>th</sup> October 2020**  
**Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity**



**Join our services in church, live online or watch later:**

**9am service with Holy Communion**  
**10.30am All-age worship with Holy Communion**

**Both services currently last about 45 minutes.**

**If you are attending a service in church, social distancing must be observed and a face covering worn. Your details will be taken for track and trace.**

**Please do not attend in person if you have any symptoms of the virus.**

**Collect for the Week**

Faithful Lord,  
whose steadfast love never ceases  
and whose mercies never come to an end;  
grant us the grace to trust you  
and to receive the gifts of your love,  
new every morning,  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

***Give thanks for answered prayer: and please pray for:***

Reverends Helen Hancock, Luke Wickings, David Nyirongo, Carolyn Lucas & their families, Jen Houghton and family, THiS Team, Carol Bainbridge, and Paul Atkins.

**GDPR Notice** Now that our services are live-streamed you could potentially appear in shot if you are at the front of the church (in the front two pews or on or near the platform). If this presents any problems for you please speak to a warden or to Helen.



**Don't forget the CLOCKS GO BACK ONE HOUR on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> October. . . or you'll be an our early for our . . .**

**Annual Parochial Church Meeting** which is **next Sunday (26 Oct) at 11.15am** after the 10.30am service. Please stay on for the meeting after the service in church (it shouldn't take too long) or join the meeting from home via Zoom. If you are staying in church and want to bring a flask of coffee or a bottle of water then please do so. If you are going to attend on Zoom the link will be available through KiT Groups this week and it will be posted on our website shortly before the start of the meeting next Sunday. For security reasons we are not issuing the call details significantly in advance.

If you are not on the internet you can phone in on 020 8080 6591 or 020 3901 7895 for the cost of a local call and join by phone. This works very well so please don't be put off! When prompted, you will need to tap in the Meeting ID **996 7899 6012** and the Meeting Passcode **091588**. There is no Participant ID so when asked for that just enter # as directed.

We will be electing Churchwardens, PCC members and Deanery Synod Reps – if you are interested in finding out more about any of these posts please ask Helen, the wardens or Wendy our PCC Secretary ASAP!

The Annual Report and Accounts for 2019 will also be discussed. These are available online and if you are attending the meeting in person and would like a paper copy for the meeting please contact the Office by Thursday 10.30am.

**Sunday 1 November at 5pm** will be our **Service of Remembering and Thanking** for the relatives and friends of those who have died in the last year. It is open to everyone but we are mindful that it may be a popular service so if you would like to attend in person please let Julie know in the office so we can ensure there is space for you. Otherwise you will be able to join it as a live-stream. Priority will be given to those without internet access.

Please put **Saturday 14 November** – in your diary 9.30 – 11.30 am. We are planning our first ever Zoom based **AwayMorning**. More details to follow very soon.

This weekend many of us should have been enjoying our **AwayWeekend** together at De Vere Horsley Hotel. But have no fear, we have deferred our booking until the same weekend next year so please put Fri 15 – Sun 17 Oct in your diary for next year **now!** Same good times guaranteed!

***For more information about our church and events visit our website at***

***[www.stmatthewskt6.org](http://www.stmatthewskt6.org) -***

***email address: [admin@stmatthewskt6.org](mailto:admin@stmatthewskt6.org) Facebook 'StMatthewsChurchSurbiton'***

***Julie is still working, although sometimes from home.***

***Please don't try to visit the Parish Office for the time being.***

**Motto Verse2020**

***Out of reverence for the Lord, I acted differently.***

***based on Nehemiah 5.15***