



## Parish of St Matthew, Surbiton

In the Tolworth Hook & Surbiton Team Ministry

# 8th November 2020

## Remembrance Sunday

### Third Sunday before Advent



Join our services live online or to watch later  
- no one permitted in church:

**9.30am '20 Minutes to Praise God' a short service  
focused on children and young people**

**10.30am Service of Holy Communion  
with Act of Remembrance**

**For links to these services please see our website**

They shall grow not old as we that are left grow old:  
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.  
At the going down of the sun and in the morning  
We will remember them.

**We will remember them.** (Laurence Binyon)



### **Collect for the Week**

God, our refuge and strength,  
bring near the day when wars shall cease  
and poverty and pain shall end,  
that earth may know the peace of heaven  
through 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. The family and friends of Eileen Turner, a former prominent member of St George's and St Matthew's Churches, who died peacefully, aged 95, in a care home in Maidstone on the 29<sup>th</sup> October. Congratulations to Elisabet Le Grossec and Roger Chapman who were married in church on Wednesday, having brought their wedding forward by 10 days to avoid the new lockdown restrictions.

**The Church will be open for private individual prayer  
Mon – Sat 8.30am – 2pm from Mon 9 Nov to Sat 28 Nov.**

**Sermon Series** in November – we are thinking about our vision ‘Seven Whole Days in Covid and in . . .’ looking at how our Vision might shape our actions and our thinking in these difficult times.

A date for your diary – **Open PCC meeting on Zoom** Tuesday 17 November at 8pm. Please get in touch with the Parish office if you would like to attend on Zoom.



**ZoomAwayMorning**  
**Look up,**  
**Look out!**

**Sat 14 Nov 9.30 – 11.30am**

**Share some time together to  
talk, listen, think, worship, laugh, eat, drink . . .**

**All possible from the comfort of your own home  
at a screen or on the end of the phone . . .**

**Please register with Parish Office or Helen for details.**

*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 but we can be reached on the  
phone:*

*Parish Office 020 8390 5121*

*Rev Helen Hancock 020 8390 3829*

**Motto Verse2020**

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

*based on Nehemiah 5.15*