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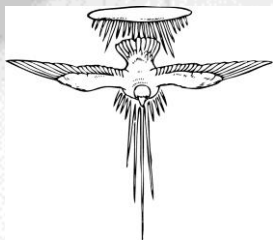
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SUNDAY 8 JUNE 2025 (PENTECOST)

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP) in Church

10.00am Sung Eucharist in Church and Online

WEDNESDAY 11 JUNE (ST BARNABAS)

9.00am Prayer meeting in the Lady Chapel

3.25pm T-Time Tales

THURSDAY 12 JUNE

12.45pm Holy Communion (Iona)

SUNDAY 15 JUNE 2025 (TRINITY SUNDAY)

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP) in Church

10.00am Sung Eucharist in Church and Online

4.00pm Messy Church

THE COLLECT FOR TODAY

God, who as at this time taught the hearts of your faithful people by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit: grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgement in all things and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

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CROYDON EPISCOPAL AREA

ARCHDEACONRY OF REIGATE

These are the readings appointed for today

THE EPISTLE READING

Romans 8: 14 to 17

All who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, 'Abba! Father!' it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ – if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

THE GOSPEL READING

John 14: 8 to 17

Philip said to Jesus, 'Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.' Jesus said to him, 'Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, "Show us the Father"? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it. 'If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you for ever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

INTERCESSIONS

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

For those living in Greystone Drive

For Reigate Society of Friends

For anniversaries falling at this time:
John Cramp, Anne Goodman,
Winifred Bridge, Joan Willson,
Sheila Burns, Bob Markham,
Judy John, Violet Jeffries, Cyril Oakley.

ANNUAL GIVING 2025

Thank you to everyone who has donated to our 2025 Annual Giving campaign. We have raised over £14,000 towards our target of £20,000 including Gift Aid. We are looking to raise funds not only to meet running costs in 2025 but to build up some reserves for the future to meet costs as they arise. In our pledge to move closer to net-zero carbon we have already identified the need to replace our two ageing gas boilers and improve insulation in the hall. Please consider making a donation if you feel you are able. More details can be found on the attached leaflet and as always, all donations are most gratefully received.

Thank you.

Mel Crighton Treasurer

ADVANCE NOTICE

The funeral service for Michael Biggs will be at St Mark's on Thursday 19 June at 1.30pm.



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ST MARK'S OVERSEAS AID TRUST
REGISTERED CHARITY No. 28091

BEETLE DRIVE – SAVE THE DATE

We are holding another of our very popular Beetle Drives! Beetle Drive is a simple game that can be enjoyed from school age through to retirement! We will be holding this on **Sunday 29 June** from 2.30pm to 4.30pm. Tickets will cost £6.00 each or £20.00 for a family of four. Included in the price is tea and lots of home made cake and there will also be a tombola! They will be available either through -

<http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/smoat/t-vvyasoy> by going to our website -

<http://www.smoat.org.uk>

or you can contact me at -

chair@smoat.org.uk

Hope to see you there!

*Barbara Perkins
Chairman*

FOODBANK

Saint Matthew's Foodbank is still desperately short of donations. More and more people are turning to the Foodbanks for the first time, and yet the amount of donations has fallen.

If you are able to give anything at all, please leave your donation at the Vicarage. Please remember that no fresh food can be accepted and all tins and packets must be in date. More information can be found at:

<https://www.redhillfoodbank.org.uk/shop/ping-list>

ELECTION OF CHURCHWARDENS

Notice is hereby given that a Vestry Meeting will be held on Sunday 29 June 2025 at the conclusion of the 10.00am service for the purpose of electing two Churchwardens. Nominations are now open. Anyone whose name is on the Electoral Roll can be a Churchwarden, and they must be nominated and seconded by anyone whose name is on the Electoral Roll. The Electoral Roll will be temporarily closed on Saturday 14 June 2025 and will re-open following the meeting on Sunday 29 June.

*Fr Martin Colton
Chairman, St Mark's PCC*

NEW SUFFRAGAN BISHOP

For those who may not have heard, we will soon be saying "goodbye" to the Archdeacon of Reigate after nine years' service. The Venerable Moira Astin has been appointed to the Suffragan See of Crediton in the Diocese of Exeter.

REGULAR GIVING TO ST MARK'S

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.

<https://www.parishgiving.org.uk/donors/find-your-parish/reigate-st-mark-reigate/>

Please contact me if you need any more information. Many thanks.

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