



**Christ Church with St Laurence,
Brondesbury
Sunday 11th July 2010
6th Sunday after Trinity
Proper 10**



**Processional Hymn:
393 O worship the King**

COLLECT: Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; 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. **Amen**

FIRST READING

Deuteronomy 30.9–14

A reading from the book of Deuteronomy.

Moses spoke to the people, saying, The LORD your God will make you

abundantly prosperous in all your undertakings, in the fruit of your body, in the fruit of your livestock, and in the fruit of your soil. For the LORD will again take delight in prospering you, just as he delighted in prospering your ancestors, when you obey the LORD your God by observing his commandments and decrees that are written in this book of the law, because you turn to the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul. Surely, this commandment that I am commanding you today is not too hard for you, nor is it too far away. It is not in heaven, that you should say, 'Who will go up to heaven for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?' Neither is it beyond the sea, that you should say, 'Who will cross to the other side of the sea for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?' No, the word is very near to you; it is in your mouth and in your heart for you to observe.

This is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

SECOND READING

Colossians 1.1–14

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Colossians.

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in

Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father. In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow-servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, and he has made known to us your love in the Spirit. For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of

darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn:

463 Sweet Sacrament divine

GOSPEL Luke 10.25–37

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

Glory to you, O Lord.

A lawyer stood up to test Jesus. 'Teacher,' he said, 'what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the law? What do you read there?' He answered, 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself.' And he said to him, 'You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.' But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' Jesus replied, 'A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on

the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, "Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend." Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?' He said, 'The one who showed him mercy.' Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord
Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon:
Revd Tasha Critchlow

Offertory Hymn:
222 I am the bread of life

During this hymn we take a collection for the work of our Church. If taxpaying visitors would complete the white envelope provided putting your offering in it we can reclaim the tax you have paid on it. Regular members of Christ Church not part of our giving programme please speak to Fr David, Mary Conway, Daniel Lewis or Terry Dawson. We will be happy to help sort this out. Thank you for your generosity.

Eucharistic Prayer: B

Communion Hymn:
26 Alleluia Sing to Jesus

Prayer after Communion:

God of our pilgrimage, you have led us to the living water: refresh and sustain us as we go forward on our journey, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Recessional Hymn:
143 Forth in thy name

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July Notices:

25th: 2pm Archdeacon's visitation (Church); 4pm PCC BBQ (The Rectory Garden)

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Sunday School Leaders.

We are still looking for Sunday School Leaders. Please see Fr David, Revd Tasha or Emily

Parish Prayer List:

Sick & Housebound: Rose Warner; Cynthia Grant; Ivy Yarde; Dawn Edwards; Pauline Garner; Margaret & Norman Lynch; John & Ulfat Gill; Veronica Malcolm; Bev Reid; Suzanna Leighton.

Deceased:

Church on the Rise: Revd Graham Noyce, Revd Elizabeth Barrett and the people of St Martin's, Mortimer Rd

Anglican Communion: The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea

Our Diocese: Those recently ordained.

Our Deanery: Revd Jane Morris, Revd Sean Doherty and the people of St Gabriel's, Cricklewood.

Our Parish: Robert Churm; Jane Clist; Yinka Cole; Mary, Juliet & Dan Conway; Michila Critchley, Daniel & Nick.

What does our parish need?

The staff team will be having a planning session this August to look at what we need to provide and plan for in the coming 3 months. We would like to hear from you about what you would like provided. What you might find helpful in growing in the faith. Study groups, fellowship groups, preaching and teaching programmes. Please let Fr David or Revd Tasha know, we would find this very helpful.

Weekly Services:

Morning Prayer
Tuesday & Thursday 9am

Sunday 18th July 2010

Seventh Sunday after Trinity

8.30am Holy Communion
10am Parish Eucharist

CONFIRMATION CLASSES 2010

A confirmation service has been planned for the week of Christ the King in November 2010.

Classes will begin TODAY at 11.30am. Please sign the list at the back of the church. If you'd like to join us for a refresher course you would be welcome.



Calling All Musicians.

We know you are out there. We know you are shy. But our worship of God needs you. Please come and speak to Fr David or Michila Critchley about being part of our music team. Don't be scared. Share your gift with the people of God.

