

Summary of our beliefs

- That the Bible is God's inspired word. (2 Timothy 3:16)
- That the Godhead consists of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. (Matthew 28:19)
- That Salvation is a free gift from God, which we receive through faith. (Ephesians 2:5-8)
- That baptism by immersion is a symbol of our death to sin and rising to new life and a union with Christ. (Romans 6:1-6)
- That Jesus Christ will soon return in person, in a visible manner to redeem his people. (Matthew 24:30)
- That the seventh-day, Saturday, is the Sabbath according to the Ten Commandments from sunset Friday to sunset on Saturday. (Genesis 2:1-3 & Exodus 20:8)
- That a tithe (10%) of our income is holy and is reserved for the support of the ministry. (Malachi 3:8-12)
- That the body is the temple of the Holy Spirit and is not to be defiled by alcohol, tobacco, drugs or wrong eating habits. (1 Corinthians 3:16)

Sunset times

Fri 20 Dec	15:53
Fri 27 Dec	15:57
Fri 03 Jan	16:05



Notes

OUR CHURCH LIFE

Announcements

25 Dec | Fellowship Meal: Join us for food, fun and fellowship in the Youth Hall. Bring a friend. No need to eat alone at home! For more information call 07939 955 500.

25 Dec | Annual Pakistan Welfare Association Free Meal: Free hot food, biscuits, and cakes are served every Christmas. Everyone is welcome to partake from midday to 2pm at St. Michaels & All Angels Church Hall, Poplar Walk, Croydon, CR0 1UA.

28 Dec | Communion Service: Please join us for this special service of remembrance, open to all members of the church.

31 Dec | Fun Filled Social: For the whole family after the Thanksgiving Service as we start the new year together. Invite your friends and family.

Let's Play! Join us in the Youth Hall for a game of Table Tennis or Badminton after church every Saturday night. We also play every Monday at 6pm-8pm for Table Tennis and 8pm-10pm for Badminton on 23rd and 30th Dec.

Community Club: Come and join us in the Youth Hall every Tuesday from 9.30am to 1pm for a variety of activities, including quizzes, board games, hobby crafts and exercise. We look forward to seeing you there. (Open to everyone age 18+.)

Bereavements: Please keep these families in your prayers at this difficult time. With great sadness we announce the deaths of:

- Bro. Wilbur Antonio. The funeral will be held on 9th January, 11am-1pm at Croydon SDA Church.
- Pastor Andrew Davis who passed away on 16 December. Funeral details to follow.

May God be their comfort and strength.

Miscellaneous

Kitchen Cleaning: Any items left in the kitchen not belonging to the church will be removed. Please remember to take all your personal items home. Thank you for your Co-operation.

Security Reminder: Please can we remind all parents and guardians to be vigilant when on the premises. You need to know the whereabouts of your children at all times.

Tithes & Offering: For tithes and offerings returned by cheque, please make it payable to: South England Conference or S.E.C.

Live Recordings: Please note that services within this church are being streamed live on the internet. If you do not wish to appear on camera, you are advised to sit in the Yellow Room. Thank you.

Room Bookings: All events taking place in the Church should be booked and approved by the Diary Clerks.

Bulletin Submissions: Deadline is Tuesdays at 9pm. Please make announcements as short as possible. Complete the form on our website at: www.croydonadventist.org/weekly-worship-bulletin OR email: bulletin@croydonadventist.org

Audio/visual services: If you require assistance with any audio/visual services, please email the PA Team at: pa@croydonadventist.org

Displays for the Screen: Any information, such as PowerPoints, to be displayed on the screen must be sent to the PA Team by no later than 7pm on Thursdays at: pa@croydonadventist.org

THE CHURCH at worship



21 December 2019



Croydon Seventh-day
Adventist Church

OUR MISSION

We seek to grow passionate disciples of Jesus through worship of God, nurture of one another, and outreach to the world.

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Weekly Schedule

SABBATH (SATURDAYS)

8:45am-9:15am | Morning Prayer Session:

Members and visitors are invited to join together in prayer. Whatever the concern is, let us take it to God.

9:25am | Sabbath School: Join us in discussing what we have learned about God through our daily study of the Bible. Classes are also available at 10am for children and teenagers.

10:00am | Baptismal Class: All newly baptised members and those desiring to be baptised, are encouraged to join this class in the Upper Chapel.

11:15am | Worship Service: Join with us as we seek God through music, prayer, children's stories, and the presentation of His Word.

WEDNESDAYS

12pm & 7:30pm | Prayer Session: A

wonderful opportunity to centre your heart on God through worship-based prayer and fellowship with others.

Today

We welcome Pastor Alex Mareniuc to the pulpit today and pray all will be blessed in the hearing of God's word.

Croydon SDA Community Calendar

Distribution & Sale: Join us today as we give out free 2020 calendars to our local community. Church members also have the opportunity to buy a calendar for £3 in the Youth Hall at 4:30pm today.

7pm | Festival of Sound: A Royal Invitation:

Come and experience inspirational and soul stirring music. Doors open at 6:30pm. Please bring your Eventbrite registration. A collection will be taken for local charity, Croydon Vision.

Elder on Duty: Stanley Enyinnaya

THE CHURCH AT STUDY

SANCTUARY - 9:25AM

Adult Sabbath School

Quarter 4 - Being the Face of Love

Song Service Andrea & Co.

Theme Song Andrea & Co.

348 - The Church Has One Foundation

Opening Remarks Valcie Lewis

Caring, Sharing & Prayer Time
(10 min)

Lesson - In Classes

Topic: Dealing with Bad Decisions
(40 mins)

Thirteenth Sabbath

Opening Introduction

Kindergarten

Primary 1&2

Primary 3

Juniors

Thank you

DIVINE SERVICE

SANCTUARY - 11:15AM

We gather in His name

Prelude

Platform party enters and kneels

Announcements Elder Stanley Enyinnaya

Welcome Jordon Wright

We honour and praise Him

Praise & Worship

✧ *Introit*

✧ Call to Worship Stephanie Hall

✧ Opening Hymn Praise Team
368 - Watchman Blow the Gospel Trumpet

✧ Let Us Pray Si-Annarah Millanaise

Tithes & Offering Elder Myrin Hall

Scripture Reading Toussaint Gervais
Matthew 12: 9-14

Special Item Youth Choir

Sermon Pastor Alex Mareniuc
Sheepskin

✧ Closing Hymn Praise Team
348- The Church Has One Foundation

We reflect

Benediction Pastor Alex Mareniuc

Musical Postlude

✧ Congregation is standing

✧ Congregation is kneeling where possible

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