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 08 May 20:34 20:45 Fri 15 May 20:55 Fri 22 May



Live Broadcasts

While the church building remains closed until further notice, we will continue where possible to broadcast LIVE every Sabbath at 10am (Sabbath School) and 11:30am (Divine Service) on our Livestream, Facebook and YouTube platforms. Subscribe or follow to get notifications when our service is live. Sabbath School continues to be interactive so send in your questions via Vimeo Livestream, Facebook, YouTube and WhatsApp (on 07857140 654)!

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Announcements

Food Bank & Community Kitchen

If you or someone you know is struggling, we're providing emergency food items and hot take-away meals **every Tuesday from 6:00pm to 7:30pm** from our church hall. We can also make local deliveries – just call us on: **07930 167 812**. Find out more on our website, including how to donate food or other items: www.croydonadventist.org/commuity-kitchen Please share this information with as many people as you can.

Online Children's Activities

Kids can join in a variety of activities via Zoom from Monday to Saturday. We provide fitness sessions, quizzes, prayer, worship and Bible study. Contact Children's Ministry leader, Lee White on **07944 884 154** for Zoom details. For more information visit: www.croydonadventist.org/children/

Friday Fix: Online Youth Bible Study

A time when the youth come together via Zoom at **8pm every Friday** to study the Bible, pray and check in on one another during lockdown to make sure that everyone is thoroughly supported. Join in a dynamic discussion on topics including: 'cancel culture', relationships and Bible prophecy in relation to the times we're living in. For more information and Zoom details, visit our website: www.croydonadventist.org/youth/

Online Bible Book Club

Having trouble getting motivated or feeling daunted about trying to read the Bible on your own? Why not join our Bible Book Club via Zoom every **first and last Tuesday or Thursday of the month at 7pm**. It's a great opportunity for people to come together in small groups to read, question and discuss the Bible – one book at a time. For more information and Zoom details, visit our website: www.croydonadventist.org/bible-book-club/

Online Prayer Meetings

Join us via Zoom every Wednesday at 12pm or 8pm in centring your heart on God through worship-based prayer and online fellowship with others. Find out more here.

Coming Soon! Lockdown (Plant Based) Cook-along Class

Our Health & Lifestyle Team will be offering free plant based cooking classes via Zoom from later this month. Watch this space for more details.

'Peace of Mind' May

Our May Inspirational Calendar is available for download. Packed full of daily actions and Bible verses, this is a great opportunity to share daily encouragement with your friends, family and work colleagues during these challenging times. May's theme is "Peace of Mind" and focuses on daily actions to help you cope with life's ups and downs and respond to this global crisis with a sense of purpose and meaning.

The Ultimate Resource Hub

Get the support and encouragement you need to keep you spiritually strong and healthy! Check out our <u>new online resource hub</u>, rich with relevant information for the world we live in today. There's something for everyone – **Bible studies, media, Christian films, devotionals, evangelism, health, and children's resources**.

10:00AM

Sabbath School Online

Quarter 2
Theme: Power In the Word

Topic: Why Is Interpretation Needed?

Interactive Lesson Study

Send your questions and comments via

Vimeo Livestream, Facebook, YouTube and WhatsApp (07857 140 654)



11:30AM

Divine Service Online

Welcome - Pastor Royston Smith

CoronaPrayer - Elder Oneil Henry

Sing Along Session

Prayer - Elder Lawrence Augustus

Musical Item - Danielle Billett

Scripture Reading - Revelation 21:1-7

The Message - Elder Myrin Hall Ready to Retire?

Benediction - Elder Myrin Hall

Musical Item - Tina Brooks