



15th February 2026

PEWS NEWS

Church of St Matthew, Croydon

www.stmatthew.org.uk

Services

Sundays at 8.30am - said service of Holy Communion
Sundays at 10am service of Holy Communion with singing led by the choir (live-streamed and on YouTube). Mid-week Communion Service on Wednesdays at 10.00am.

Young Church

Sundays at 10am except the 2nd Sunday of each month which is an Altogether Now Service.

Morning Prayer

Morning Prayer on Mondays & Wednesdays at 9am in the Lady Chapel. Zoom Morning Prayer - Tuesdays at 9am. Log in details: 524 546 0709 Password: stmatts

Toddler Group

Thursdays 8.30 to 10.30am

Renew 121

Mondays 2-4pm

Gallery Group

Wednesdays 11am - 12pm

Parish Games

3rd Wednesday 2-4pm

Prayer Focus



Islamic State Mozambique Province (IS-M) have claimed the killing of at least 39 Christians in several attacks over the course of a two-month period. The deaths were all recorded in the northern province of Cabo Delgado between mid-September and mid-November 2025, while IS-M also reported the burning of two churches and 125 homes in an armed assault in the neighbouring province of Nampula. Pray for swift action to end the insurgency in northern Mozambique and bring about peace and stability for all people, particularly our brothers and sisters in Christ.

This week we are praying for the residents of:

Alden Court / Red Court /
Peony Court / Elizabeth Court

Readings for 15th February - Sunday Next before Lent

Exodus 24.12-end / 2 Peter 1.16-end /
Matthew 17.1-9

Diary Dates

15th February 2026

Parish Games

Starting 18th February
2-4pm

Ash Wednesday Services

18th February 2026
10am and 7.30pm

Lent Group

Starts 22nd February
after 10am service

Mihaly Gyorfi Concert

22nd February 7.30pm

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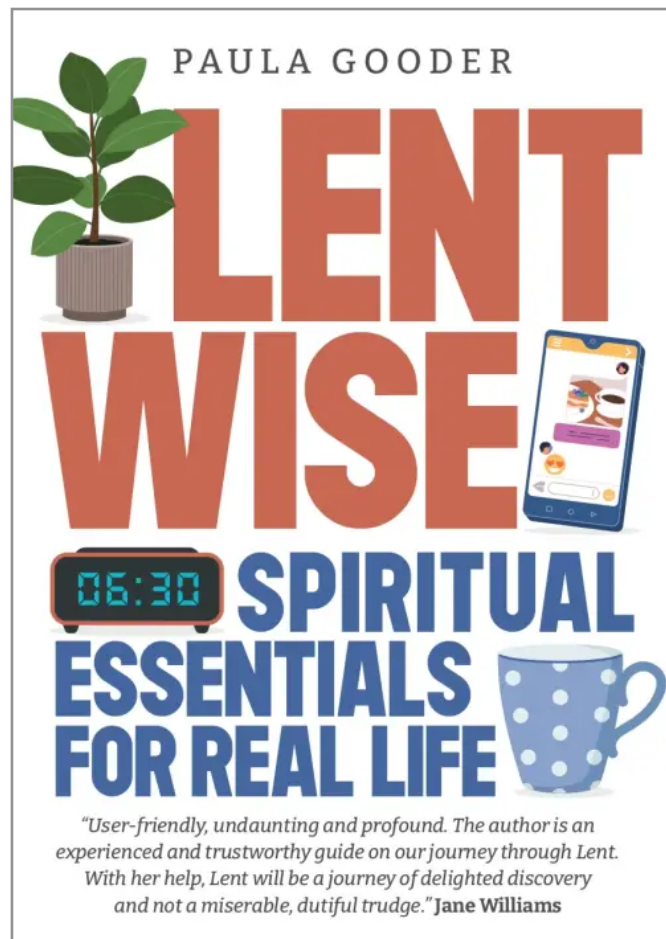
Recycle  Charity



Dear St Matthew's

This year's Lent group will take place each Sunday from 22nd February after the 10am service. All very welcome. We will be following Paula Gooder's book *Lent Wise*. There's no need to buy the book but please do if you want to.

God bless.
Rev Ruth



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