

St. Anne's Church, Chingford

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25th June 2023 – Trinity 3, Proper 7

Parish Eucharist 10.00

Welcomers: Anthony Sullivan, Rosalind Tatam

Server: Eira Endersbee
 Chalice: Alan Pearson
 Lessons: Lindsey Archer
 Prayers: Alan Pearson
 Preacher: Jude Bullock
 Celebrant: Jude Bullock
 Music: Peter Stannard

Hymns:

142 Come, ye faithful

687 Take my life, and let it be

529 Now is eternal life

689 Take up thy cross

623 Praise my soul



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Sooner or later, we will have to recognize that the Earth has rights. What mankind must know is that human beings cannot live without Mother Earth, but the planet can live without humans. — Evo Morales

This week	Monday	26th June	19.30 Plant Committee
	Wednesday	28th June	11.30 Bible Study Group
	Friday	30th June	10.00 Eucharist
	Saturday	1st July	10.00 Coffee Morning
──⇒	Sunday	2nd July	10.00 Parish Eucharist

Collect

Almighty God,
you have broken the tyranny of sin
and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts
whereby we call you Father:
give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your
service,
that we and all creation may be brought
to the glorious liberty of the children of God;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,

Post Communion

O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining and whose power we cannot comprehend: show us your glory as far as we can grasp it, and shield us from knowing more than we can bear until we may look upon you without fear; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

Old Testament Reading

who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Jeremiah 20.7-13

O LORD, you have enticed me, and I was enticed; you have overpowered me, and you have prevailed.
 I have become a laughing-stock all day long; everyone mocks me.
 For whenever I speak, I must cry out, I must shout, 'Violence and destruction!'
 For the word of the LORD has become for me

 a reproach and derision all day long.

 If I say, 'I will not mention him, or speak any more in his name',

shut up in my bones;
I am weary with holding it in, and I cannot.

¹⁰For I hear many whispering: 'Terror is all around!

then within me there is something like a burning fire

Denounce him! Let us denounce him!'

All my close friends are watching for me to stumble.

'Perhaps he can be enticed, and we can prevail against him,

and take our revenge on him.'

¹¹But the LORD is with me like a dread warrior;

therefore my persecutors will stumble, and they will not prevail.

They will be greatly shamed, for they will not succeed.

Their eternal dishonour will never be forgotten.

¹²O LORD of hosts, you test the righteous,

you see the heart and the mind;

let me see your retribution upon them,

for to you I have committed my cause.

¹³Sing to the LORD; praise the LORD!

For he has delivered the life of the needy from the hands of evildoers.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

New Testament Reading

Romans 6.1b-11

¹Should we continue in sin in order that grace may abound? ²By no means! How can we who died to sin go on living in it? ³Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were

baptized into his death? ⁴Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life.

⁵For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. ⁶We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. ⁷For whoever has died is freed from sin. ⁸But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. ⁹We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. ¹⁰The death he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. ¹¹So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Gospel

Matthew 10.24-39

When the Gospel is announced the reader says
Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

All Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus summoned the twelve and sent them out with the following instruction: ²⁴'A disciple is not above the teacher, nor a slave above the master; ²⁵it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher, and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household!

²⁶So have no fear of them; for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered, and nothing secret that will not become known. ²⁷What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light; and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. ²⁸Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. ²⁹Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground unperceived by your Father. ³⁰And even the hairs of your head are all counted. ³¹So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows.

³²Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven: ³³but whoever denies me before others. I also will deny before my Father in heaven.

³⁴Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace, but a sword.

³⁵For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law; ³⁶and one's foes will be members of one's own household.

³⁷Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; ³⁸and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. ³⁹Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, O Christ.

We do not take a collection during the service at St. Anne's as we have a Parish Giving scheme. However if you wish to make a contribution you will find a plate at the back of church. If you would like to join the **Parish Giving** scheme please speak to Lindsey Archer or the church wardens. Also, scanning this QR code will provide information about the scheme and how you can make contributions if you wish.

Please remember Eat or Heat and the toddlers of Ukraine. Please continue—and thank you so much for the donation of goods so far—to add a little to your shopping that can be distributed to those most in need.

Rota: please make sure that if you are on the Rota, Mick has your nonavailability dates for the next quarter. Thank you.

Coffee Morning 1st July, 10—11.30 In aid of the Margaret Centre. Offers of help—most appreciated as well as a few cakes to sell. Please take a poster to display after church this morning or evening. Thank you.

Valentines Singers Concert The next Concert is "A-roving" ~ an hour or so of music for voices, piano and organ featuring: Missa Sancti Jacobi – A Pilgrim Mass by Robert John Read, A-courting by Christopher Brown &

Traditional songs and sacred music from around the Mediterranean! Saturday 8 July 2023 at 8pm - St Andrew's Church, The Drive, Ilford IG1 3PE Tickets available from valentinesingers.org.uk or by calling 01277 364772 Advance price: £13 (£7 students/ benefit holders). On the door price: £15 (£9) Free admission for under 16s.



FOR OUR PRAYERS:

We remember in prayer each day all those both known and unknown to us who are suffering in mind, body and spirit, for those who have care of them, for all who are living with difficulties and trouble at this time and for all who will enter eternity this week.

Anniversaries for June. 1st Blanche Gooch, 2nd Robert Bridger, 3rd Roseanna Bates, 5th Doris Scrutton, 12th Peter Ilsley, 17th Kathleen Leech, 18th Bob Birchnall, 25th Winifred Bonnett, 26th Ethel Ellett, 27th Mary Verrier, Jenny Harwood.

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them, may they rest in peace and rise in glory. Amen