

St Anne's Church, Chingford

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17th March 2024 – Lent 5

Parish Eucharist 10.00

Welcomers: Jenny Miller, Rosalind Tatam

Servers: Julie Adesina, Phil Hallsworth, Terisa Nabukalu

Chalice: Lindsey Archer, Jenny

Scotchmer

Lessons:Phil HallsworthPrayers:Rosalind TatamLeader:Jude BullockPreacher:Jude Bullock

Celebrant: Jude Bullock
Music: Bill Gloyn

Hymns:

437 Lift high the cross

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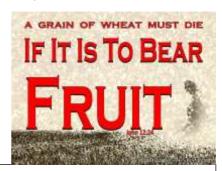
743 There is a Redeemer

205 From heaven you came

351 In bread we bring you

599 Onward Christian pilgrims

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There is no plant in the ground But tells of your beauty, O Christ.

There is no creature in the earth There is no life in the sea But proclaims your goodness.

There is no bird on the wing There is no star in the sky

There is nothing beneath the sun But is full of your blessing.

Lighten my understanding

Of your presence all around O Christ

Kindle my will

to be caring for Creation

From the Iona Community

This week	Monday	18th Mar	20.00 PCC
	Wednesday	20th Mar	20.00 Lent Course (By Zoom)
	Thursday	21st Mar	14.00 Café Church
	Friday	22nd Mar	10.00 Eucharist
□	Sunday	24th Mar	09.45 Palm Sunday Eucharist

Collect

Most merciful God,
who by the death and resurrection of your Son
Jesus Christ
delivered and saved the world:
grant that by faith in him who suffered on the cross
we may triumph in the power of his victory;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

Post Communion

Lord Jesus Christ,
you have taught us
that what we do for the least of our brothers
and sisters
we do also for you:
give us the will to be the servant of others
as you were the servant of all,
and gave up your life and died for us,
but are alive and reign, now and for ever.

Old Testament Reading

one God. now and for ever.

Psalm 51.1-13

- Have mercy on me, O God, in your great goodness; according to the abundance of your compassion blot out my offences.
- Wash me thoroughly from my wickedness and cleanse me from my sin.
- For I acknowledge my faults and my sin is ever before me.
- 4 Against you only have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight,
- 5 So that you are justified in your sentence and righteous in your judgement.
- I have been wicked even from my birth, a sinner when my mother conceived me.
- 7 Behold, you desire truth deep within me and shall make me understand wisdom in the depths of my heart.
- 8 Purge me with hyssop and I shall be clean; wash me and I shall be whiter than snow.
- 9 Make me hear of joy and gladness, that the bones you have broken may rejoice.
- 10 Turn your face from my sins and blot out all my misdeeds.
- 11 Make me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.
- 12 Cast me not away from your presence and take not your holy spirit from me.
- 13 Give me again the joy of your salvation and sustain me with your gracious spirit;

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

New Testament Reading

Hebrews 5.5-10

⁵Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him,

'You are my Son, today I have begotten you'; ⁶as he says also in another place, 'You are a priest for ever, according to the order of Melchizedek.'

⁷In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. ⁸Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; ⁹and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, ¹⁰having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

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Gospel John 12.20-33

When the Gospel is announced the reader says

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

All Glory to you, O Lord.

²⁰Among those who went up to worship at the festival were some Greeks. ²¹They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and said to him, 'Sir, we wish to see Jesus.' ²²Philip went and told Andrew; then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. ²³Jesus answered them, 'The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. ²⁴Very truly, I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit. ²⁵Those who love their life lose it, and those who hate their life in this world will keep it for eternal life. ²⁶Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there will my servant be also. Whoever serves me, the Father will honour.

²⁷'Now my soul is troubled. And what should I say – "Father, save me from this hour"? No, it is for this reason that I have come to this hour. ²⁸Father, glorify your name.' Then a voice came from heaven, 'I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again.' ²⁹The crowd standing there heard it and said that it was thunder. Others said, 'An angel has spoken to him.' ³⁰Jesus answered, 'This voice has come for your sake, not for mine. ³¹Now is the judgement of this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. ³²And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to myself.' ³³He said this to indicate the kind of death he was to die. This is the Gospel of the Lord.

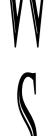
All Praise to you, O Christ.

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 and a card reader if you prefer to donate in that way. 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.

Ukraine and Eat or Heat - We are still collecting for both at the back of the church—children, toddler's and baby items are still very much needed as the war takes its toll on the people of Ukraine. As are long lasting food products and hygiene products for Eat or Heat.



Passiontide: Today marks the beginning of Passiontide so a few dates for your diary. Next Sunday, Palm Sunday, the service begins outside at 9.45 with the blessing of palms and the procession into the Church. In the Evening we have prayer at the cross at 5.30. During Holy Week there will be Evening prayer on Monday Tuesday and Wednesday at 8.00pm, Each evening we will be reflecting on one of the 3 readings used during the Easter Vigil. On Maundy Thursday there is the Eucharist of the Last Supper at 8.00pm and on Good Friday there is a morning informal worship at 10.00am and in the afternoon at 2.00pm we have our service of devotion to the Crucified. On Saturday evening, the Easter vigil begins—outside at 8.00pm. It is the most important and ancient of all Christian worship and it would be wonderful to see as many of you as possible at this beautiful service where the Resurrection is first proclaimed.

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 March: 6th Lily Burnett, 9th Dorothy Rossiter, Joan Page-Webster, 10th Peter Simpson, 11th Florence Digman, 12th Elsie Muscutt, 15th Linda Smith-Pryor, 17th John Barwick, Violet Gibbs, 18th Aglaia Macropoulos, Cyril Ives, 21st Bernice Foster, Anthony Foster, 22nd Kim Runeckles, 23rd Derek Palmer, 24th Betty Crawford, 27th John Wood.

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