

## St Anne's Church, Chingford

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# 28<sup>th</sup> September 2025 – Trinity 15, Proper 21 Parish Eucharist - 10.00

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Welcomers: Velma Davis, Bridget Tongo

Servers: Phil Hallsworth, Lisa Markham, Rob Markham

Chalice: Julie Adesina, Anthony Sullivan

**Lessons:** Jean Ellis

Prayers: Rosalind Tatam
Leader: Julie Adesina
Preacher: Julie Adesina
Celebrant: Mick Scotchmer

Music: Bill Gloyn



19 All my hope on God is founded

91 Brother, sister, let me serve you

819 When I needed a neighbour

362 Inspired by love and anger

150 Crown him with many crowns





This week

Today
Friday
Saturday

Saturday

5th Oct

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No Simple Lunch

Eucharist

10.00

Jumble Sale

19.00

Silent Film Night

Sunday

5th Oct

10.00

Parish Eucharist

#### Collect

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service:

through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

#### **Post Communion**

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Keep, O Lord, your Church, with your perpetual mercy; and, because without you our human frailty cannot but fall, keep us ever by your help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation;

## **Old Testament Reading**

Psalm 146

- Praise the Lord, O my soul: while I live will I praise the Lord; as long as I have any being, I will sing praises to my God.
- 2 Put not your trust in princes, nor in any human power, for there is no help in them.
- When their breath goes forth, they return to the earth; on that day all their thoughts perish.
- Happy are those who have the God of Jacob for their help, whose hope is in the Lord their God;
- Who made heaven and earth, the sea and all that is in them; who keeps his promise for ever;
- Who gives justice to those that suffer wrong and bread to those who hunger.
- 7 The Lord looses those that are bound; the Lord opens the eyes of the blind;
- 8 The Lord lifts up those who are bowed down; the Lord loves the righteous;
- 9 The Lord watches over the stranger in the land; he upholds the orphan and widow;
- but the way of the wicked he turns upside down.
- The Lord shall reign for ever, your God, O Zion, throughout all generations.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

### **New Testament Reading**

1 Timothy 6.6-19

<sup>6</sup>There is great gain in godliness combined with contentment; <sup>7</sup>for we brought nothing into the world, so that we can take nothing out of it; <sup>8</sup>but if we have food and clothing, we will be content with these. <sup>9</sup>But those who want to be rich fall into temptation and are trapped by many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. <sup>10</sup>For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, and in their eagerness to be rich some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pains.

<sup>11</sup>But as for you, man of God, shun all this; pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, gentleness. <sup>12</sup>Fight the good fight of the faith; take hold of the eternal life, to which you were called and for which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. <sup>13</sup>In the presence of God, who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus, who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, <sup>14</sup>I charge you to keep the commandment without spot or blame until the manifestation of our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>15</sup>which he will bring about at the right time – he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords. <sup>16</sup>It is he alone who has immortality and dwells in unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see; to him be honour and eternal dominion. Amen.

<sup>17</sup>As for those who in the present age are rich, command them not to be haughty, or to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but rather on God who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. <sup>18</sup>They are to do good, to be rich in good works, generous, and ready to share, <sup>19</sup>thus storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of the life that really is life.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Gospel *Luke 16.19-31* 

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

All Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus told this parable to those among the Pharisees who loved money: 19'There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. <sup>20</sup>And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, <sup>21</sup>who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man's table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. 22The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. 23In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. 24He called out, "Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames." <sup>25</sup>But Abraham said, "Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. <sup>26</sup>Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us." <sup>27</sup>The man who had been rich said, "Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father's house - 28 for I have five brothers - that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment." <sup>29</sup>Abraham replied, "They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them." 30He said, "No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent." 31Abraham said to him, "If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead."'

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. Today's Harvest offerings will be going to Eat or Heat.

November to January Rotas – The rota for the next quarter will shortly be prepared. Please let Mick know of any dates you will not be available. Additionally if you or would like to join a new rota please let Mick know.

Jumble Sale Saturday 4th October, 10-12 - Help welcome, please, with sorting jumble on Friday 3rd from 11am, setting up late on Friday (please speak to Anthony) and on Saturday from 8.30, at the sale and in clearing away afterwards. Jumble also welcome, of course. Proceeds will go to church funds.

Silent Film Night - Buster Keaton in "The General" with cinema organist Saturday 4 October, 7 for 7.30pm. Tickets £15 adults, £8 for children, available from Lindsey. Do join us and bring friends for a great evening. There is a list to sign at the back of church.

The music this week is all by the British composer John Rutter, who celebrated his 80th birthday on Wednesday. He is perhaps best known for his carols and sacred music. Full details on the sheet at the back of church.

#### 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 September; 1st Christopher Birchnall, 2nd Sheila Bryan, Hilda Scotchmer, 5<sup>th</sup> Ruth Wood, 6<sup>th</sup> Patricia Neighbour, 9<sup>th</sup> Doris Hebbard, Mary Taylor, 14<sup>th</sup> Alice Hughes, 17<sup>th</sup> Geoffrey Hebbard, 20<sup>th</sup> George Bates, 21<sup>st</sup> Mary Crosby, 22<sup>nd</sup> Alfred Frye, 24<sup>th</sup> Christine Ilsley, 29<sup>th</sup> Melvin Oakes.

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