We do not take a collection at St. Anne's as we have a Free Will Offering 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 Free Will Offering scheme please speak to Andy Crawford, Mark Ebden or the church wardens.

### Tragedy

During the week 6 children sponsored by One Life were tragically killed under a collapsed building. Please remember them and the work of One Life in your prayers this week.

#### COMING SOON

Please keep the date free - *Saturday 3rd March* for a 'Party and Entertainment' evening - Cheese and Wine and Fruit etc. - in aid of St. Anne's and One Life. More details and tickets shortly!!

#### **SCRAMBLERS**

Please we need more volunteers to help with the Scramblers. If you would like to help out and want to be on the Rota please have a word with Val. Thank you.

#### SUNDAY MORNING CAR ROTA PLEA FROM BERYL STRATTON

With Veronica moving away in December the number of regular drivers is down to five. If anyone could offer to collect some of our elderly church members and bring them to Sunday morning 10am Eucharist, even if it was one Sunday a month, I would be very pleased to hear from them. I can be contacted on 8524 2655 or 07720 049706 or <u>beryl.stratton@btinternet.com</u>.

### FOR OUR PRAYERS:

<u>Sick and wanting prayer</u>; Dorothy and Ted Bulled, Gladys Gloyn, Rachel Higgons, Rahat Munir, Joan Page-Webster, Gladys Travis, Pauline Warner, Nancy Khuzwayo (One Life) Rachel Michell, Valerie Black, Pamela Finbow, Jenny Harwood, Gill Head, Mary Taylor, Paul and Ann, Ashton Simeron, Derek Palmer, Betty Crawford, Fred Bullock.

<u>Anniversaries for February</u>: 2nd George Radford, 3rd Emily Brewis, 6th Walter Rolfe, 20th William Sherman, 22nd Beryl Lovitt, 23rd Arthur Runeckles, Victor Foster, 24th Dorothy Potter, Albert Gates, 25th Maureen Cope, 26th Kenneth Gwynn, 27th Lillian Bates. 28th Teresa Carroll

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



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### 2nd Sunday before Lent Eucharist 10.00

Jennifer Walcott, Barbara Shepard, Rosalind Tatam John Williams, Jenny Scotchmer, Jill Rooke-Matthews Mick Scotchmer, Beryl Stratton

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Order of ServiceOption2Eucharistic prayerA

349 Immortal, Invisible, God only wise
767 Thou whose almighty word
66 Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart
52 At the name of Jesus (Evelyns)
387 Jesus is Lord! Creation's voice proclaims



Today is clergy swap Sunday and we warmly welcome Rev Alex Summers from SS Peter and Paul's to preside and preach at our Eucharist.

Ρ	This week	Tuesday Thursday Friday Sunday	14th Feb 16th Feb 17th Feb 19th Feb	13.30 14.00 10.00 10.00	St Anne's Angels Healing Eucharist Informal Eucharist
Name Phone no. E-mail Address	<u>St. A</u>	nne's welcor	<u>me form</u>		You are very welcome here at St. Anne's. If you would like us to keep in touch with you or you are not on the electoral roll please fill in this form and hand it to the wardens, sidesmen or the vicar

#### Collect

Almighty God, you have created the heavens and the earth and made us in your own image: teach us to discern your hand in all your works and your likeness in all your children; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over all things, now and for ever.

#### Post Communion

God our creator, by your gift the tree of life was set at the heart of the earthly paradise, and the bread of life at the heart of your Church: may we who have been nourished at your table on earth be transformed by the glory of the Saviour's cross and enjoy the delights of eternity; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

# **Old Testament Reading**

## Psalm 104.26-37

- 26 O Lord, how manifold are your works!
  - In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.
- 27 There is the sea, spread far and wide, and there move creatures beyond number, both small and great.
- 28 There go the ships, and there is that Leviathan which you have made to play in the deep.
- 29 All of these look to you to give them their food in due season.
- 30 When you give it them, they gather it; you open your hand and they are filled with good.
- 31 When you hide your face they are troubled; when you take away their breath,
  - they die and return again to the dust.
- 32 When you send forth your spirit, they are created, and you renew the face of the earth.
- 33 May the glory of the Lord endure for ever; may the Lord rejoice in his works;
- 34 He looks on the earth and it trembles; he touches the mountains and they smoke.
- 35 I will sing to the Lord as long as I live; I will make music to my God while I have my being.
- 36 So shall my song please him while I rejoice in the Lord.
- 37 Let sinners be consumed out of the earth and the wicked be no more. Bless the Lord, O my soul.

Alleluia.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

# New Testament Reading

Colossians 1.15-20

<sup>15</sup>Christ is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; <sup>16</sup>for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers – all things have been created through him and for him. <sup>17</sup>He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. <sup>18</sup>He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. <sup>19</sup>For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, <sup>20</sup>and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

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# Gospel

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.

<sup>1</sup>In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. <sup>2</sup>He was in the beginning with God. <sup>3</sup>All things came into being through him, and without him not one thing came into being. <sup>4</sup>What has come into being in him was life, and the life was the light of all people. <sup>5</sup>The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it.

<sup>6</sup>There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. <sup>7</sup>He came as a witness to testify to the light, so that all might believe through him. <sup>8</sup>He himself was not the light, but he came to testify to the light. <sup>9</sup>The true light, which enlightens everyone, was coming into the world.

<sup>10</sup>He was in the world, and the world came into being through him; yet the world did not know him. <sup>11</sup>He came to what was his own, and his own people did not accept him. <sup>12</sup>But to all who received him, who believed in his name, he gave power to become children of God, <sup>13</sup>who were born, not of blood or of the will of the flesh or of the will of man, but of God.

<sup>14</sup>And the Word became flesh and lived among us, and we have seen his glory, the glory as of a father's only son, full of grace and truth.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, O Christ.

John 1.1-14