

# St. Anne's Church, Chingford

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# 2nd October 2022 – Trinity 16 Proper 22

Parish Eucharist 10.00

Welcomers: Jenny Miller, Nina Hammarberg
Servers: Phil Hallsworth, Alan Pearson

Chalice: Alan Pearson
Lessons: Ron Abraham
Prayers: Mick Scotchmer
Lead: Jude Bullock
Preacher: Jude Bullock
Celebrant: Mick Scotchmer

**Celebrant:** Mick Scotchmer **Music:** Peter Stannard

Hymns:

186 Firmly I believe

169 Father hear the prayer

652 Seek ye first

152 Dear Lord and Father

246 God is working his purposes



Thought for the month comes from Greta Thunberg

"I have learned you are never too small to make a difference."

This	Tuesday	4th Oct	20.00 MLT	
week	Friday	7th Oct	10.00 Eucharist	
Week	Sunday	9th Oct	10.00 Parish Eucharist	
$\Longrightarrow$			12.30 Simple Lunch	

#### Collect

O Lord, we beseech you mercifully to hear the prayers of your people who call upon you; and grant that they may both perceive and know what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil them:

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 eyer.

#### Post Communion

Almighty God,
you have taught us through your Son
that love is the fulfilling of the law:
grant that we may love you with our whole
heart
and our neighbours as ourselves;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## **Old Testament Reading**

Habakkuk 1.1-4; 2.1-4

<sup>1</sup>The oracle that the prophet Habakkuk saw.

<sup>2</sup>O LORD, how long shall I cry for help, and you will not listen?

Or cry to you 'Violence!'

and you will not save?

<sup>3</sup>Why do you make me see wrongdoing

and look at trouble?

Destruction and violence are before me;

strife and contention arise.

<sup>4</sup>So the law becomes slack

and justice never prevails.

The wicked surround the righteous –

therefore judgement comes forth perverted.

<sup>1</sup>I will stand at my watch-post,

and station myself on the rampart;

I will keep watch to see what he will say to me,

and what he will answer concerning my complaint.

<sup>2</sup>Then the LORD answered me and said:

Write the vision;

make it plain on tablets,

so that a runner may read it.

<sup>3</sup>For there is still a vision for the appointed time;

it speaks of the end, and does not lie.

If it seems to tarry, wait for it;

it will surely come, it will not delay.

<sup>4</sup>Look at the proud!

Their spirit is not right in them, but the righteous live by their faith.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

<sup>1</sup>Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, for the sake of the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus,

Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

<sup>3</sup>I am grateful to God – whom I worship with a clear conscience, as my ancestors did – when I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. <sup>4</sup>Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled with joy. <sup>5</sup>I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you. <sup>6</sup>For this reason I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is within you through the laying on of my hands; <sup>7</sup>for God did not give us a spirit of cowardice, but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-discipline.

<sup>8</sup>Do not be ashamed, then, of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner, but join with me in suffering for the gospel, relying on the power of God, <sup>9</sup>who saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works but according to his own purpose and grace. This grace was given to us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, <sup>10</sup>but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Saviour Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. <sup>11</sup>For this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher, <sup>12</sup>and for this reason I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know the one in whom I have put my trust, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day what I have entrusted to him. <sup>13</sup>Hold to the standard of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. <sup>14</sup>Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Gospel *Luke 17.5-10* 

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.

<sup>5</sup>The apostles said to the Lord, 'Increase our faith!' <sup>6</sup>The Lord replied, 'If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, "Be uprooted and planted in the sea," and it would obey you.

<sup>7</sup>Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from ploughing or tending sheep in the field, "Come here at once and take your place at the table"? <sup>8</sup>Would you not rather say to him, "Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink"? <sup>9</sup>Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? <sup>10</sup>So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, "We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!""

All Praise to you, O Christ.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>To Timothy, my beloved child:

We do not take a collection during the service 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 Lindsey Archer, Andy Crawford or the church wardens.

Bazaar—yes, that time of year is rapidly approaching... Valerie Muscutt would like any unwanted wool, yarns and crochet threads to make items to the bazaar. Please leave these items at the back of the church.

Big thanks to all who helped and came to the coffee morning yesterday and also to all who participated in the litter pic. Brilliant.

Visiting preacher next Sunday. We welcome Rev Sandra Eldridge who will be preaching on the climate emergency and creation care.

### 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 October. 5th Emily Gennings, Clifford Pyne, 8th Frank Acons, 13th Arthur Trapnell, Chris Evans, 14th Dorothy Gates, Dorothy Bulled 15th Ken Symonds, 16th Vera Norton, 18th Ken Howland, 19th Maisie Blackwell, Mary Rogers, 21st, Leonard Thomas, 23rd Victor Treadwell, Fred Dalley, Margot Ilsley, 28th Katherine Moxon, 31st Irene Mountford

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