

St Anne's Church, Chingford

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6th August 2023 – Transfiguration of our Lord Parish Eucharist 10.00

Welcomers: Anthony Sullivan, Bridget Tongo

Server: Phil Hallsworth
Chalice: Heather Gwynn
Lessons: Phil Hallsworth
Alan Pearson
Preacher: Mick Scotchmer

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

Hymns:

105 Christ, whose glory fills the skies

775 Tis good, Lord, to be here 687 Take my life, and let it be

33 Alleluia, sing to Jesus52 At the name of Jesus





'God writes the Gospel not in the Bible alone, but also on trees, and in the flowers, and clouds and stars.'

Martin Luther

This week

Friday 11th Aug 10.00 Eucharist

Sunday 13th Aug 10.00 Parish Eucharist

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Collect

Father in heaven, whose Son Jesus Christ was wonderfully transfigured

before chosen witnesses upon the holy mountain, and spoke of the exodus he would accomplish at Jerusalem:

give us strength so to hear his voice and bear our cross

that in the world to come we may see him as he $\,$

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

Post Communion

Holy God,

we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ: may we who are partakers at his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save.

This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 97

- The Lord is king: let the earth rejoice; let the multitude of the isles be glad.
- 2 Clouds and darkness are round about him; righteousness and justice are the foundation of his throne.
- 3 Fire goes before him and burns up his enemies on every side.
- 4 His lightnings lit up the world; the earth saw it and trembled.
- The mountains melted like wax at the presence of the Lord, at the presence of the Lord of the whole earth.
- The heavens declared his righteousness and all the peoples have seen his glory.
- 7 Confounded be all who worship carved images and delight in mere idols.
 - Bow down before him, all you gods.
- 8 Zion heard and was glad, and the daughters of Judah rejoiced, because of your judgements, O Lord.
- 9 For you, Lord, are most high over all the earth; you are exalted far above all gods.
- The Lord loves those who hate evil; he preserves the lives of his faithful and delivers them from the hand of the wicked.
- 11 Light has sprung up for the righteous and joy for the true of heart.
- 12 Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous and give thanks to his holy name.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

New Testament Reading

2 Peter 1.16-19

¹⁶We did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. ¹⁷For he received honour and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, 'This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.' ¹⁸We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on the holy mountain.

¹⁹So we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Gospel *Luke 9.28-36*

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.

²⁸ Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. ²⁹ And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. ³⁰ Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. ³¹ They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. ³² Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. ³³ Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, 'Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.' Peter did not know what he said. ³⁴While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. ³⁵Then from the cloud came a voice that said, 'This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!' ³⁶When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen. 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.

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.

Table Top Sale - Many thanks to those who helped at the Table Top sale yesterday to make it the success it was.

African Caribbean evening: Saturday August 19th 6-9.30pm: Do join us for a wonderful evening of fun and friendship, food and drink, music and entertainment - all welcome. Tickets are now available from Lindsey Archer, £15 adults, £8 children aged 6-11, free for children of 5 and under. Please also take posters or flyers to spread the word.

Café Church If you can help to run the planned Café Church starting in September on Thursdays from 2pm to 4pm please let Jude, Mick or one of the churchwardens know.

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 August: 1st Margaret Halford, 10th Lillian Whitehead, 11th Alex Joseph, 12th Doris Sullivan, 13th John Malony, 15th Katie Anderson, 19th Brian Jones, 29th Ivy Hughes.

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