



St Anne's Church, Chingford

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12th April 2026 – Easter 2

Easter Eucharist – 10.00

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Welcomers: Jacqueline Haniff-Bentham, Rosalind Tatam

Servers: Lindsey Archer, Lisa Markham, Rob Markham

Chalice: Lindsey Archer, Heather Gwynn

Lessons: Phil Hallsworth

Prayers: Rosalind Tatam

Preacher: Ola Franklin

Celebrant: Ola Franklin

Music: Bill Gloyn

Hymns:

463 Lord Jesus Christ

277 Hail the day that sees Him rise - verses 1,2,5,6 & 8

87 Breathe on me, breath of God

516 My God, how wonderful thou art

764 Thou art the Christ, my Lord

Refuse what you do not need; Reduce what you do need; Reuse by using reusables; Recycle what you cannot refuse, reduce, or reuse; and Rot (compost) the rest – Bea Johnson.

We welcome the Revd. Ola Franklin to celebrate and preach this morning.



This week



Monday	13 th Apr	19.30	Projects and Events Committee
Wednesday	15 th Apr	19.30	Pastoral Committee
Friday	17 th Apr	10.00	Eucharist
Sunday	19 th Apr	10.00	Informal Eucharist

Collect

Almighty Father,
you have given your only Son to die for our sins
and to rise again for our justification:
grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and
wickedness
that we may always serve you
in pureness of living and truth;
through the merits of your Son Jesus Christ our
Lord, who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion

Lord God our Father,
through our Saviour Jesus Christ
you have assured your children of eternal life
and in baptism have made us one with him:
deliver us from the death of sin
and raise us to new life in your love,
in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
Lord, by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.

First Reading

Acts 2.14a,22-32

On the day of Pentecost, 14Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: 22'You that are Israelites, listen to what I have to say: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with deeds of power, wonders, and signs that God did through him among you, as you yourselves know – 23this man, handed over to you according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of those outside the law. 24But God raised him up, having freed him from death, because it was impossible for him to be held in its power. 25For David says concerning him,

"I saw the Lord always before me,
for he is at my right hand so that I will not be shaken;
26therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced;
moreover, my flesh will live in hope.
27For you will not abandon my soul to Hades,
or let your Holy One experience corruption.
28You have made known to me the ways of life;
you will make me full of gladness with your presence."

29'Fellow Israelites, I may say to you confidently of our ancestor David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. 30Since he was a prophet, he knew that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would put one of his descendants on his throne. 31Foreseeing this, David spoke of the resurrection of the Messiah, saying,
"He was not abandoned to Hades,
nor did his flesh experience corruption."

32This Jesus God raised up, and of that all of us are witnesses.'

This is the word of the Lord, Alleluia, Alleluia.

All Thanks be to God, Alleluia, Alleluia.

Second Reading

1 Peter 1.3-9

3Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the

dead, ⁴and into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, ⁵who are being protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. ⁶In this you rejoice, even if now for a little while you have had to suffer various trials, ⁷so that the genuineness of your faith – being more precious than gold that, though perishable, is tested by fire – may be found to result in praise and glory and honour when Jesus Christ is revealed. ⁸Although you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy, ⁹for you are receiving the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

This is the word of the Lord, Alleluia, Alleluia.

All **Thanks be to God, Alleluia, Alleluia.**

Gospel

John 20.19-31

When the Gospel is announced the reader says

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

All **Glory to you, O Lord, Alleluia, Alleluia.**

¹⁹When it was evening on the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' ²⁰After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. ²¹Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' ²²When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

²⁴But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord.' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.'

²⁶A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' ²⁷Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.' ²⁸Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!' ²⁹Jesus said to him, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.'

³⁰Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. ³¹But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

This is the Gospel of the Lord, Alleluia, Alleluia.

All **Praise to you, O Christ, Alleluia, Alleluia.**

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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.

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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.

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Annual General Meeting – Our church annual meeting will now be on Sunday 24th May at 11.45 after the service.

Table-Top Sale, Sat 2nd May 10.00 – 11.30– If you want a table or can assist at our next Table-Top Sale please speak to Anthony, Heather or Lindsey.

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Synagogue exchange. As has been the case in recent years we will have exchange visits with the Woodford reformed and progressive Synagogue again this year. The Synagogue will come to us on Sunday 3rd May. There will be a Eucharist on that Sunday at 8.30 am. As the main service will not be a communion service. We have been invited by Rabbi Richard to worship with them on Friday 8th May.

May to July Rotas – These will be prepared next week. Please let Mick have any dates you are not available as soon as possible.

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 April.

1st Gregory Canning, 6th Mabel Garrett, 7th Peggy Eley, 13th Freddie Banks, Michael Taylor, 20th Gwen Coombs, 24th Barbara Shepard, 28th Alice Rolfe.

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