

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 November: 1st Frederica Wood, Thelma Mensing, Maude Stannard 2nd Wilhelmina Hoffman, 4th Gwendoline Salen 6th Grace Pickard, Pauline Rolph, 8th Emily Ralph, 12th Elsie Maloney, 13th Donald Patton, 14th Jack Newnham, 15th Henry Hebbard, Alfred Burnett, 21st George Digman, 23rd, Graham Miller, Brian Warner, 27th, Gladys Larsen, Peter John Smith, 28th Lillian Taylor, 30th, Laurence Mountford.

Recently Deceased: David 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

This week



Monday	18th Nov	20.00	Parochial Church Council
Tuesday	19th Nov	12.30	Memorial Service—David Rolfe
Thursday	21st Nov	14.00	Open Church
Friday	22nd Nov	10.00	Holy Communion
Sunday	24th Nov	10.00	Parish Eucharist
		17.30	Evening Prayer

David Rolfe's Memorial Service: Will be held at 12:30 on Tues 19th Nov, followed by tea and biscuits and a chat in the Church Centre. The service is a celebration of David's life so we are asked not to wear black. No flowers but there will be a retiring collection for Christian Aid. The funeral is at 11.15 at Forest Park Crematorium.

St Anne's Bazaar Thurs 28th and Sat 30th Nov

There are boxes at the back of church for goods to sell at the bazaar - as well as toiletries, gifts, raffle prizes, unwanted gifts, soft toys, children's books, jigsaws and toys, we also welcome tombola prizes and (nearer the time!) home-made cakes and preserves.

If you are able to help with a stall on either Thursday 28th or Saturday 30th, please have a word with Val, Heather or Anthony, so we can make sure everything is covered.

The full timetable for bazaar week is:

Tuesday 26th:	from 11.30am	setting up stalls in main hall
	pm	decorating stalls
Wednesday 27th.	am	decorating/stocking stalls (main hall)
	From 3pm	setting up/decorating stalls in front clubrooms
Thursday 28th	am	both halls open for stocking stalls
	2-5pm	BAZAAR
Saturday 28th.	10am - 4pm	BAZAAR
	From 4pm	taking down stalls and clearing up.

Help welcome at all stages - thank you!

One of the major fund raisers at the bazaar is the raffle. Tickets are now available. Please take some to sell to your family and friends.



Parish Church of St. Anne Chingford



17th November 2019—2nd Sunday Before Advent

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Welcomers: Jenny Miller, Anthony Sullivan, Rosalind Tatam
Administration: Lindsey Archer, Jenny Scotchmer
Server: Eira Endersbee
Celebrant: Mick Scotchmer
Music: Peter Stannard

This morning we welcome Gabriella into the full life of Christ's family by baptism. A very warm welcome to Grace and Victor, godparents and friends.

350 Immortal love for ever full!

Prayer of forgiveness

Lord bring new life where we are worn and tired, bring new love where we have been hard-hearted. Bring forgiveness where we feel hurt, and where we have wounded; Bring the joy and freedom of your Holy Spirit where we are prisoners of ourselves.

Pause for silent reflection

To all and to each, on your community and friends, where regret is real, God pronounces his pardon and grants us the right to begin again.

Thanks be to God Amen.

Gloria See Sheet

Heavenly Father, by the power of your Holy Spirit you give to your faithful people new life in the water of baptism. Guide and strengthen us by the same Spirit, that we who are born again may serve you in faith and love, and grow into the full

stature of your Son, Jesus Christ, **Amen**

The decision

Grace and Victor; Gabriella depends chiefly on you for the help and encouragement she needs. Will you give it to her by your prayers, your example and your guidance?

With the help of God, we will.

Will you, the family, friends and parish community of St. Anne's welcome her and support her on her journey with Christ?

With the help of God, we will.

Parents and godparents, as you thank God for the gift of Gabriella, do you turn to Christ who forgives our sins and reconciles us to God?

I turn to Christ.

Gabriella is anointed with oil

Christ claims you for his own. Receive the sign of his cross. Do not be ashamed to confess the faith of Christ crucified.

May the love of Christ guide you every day of your life.

May almighty God restore in you the image of his glory, and lead you in the light and service of Christ.

FIRST READING: Acts 9:10-20

114 Colours of day dawn into the mind

GOSPEL Luke 3:15-17, 21, 22

REFLECTION

177 Father, we love you

Prayer of Faith

Let us declare our faith in God.

We believe in God the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named.

We believe in God the Son, who lives in our hearts through faith, and fills us with his love.

We believe in God the Holy Spirit, who strengthens us with power from on high. We believe in one God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

Blessing of water

Father we give you thanks and praise for your gift of water in creation; for your Spirit, sweeping over the waters, bringing light and life; for your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, baptised in the river Jordan.

We bless you for your new creation, brought to birth by water and the Spirit, and for your grace bestowed upon us your children, washing away our sins.

May your Holy and life-giving Spirit move upon these waters. Restore through them the beauty of your creation, and bring those who are baptised to new birth in the family of your Church. **Amen.**

Gabriella is Baptised

Bisola Gabriella, I baptise you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Prayer of blessing for the newly baptised

May your days be long on this rich earth
May you know health, peace and justice
May your life be filled with laughter and fun
May you be surrounded with good friends
May you know what it is to love and be loved.

May your footing be sure and your pathway clear

May the road rise to meet you

May the wind be always at your back

May the sun shine warm upon your face

May the rains fall softly on your head

And may God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit hold you in the hollow of his hand and may his rich blessing be upon you today and for ever more. **Amen**

Sign of Peace

411 Judge eternal, throned in splendour
The gifts of bread and wine are then brought to the table

And now, following Jesus' example and command we take this bread and wine, the ordinary things of the world which Christ will make special. And as he prayed before sharing, let us do so too.

Intercessory prayers

In the silence of our hearts, let us pray for those who need to be remembered: For those who have made the headlines today because of what they have done or said: for those who care for us and for those we care for:

For Gabriella who today has received new life in baptism

For those who are sick or in trouble:

For those whom the words 'Peace and Justice' bring to mind:

For those for whom we have a special concern:

For those who have died and those we remember with love and affection:

Finally we pray for ourselves:

And now, as Jesus taught us so we pray

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.

Your Kingdom come,

your will be done, on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins,

as we forgive those who sin against us.

Lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom,

the power and the glory are yours.

Now and for ever. Amen

Lord Jesus Christ, present with us now, for all that you have done and all that you have promised, what have we to offer?

Our hands are empty, Our hearts are sometimes full of wrong things, We are not fit to gather up the crumbs from under your table.

But with you is mercy, and the power to change us. So we do here what you did in an upstairs room. Send down your Holy Spirit on us and on these gifts of bread and wine that they may become for us your body and blood, healing, forgiving and making us whole, and that we may become, for you, your body, living and caring in the world until your kingdom comes. **Amen.**

Among friends, gathered round a table, Jesus took bread, broke it and said, This is my body. It is broken, for you.

And later he took the cup of wine and said This is my blood, the new relationship with God made possible because of my death.

Take this, all of you.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world. Have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world. Have mercy on us.

Lamb of God your take away the sin of the world. Grant us your Peace.

These are the gifts of God for the people of God; our Lord is coming to us in bread and wine.

Distribution of Holy Communion

Silent prayer of thanksgiving then notices

Giving of a Lighted Candle

Through his death and resurrection Jesus has brought the light of hope into the world. Gabriella you have received today the light of Christ; the light no darkness can overcome. Walk in this light all the days of your life.

Shine as a light in the world to the glory of God the Father

Blessing of Parents and Godparents

Faithful and loving God, bless those who care for Gabriella and grant them your gifts of love, wisdom and faith.

Pour upon them your healing and reconciling love, and protect their home from all evil. Fill them with the light of your presence and establish them in the joy of your kingdom, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Final Blessing

May God embrace you with love and make kindness flow out from you.

May God ignite courage within you and transform you into agents of justice and peace.

May God grant you humility and give you perseverance to nurture unity. **Amen.**