

Parish Church of St. Anne Chingford

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WORSHIP

Easter 7 - 16th May 2021

Informal Eucharist 10.00

Welcomers: Nina Hammarberg, Rosalind Tatam

Prayers: Rosalind Tatam

Reading: Nina Hammarberg

Server: Alan Pearson
Celebrant: Mick Scotchmer
Music: Peter Stannard



HYMN 1. Hail

- Hail the day that sees him rise, Alleluia! Glorious to his native skies; Alleluia! Christ awhile to mortals given, Alleluia! enters now the highest heaven! Alleluia!
- There the glorious triumph waits; lift your heads, eternal gates! Christ hath vanquished death and sin; take the King of Glory in!
- See, the heaven its Lord receives, yet he loves the earth he leaves; though returning to his throne, still he calls mankind his own.

- 4. See, he lifts his hands above; see, he shows the prints of love; hark, his gracious lips bestow, blessings on his Church below.
- 5. Still for us he intercedes, his prevailing death he pleads; near himself prepares our place, harbinger of human race.
- 6. Lord, though parted from our sight, far above yon azure height, grant our hearts may thither rise, seeking thee beyond the skies.
- 7. There we shall with thee remain, partners of thine endless reign, there thy face unclouded see, find our heaven of heavens in thee.

This	Friday	21st May	10.00	Eucharist
week	Sunday	23rd May	10.00	Parish Eucharist

PRAYER OF FORGIVENESS

Jesus says, 'Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is close at hand.' So let us turn away from sin and turn to Christ, confessing our sins in penitence and faith.

Lord God, we have sinned against you; we have done evil in your sight. We are sorry and repent. Have mercy on us according to your love. Wash away our wrongdoing and cleanse us from our sin. Renew a right spirit within us and restore us to the joy of your salvation, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

May almighty God, who sent his Son into the world to save sinners, bring you his pardon and peace, now and for ever.

Thanks be to God Amen.

COLLECT

O God the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: we beseech you, leave us not comfortless, but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING Acts 1.15-17,21-26

HYMN

- Jesus shall reign where' er the sun does his successive journeys run; his kingdom stretch from shore to shore, till moons shall wax and wane no more.
- People and realms of every tongue dwell on his love with sweetest song, and infant voices shall proclaim their early blessings on his name.
- 3. Blessings abound where'er he reigns: the pris'ners leap to lose their chains; the weary find eternal rest, and all the humble poor are blest.
- 4. Let every creature rise and bring peculiar honours to our King; angels descend with songs again, and earth repeat the loud amen.

REFLECTION





HYMN

- for the beauty of the earth, for the beauty of the skies, for the love which from our birth over and around us lies:
 - Lord of all to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.
- For the beauty of each hour of the day and of the night, hill and vale and tree and flower, sun and moon and stars of light:
- For the joy of human love, brother, sister, parent, child, friends on earth, and friends above, pleasures pure and undefiled:
- For each perfect gift of thine, to our race so freely given, graces human and divine, flowers of earth and buds of heaven:

PRAYER OF FAITH

Let us declare our faith in God.

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father,

God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son.

With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified.

He has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy, catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

INTERCESSIONS

SIGN OF PEACE

God has made us one in Christ.

He has set his seal upon us and, as a pledge of what is to come, has given the Spirit to dwell in our hearts. Alleluia.

The Peace of the Lord be always with you **And also with you.**

HYMN

- Christ triumphant, ever reigning, Saviour, Master, King.
 Lord of heaven, our lives sustaining, hear us as we sing:
 - Yours the glory and the crown, the high renown, th'eternal name.
- Word incarnate, truth revealing, Son of Man on earth!
 Power and majesty concealing by your humble birth:
- Priestly King, enthroned for ever high in heaven above
 Sin and death and hell shall never stifle hymns of love.
- 4. So, our hearts and voices raising through the ages long, ceaselessly upon you gazing, this shall be our song:

The gifts are brought to the table during the hymn

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation; you bring forth bread from the earth.

Blessed be God for ever.

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation; you create the fruit of the vine.

Blessed be God for ever.

The Lord be with you and also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give thanks and praise.

It is always right to give you thanks, God our Creator, loving and faithful, holy and strong.

You made us and the whole universe, and filled your world with life.

You sent your Son to live among us, Jesus our Saviour, Mary's child. He suffered on the cross; he died to save us from our sins; he rose in glory from the dead.

You send your Spirit to bring new life to the world, and clothe us with power from on high.

And so we join the angels to celebrate and say:

Holy, holy, holy Lord,

God of power and might,

heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Father, on the night before he died, Jesus shared a meal with his friends.

He took the bread, and thanked you. He broke it, and gave it to them, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this to remember me.

After the meal, Jesus took the cup of wine. He thanked you, and gave it to them, saying: Drink this, all of you. This is my blood, the new promise of God's unfailing love. Do this to remember me.

Jesus Christ has died.

Jesus Christ has died.

Jesus Christ is risen.

Jesus Christ is risen.

Jesus Christ will come again.

Jesus Christ will come again.

Father, as we bring this bread and wine, and remember his death and resurrection, send your Holy Spirit, that we who share these gifts may be fed by Christ's body and his blood.

Pour your Spirit on us that we may love one another, work for the healing of the earth, and share the good news of Jesus, as we wait for his coming in glory.

For honour and praise belong to you, Father, with Jesus your Son, and the Holy Spirit: one God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

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.

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ

Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread.

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.

Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.

Jesus, redeemer 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

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Eternal God, giver of love and power, your Son Jesus Christ has sent us into all the world to preach the gospel of his kingdom: confirm us in this mission, and help us to live the good news we proclaim; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Almighty God,
we thank you for feeding us
With the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ.
Through him we offer you our souls and bodies
to be a living sacrifice.
Send us out
in the power of your Spirit
to live and work
to your praise and glory.

NOTICES

Amen.

FINAL BLESSING

The Spirit of truth lead you into all truth, give you grace to confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, and strengthen you to proclaim the word and works of God; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,

HYMN

- Rejoice, the Lord is King!
 Your Lord and King adore;
 mortals, give thanks and sing,
 and triumph evermore.
 Lift up your heart, lift up your voice;
 rejoice, again I say rejoice.
- 2. Jesus the Saviour reigns, the God of truth and love; when he had purged our stains, he took his seat above.
- 3. His kingdom cannot fail; he rules o'er earth and heav'n; the keys of death and hell are to our Jesus giv'n.
- 4. He sits at God's right hand till all his foes submit, and bow to his command, and fall beneath his feet.

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, Lindsey Archer or the church wardens.

Eat or Heat—There is still a real need at this time. Now we are back in church, please start to bring in donations.

The following items are particularly required at this time:

Boxes of Cereal, Canned meat, Canned tomatoes, Canned vegetables (i.e. carrots, peas etc.), Canned dessert,

Long Life milk/Milk Powder, Instant Coffee, Pulses, Kidney Beans, Chick Peas, Sanitary Towels, Tampons.

Wool Required.—Valerie Muskutt is knitting items in preparation for future fund raising events. If you have any spare knitting wool (including small oddments) she could use please leave it at the back of church.



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 May.

2nd Eric Norton, 6th Kathleen Rickard, 12th Lillian Fisher, 18th Michael Tucker, Edna Mortimer, 21st Pauline Warner, 23rd Joan Pinder, 26th Winton Scotchmer, Doris Smy, 30th Winifred Sherman, Peter Potter.

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