

# Parish Church of St. Anne Chingford

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# Blessed Virgin Mary - 15th August 2021

Parish Eucharist 10.00

Welcomers: Marcia Hall, Phil Hallsworth

Server:Eira EndersbeeLessons:Phil HallsworthPrayers:Beryl StrattonPreacher:Mick ScotchmerCelebrant:Mick Scotchmer

**Music:** Peter Stannard

Hymns

408 Join the song of praise and protest

79 Blest are the pure in heart

219 Give thanks with a grateful heart

666 Sing we of the blessed Mother

692 Tell out my soul, the greatness of the Lord!

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This week

Wednesday 18th Aug 20.00 Pastoral Committee (in vestry)

Friday 20th Aug 10.00 Eucharist Saturday 21st Aug 10.00 Jumble Trail

Sunday 22nd Aug 10.00 Informal Eucharist and Baptism

#### Collect

Almighty God,
who looked upon the lowliness of the Blessed
Virgin Mary
and chose her to be the mother of your only Son:
grant that we who are redeemed by his blood
may share with her in the glory of your eternal
kingdom;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,

**Post Communion** 

God most high,
whose handmaid bore the Word made flesh:
we thank you that in this sacrament of our
redemption
you visit us with your Holy Spirit
and overshadow us by your power;
strengthen us to walk with Mary the joyful
path of obedience
and so to bring forth the fruits of holiness;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Isaiah 61.10.11

### Old Testament Reading

in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

one God, now and for ever.

10 will greatly rejoice in the LORD,

my whole being shall exult in my God;

for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation, he has covered me with the robe of righteousness,

as a bridegroom decks himself with a garland,

and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels.

<sup>11</sup>For as the earth brings forth its shoots,

and as a garden causes what is sown in it to spring up,

so the Lord GOD will cause righteousness and praise to spring up before all the nations.

This is the word of the Lord

All Thanks be to God.

### New Testament Reading

Galatians 4.4-7

<sup>4</sup>When the fullness of time had come, God sent his Son, born of a woman, born under the law, <sup>5</sup>in order to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as children. <sup>6</sup>And because you are children, **God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, 'Abba! Father!'** <sup>7</sup>So you are no longer a slave but a child, and if a child then also an heir, through God.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Gospel Luke 1.46-55

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.

## 46'My soul magnifies the Lord,

<sup>47</sup>and my spirit rejoices in God my Saviour,

<sup>48</sup>for he has looked with favour on the lowliness of his servant. Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed;

<sup>49</sup> for the Mighty One has done great things for me, and holy is his name.

<sup>50</sup>His mercy is for those who fear him from generation to generation.

<sup>51</sup>He has shown strength with his arm; he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts.

<sup>52</sup>He has brought down the powerful from their thrones, and lifted up the lowly;

<sup>53</sup>he has filled the hungry with good things, and sent the rich away empty.

<sup>54</sup>He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy,

<sup>55</sup>according to the promise he made to our ancestors,

to Abraham and to his descendants for ever.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, O Christ.



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.

After Church— As the next step in returning to normal we have decided that we will resume going over to the Centre for coffee after the service from today. Tea and Coffee will be available but if you just want to stay and chat or would prefer to bring your own drink that is fine. We hope as many as possible will join us as our inability to socialise has been one of the things we have all missed recently.

We now also need volunteers to make the tea and coffee. There is a list at the back of church if you could do this on some Sundays.

Face Coverings— We have decided to drop the recommendation that face coverings be worn during the singing of hymns. We recommend that they be worn when entering or leaving the church, as a matter of courtesy to those who want to proceed more cautiously. However once in your seat they can be removed if you wish and do not need to be worn when coming up to receive. I will still wear one when consecrating and distributing the Eucharist, again as a courtesy to those who want to proceed more cautiously.

Chingford Hatch Jumble Trail: Saturday 21 August 10am - 1pm. It's not too late to add to the list of addresses on the jumble trail - please have a word with Heather Gwynn today if you would like to be included. Stalls at St Anne's will include a plants and produce stall, so we would welcome gifts of surplus plants, fruit and veg, jam etc; also homemade cakes for the refreshments stall. If you are able to help at St Anne's on the day, please let Anthony Sullivan, Lisa Jobber or Heather Gwynn know. Thank you.

#### **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

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