



# St. Anne's Church, Chingford

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## All Saints Day - 31st October 2021

Parish Eucharist 10.00

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**Welcomers:** Otis Griffin, Rosalind Tatam

**Server:** Julie Adesina

**Lessons:** Otis Griffin

**Prayers:** Beryl Stratton

**Preacher:** Mick Scotchmer

**Celebrant:** Mick Scotchmer

**Music:** Peter Stannard

### Hymns

- 190 For all the saints vs.1-4
- 428 Let saints on earth in concert sing
- 79 Blest are the pure in heart
- 626 Praise to God for saints and martyrs
- 190 For all the saints vs 5-8



<b>This week</b> 	<b>Monday</b>	<b>1st Nov</b>	<b>20.00</b>	<b>Plant Committee</b>
	<b>Wed</b>	<b>3rd Nov</b>	<b>20.00</b>	<b>Eco and Environmental Committee</b>
	<b>Friday</b>	<b>5th Nov</b>	<b>10.00</b>	<b>Eucharist</b>
	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>7th Nov</b>	<b>10.00</b>	<b>Parish Eucharist</b>

## **Collect**

Almighty God,  
you have knit together your elect  
in one communion and fellowship  
in the mystical body of your Son Christ our  
Lord:  
grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints  
in all virtuous and godly living  
that we may come to those inexpressible joys  
that you have prepared for those who truly love  
you;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,

## **Post Communion**

God, the source of all holiness and giver of  
all good things:  
may we who have shared at this table  
as strangers and pilgrims here on earth  
be welcomed with all your saints  
to the heavenly feast on the day of your  
kingdom;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## Old Testament Reading

*Isaiah 25.6-9*

<sup>6</sup>On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples  
a feast of rich food, a feast of well-matured wines,  
of rich food filled with marrow, of well-matured wines strained clear.  
<sup>7</sup>And he will destroy on this mountain  
the shroud that is cast over all peoples,  
the sheet that is spread over all nations;  
<sup>8</sup>he will swallow up death for ever.  
Then the Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from all faces,  
and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth,  
for the LORD has spoken.  
<sup>9</sup>It will be said on that day,  
Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us.  
This is the LORD for whom we have waited;  
let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

This is the word of the Lord.

**All Thanks be to God.**

## New Testament Reading

*Revelation 21.1-6*

<sup>1</sup>I, John, saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first  
earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. <sup>2</sup>And I saw the holy city,  
the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a  
bride adorned for her husband. <sup>3</sup>And I heard a loud voice from the throne  
saying,  
‘See, the home of God is among mortals.  
He will dwell with them;  
they will be his peoples,  
and God himself will be with them;

<sup>4</sup>he will wipe every tear from their eyes.  
Death will be no more;  
mourning and crying and pain will be no more,  
for the first things have passed away.'

<sup>5</sup>And the one who was seated on the throne said, 'See, I am making all things new.' Also he said, 'Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true.'

<sup>6</sup>Then he said to me, 'It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life.'

This is the word of the Lord.

*All Thanks be to God.*

Gospel

*John 11.32-44*

*When the Gospel is announced the reader says*

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

*All Glory to you, O Lord.*

<sup>32</sup>When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.'

<sup>33</sup>When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. <sup>34</sup>He said, 'Where have you laid him?' They said to him, 'Lord, come and see.' <sup>35</sup>Jesus began to weep. <sup>36</sup>So the Jews said, 'See how he loved him!' <sup>37</sup>But some of them said, 'Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?'

<sup>38</sup>Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. <sup>39</sup>Jesus said, 'Take away the stone.' Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, 'Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days.' <sup>40</sup>Jesus said to her, 'Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?' <sup>41</sup>So they took away the stone.

And Jesus looked upward and said, 'Father, I thank you for having heard me.

<sup>42</sup>I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me.' <sup>43</sup>When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, 'Lazarus, come out!' <sup>44</sup>The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, 'Unbind him, and let him go.'

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 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.

**St Anne's Bazaar, Thursday 25th November from 2pm, and Saturday**

**27th November from 10am** -Our annual bazaar is our biggest fundraising event of the year, as well as a valued social occasion, usually contributing approaching £3000 to church funds. After a year without a bazaar, the Projects and Events Committee are making plans for an event this year, but on a smaller and simpler scale. You should have received a flyer on this.

**Margot Ilsley RIP**—I regret to advise you that Margot Ilsley passed to eternity on Saturday (23rd Oct). Please keep Margot and Nikki and her family in your prayers. Nikki will advise us of funeral arrangements in due course.

**Welcomer Meeting** - We will be holding a meeting for Welcomers after the service on 14th Nov. It is time to review how our current procedures are working and to look at some Fire Safety and Safeguarding points. We would ask as many Welcomers as possible to attend. If you are interested in finding out more about being a Welcomer you are also welcome to join us.

**Advent Course**—We shall be running an Advent Course for the MMU with St Andrews and St Edmunds again this year. The course will be on Wednesdays 1st, 8th and 15th December at 8pm. Once again this will be held by Zoom. More details in due course.

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 October.** 5th Emily Gennings, Clifford Pyne, 8th Frank Acons, 13th Arthur Trapnell, Chris Evans, 14th Dorothy Gates, Dorothy Bulled 15th Ken Symonds, 16th Vera Norton, 18th Ken Howland, 19th Maisie Blackwell, Mary Rogers, 21st, Leonard Thomas, 23rd Victor Treadwell, Fred Dalley, 28th Katherine Moxon, 31st Irene Mountford

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