



# St Anne's Church, Chingford

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## 22nd September 2024 – Trinity 17 Proper 20

### Parish Eucharist 10.00

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**Welcomers:** Velma Davis, Lesley Stiffell

**Servers:** Lisa Markham, Rob Markham, Jenny Scotchmer

**Chalice:** Lindsey Archer, Eira Endersbee

**Lessons:** Bill Gloyn

**Prayers:** Heather Gwynn

**Leader:** Mick Scotchmer

**Preacher:** Jude Bullock

**Celebrant:** Jude Bullock

**Music:** Bill Gloyn

**Hymns:**

834 Will you come and follow me

652 Seek ye first

578 O, the love of my Lord

687 Take my life

772 Thy hand O God has guided

Simple lunch today will be raising money for the Christian Aid Gaza appeal. If you would

like to contribute please see Jenny Miller or Heather after this Service

**“Safeguard creation. Because if we destroy creation, creation will destroy us! Never forget this!”** (Pope Francis)

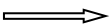


**This week**

Wednesday 25th Sept 11.30 Bible Study Group

Friday 27th Sept 10.00 Eucharist

Sunday 29th Sept 10.00 Parish Eucharist



## **Collect**

Almighty God,  
you have made us for yourself,  
and our hearts are restless till they find their rest  
in you:  
pour your love into our hearts and draw us to  
yourself,  
and so bring us at last to your heavenly city  
where we shall see you face to face;  
through Jesus Christ your Son 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, we pray that your grace  
may always precede and follow us,  
and make us continually to be given to all  
good works;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## **Old Testament Reading**

## **Jeremiah 11.18-20**

<sup>18</sup>It was the LORD who made it known to me, and I knew;  
then you showed me their evil deeds.

<sup>19</sup>But I was like a gentle lamb  
led to the slaughter.

And I did not know it was against me  
that they devised schemes, saying,

‘Let us destroy the tree with its fruit,  
let us cut him off from the land of the living,  
so that his name will no longer be remembered!’

<sup>20</sup>But you, O LORD of hosts, who judge righteously,  
who try the heart and the mind,  
let me see your retribution upon them,  
for to you I have committed my cause.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

## **New Testament Reading**

## **James 3.13-4.3,7-8a**

<sup>13</sup>Who is wise and understanding among you? Show by your good life that your works are done with gentleness born of wisdom. <sup>14</sup>But if you have bitter envy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not be boastful and false to the truth. <sup>15</sup>Such wisdom does not come down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, devilish. <sup>16</sup>For where there is envy and selfish ambition, there will also be disorder and wickedness of every kind. <sup>17</sup>But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, willing to yield, full of mercy and

good fruits, without a trace of partiality or hypocrisy. <sup>18</sup>And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace for those who make peace.

<sup>1</sup>Those conflicts and disputes among you, where do they come from? Do they not come from your cravings that are at war within you? <sup>2</sup>You want something and do not have it; so you commit murder. And you covet something and cannot obtain it; so you engage in disputes and conflicts. You do not have, because you do not ask. <sup>3</sup>You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, in order to spend what you get on your pleasures. <sup>7</sup>Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.

<sup>8</sup>Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you.

This is the word of the Lord.

*All*    **Thanks be to God.**

## **Gospel**

***Mark 9.30-37***

*When the Gospel is announced the reader says*

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

*All*    Glory to you, O Lord.

After leaving the mountain <sup>30</sup>Jesus and his disciples went on from there and passed through Galilee. He did not want anyone to know it; <sup>31</sup>for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, 'The Son of Man is to be betrayed into human hands, and they will kill him, and three days after being killed, he will rise again.' <sup>32</sup>But they did not understand what he was saying and were afraid to ask him.

<sup>33</sup>Then they came to Capernaum; and when he was in the house he asked them, 'What were you arguing about on the way?' <sup>34</sup>But they were silent, for on the way they had argued with one another who was the greatest. <sup>35</sup>He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them, 'Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all.' <sup>36</sup>Then he took a little child and put it among them; and taking it in his arms, he said to them, <sup>37</sup>'Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

*All*    Praise to you, O Christ.

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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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**Nov to Jan Rota** - The rota for November to January will be produced shortly. Please let Mick know of any dates for which you will not be available.

**Planning for the Bazaar (Thursday 28th and Saturday 30th**

**November)** There will be a short meeting about the bazaar at coffee time next Sunday, 29th September - please bring your ideas on how we can make the most of this occasion!

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Also Valerie Muscutt would welcome any donations of knitting and crochet yarns to make items for the bazaar. Please leave at the back of church.

**Jumble Sale Saturday 5th October 10am-12 noon** Offers of help welcome, please, with sorting jumble and setting up on Friday 4th, and with set up, sales and clearing away on Saturday 5th. Please speak to Anthony, Lindsey or Heather if you can help in any way, or have jumble to contribute. 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 September;** 1st Christopher Birchnall, 2nd Sheila Bryan, Hilda Scotchmer, 5th Ruth Wood, 6th Patricia Neighbour, 9th Doris Hebbard, Mary Taylor, 14th Alice Hughes, 17th Geoffrey Hebbard, 20th George Bates, 21st Mary Crosby, 22nd Alfred Frye, 24th Christine Ilsley, 29th Melvin Oakes.

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