



# St Anne's Church, Chingford

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**5<sup>th</sup> October 2025 – Trinity 16, Proper 22**

**Parish Eucharist - 10.00**

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**Welcomers:** Heather Gwynn, David Sendall

**Servers:** Julie Adesina, Lindsey Archer, Jenny Scotchmer

**Chalice:** Lindsey Archer, Marcia Hall

**Lessons:** Erika Gloyn

**Prayers:** Julie Adesina

**Preacher:** Mick Scotchmer

**Celebrant:** Mick Scotchmer

**Music:** Bill Gloyn

**Hymns:**

195 For the beauty of the earth

290 Have faith in God, my heart

186 Firmly I believe and truly

10 All creatures of our God and King (omit vs 2 and 3)

798 We have gospel to proclaim

Eco thought for October

Look deep into nature, and  
then you will understand  
everything better.

Albert Einstein



***This week***



Tuesday	7 <sup>th</sup> Oct	19.30	Ministry Leadership Team
Wednesday	8 <sup>th</sup> Oct	11.30	Bible Study Group
Friday	10 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10.00	Eucharist
Sunday	12 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10.00	Parish Eucharist
		17.00	Valentines Singers Concert

## **Collect**

O Lord, we beseech you mercifully to hear the  
prayers of your people who call upon you;  
and grant that they may both perceive and know  
what things they ought to do,  
and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil  
them;  
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**

Almighty God,  
you have taught us through your Son  
that love is the fulfilling of the law:  
grant that we may love you with our whole  
heart  
and our neighbours as ourselves;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## **Old Testament Reading**

## ***Habakkuk 1.1-4; 2.1-4***

<sup>1</sup>The oracle that the prophet Habakkuk saw.

<sup>2</sup>O LORD, how long shall I cry for help,  
and you will not listen?

Or cry to you 'Violence!'  
and you will not save?

<sup>3</sup>Why do you make me see wrongdoing  
and look at trouble?

Destruction and violence are before me;  
strife and contention arise.

<sup>4</sup>So the law becomes slack  
and justice never prevails.

The wicked surround the righteous –  
therefore judgement comes forth perverted.

<sup>1</sup>I will stand at my watch-post,  
and station myself on the rampart;  
I will keep watch to see what he will say to me,  
and what he will answer concerning my complaint.

<sup>2</sup>Then the LORD answered me and said:

Write the vision;  
make it plain on tablets,  
so that a runner may read it.

<sup>3</sup>For there is still a vision for the appointed time;  
it speaks of the end, and does not lie.

If it seems to tarry, wait for it;  
it will surely come, it will not delay.

<sup>4</sup>Look at the proud!  
Their spirit is not right in them,  
but the righteous live by their faith.

This is the word of the Lord.

**All Thanks be to God.**

## New Testament Reading

## 2 Timothy 1.1-14

<sup>1</sup>Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, for the sake of the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus,

<sup>2</sup>To Timothy, my beloved child:

Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

<sup>3</sup>I am grateful to God – whom I worship with a clear conscience, as my ancestors did – when I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. <sup>4</sup>Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled with joy. <sup>5</sup>I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you. <sup>6</sup>For this reason I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is within you through the laying on of my hands; <sup>7</sup>for God did not give us a spirit of cowardice, but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-discipline.

<sup>8</sup>Do not be ashamed, then, of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner, but join with me in suffering for the gospel, relying on the power of God, <sup>9</sup>who saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works but according to his own purpose and grace. This grace was given to us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, <sup>10</sup>but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Saviour Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. <sup>11</sup>For this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher, <sup>12</sup>and for this reason I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know the one in whom I have put my trust, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day what I have entrusted to him. <sup>13</sup>Hold to the standard of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. <sup>14</sup>Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us.

This is the word of the Lord.

*All*      **Thanks be to God.**

## Gospel

## Luke 17.5-10

*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.**

<sup>5</sup>The apostles said to the Lord, 'Increase our faith!' <sup>6</sup>The Lord replied, 'If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, "Be uprooted and planted in the sea," and it would obey you.

<sup>7</sup>Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from ploughing or tending sheep in the field, "Come here at once and take your place at the table"? <sup>8</sup>Would you not rather say to him, "Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink"? <sup>9</sup>Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? <sup>10</sup>So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, "We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!"'

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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**November to January Rotas**— The rota for the next quarter will shortly be prepared. Please let Mick know of any dates you will not be available. Additionally if you or would like to join a new rota please let Mick know.

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**Valentines Singers Concert Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> October 4pm** – The concert is in St Anne's. Tickets available from Lindsey Archer, £15, £8 (students /benefit holders) in advance; £17, £10 (students/benefit holders) on the door.

**This week's music:** The music this week is influenced by St. Francis of Assisi whose feast day is celebrated in a range of Christian churches on 4th October. He was the founder of the Franciscan monastic order and is renowned for his love of animals and creation in general."

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