

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, Mark Ebdon or the church wardens .

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Friday 4th March - Women's World Day of Prayer local service will be held here at St Anne's at 2pm. The service has been prepared by the women of Cuba and is entitled 'Receive children, receive me'. All welcome and refreshments will be served following the service.

Beryl would be grateful to receive any cakes, biscuits towards the refreshments after the service.

E4 Lent course—No meeting this week.

CtiNC Lent course—Next meeting **Wednesday 11.30** here at **St. Anne's** led by Mick.

Electoral Roll— The annual review of our Electoral Roll in preparation for the AGM is in progress. If you are not on the Electoral Roll please speak to Barbara Smith or one of the churchwardens.

Ted Bulled's Funeral will be on Tuesday 8th March at 2:30pm at Parndon Wood Crematorium.

Mothering Sunday: Next Sunday is Mothering Sunday. The 10.00am service will not be a Eucharist so there will be a service of Holy Communion at 8.30am.

FOR OUR PRAYERS:

Sick and wanting prayer; Julie Adesina, Fred & Joan Banks, Florence Elizabeth Belwood, Valerie Black, Dorothy Bulled, Claire Connelly, Betty Crawford, Joshua Edmunds, Jordan Farrell, Pamela Finbow, Beverly Gilbert, Riaz Gill, Siddique Gill, Jenny Harwood, Mussarat Joseph, Nargiss Khan, Khanya, Oliver Lee, Amanda Lofting, Anum Mall, Saba Mall, Sohail Mall, Rahat Munir, Valerie Muscutt, Joan Page-Webster, Joan Pinder, David Rolfe, Barbara Smith, Sheila Treadwell, Elena Utton, Pauline Warner, Gordon Wilkinson, John Wood.

Anniversaries for February: 2nd George Radford, 3rd Emily Brewis, 5th Gladys Travis, 6th Walter Rolfe, 20th William Sherman, 22nd Beryl Lovitt, 23rd Arthur Runeckles, Victor Foster, 24th Dorothy Potter, Albert Gates, 25th Maureen Cope, 26th Gladys Gloyn, Kenneth Gwynn, 27th Lillian Bates. 28th Teresa Carroll.

Recently Deceased: Ted Bulled

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



Parish Church of St. Anne Chingford

Web site: www.stanneE4.org.uk



Lent 3 – 28th February 2016

Parish Eucharist 10.00

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Sidesmen: Margaret Halford, Ken Howland, Edna Langdson
Servers: Alan Pearson, Jenny Scotchmer, Steve White
Chalice: Lindsey Archer, Alan Pearson
Lessons: Claire Fullerton
Prayers: Alan Pearson
Preacher: Mick Scotchmer
Celebrant: Mick Scotchmer
Music: Peter Stannard
Hymns:

- 11** All for Jesus! All for Jesus!
- 321** How sweet the name of Jesus sounds in a believer's ear!
- 652** Seek ye first the kingdom of God
- 334** I heard the voice of Jesus say,
- 643** Rock of ages, cleft for me,

Order of Service

Option 4
 Eucharistic prayer F

This week ⇒	Today	12.30	Simple Lunch
		17.30	Evening Prayer
	Wednesday 2nd Mar	11.30	Lent Course
	Thursday 3rd Mar	14.00	Service of Healing and Wholeness
	Friday 4th Mar	10.00	Holy Communion
	Saturday 5th Mar	10.00	Mini Market—Margaret Centre
	Sunday 6th Mar	08.30	Holy Communion
	10.00	Informal Service	

St. Anne's welcome form

Name _____
 Phone no. _____
 E-mail _____
 Address _____

You are very welcome here at St. Anne's. If you would like us to keep in touch with you or you are not on the electoral roll please fill in this form and hand it to the wardens, sidesmen or the vicar

Collect

Almighty God,
whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he
suffered pain,
and entered not into glory before he was crucified:
mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the
cross,
may find it none other than the way of life and
peace;
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

Merciful Lord,
grant your people grace to withstand the
temptations
of the world, the flesh and the devil,
and with pure hearts and minds to follow
you, the only God;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Old Testament Reading

- 1 O God, you are my God, I seek you,
my soul thirsts for you;
my flesh faints for you,
as in a dry and weary land where there is no water.
- 2 So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary,
beholding your power and glory.
- 3 Because your steadfast love is better than life,
my lips will praise you.
- 4 So I will bless you as long as I live;
I will lift up my hands and call on your name.
- 5 My soul is satisfied as with a rich feast,
and my mouth praises you with joyful lips
- 6 when I think of you on my bed,
and meditate on you in the watches of the night;
- 7 for you have been my help,
and in the shadow of your wings I sing for joy.
- 8 My soul clings to you;
your right hand upholds me.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

New Testament Reading

1 Corinthians 10.1-13

¹I do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, that our ancestors were all under the cloud, and all passed through the sea, ²and all were baptized into Moses

in the cloud and in the sea, ³and all ate the same spiritual food, ⁴and all drank the same spiritual drink. For they drank from the spiritual rock that followed them, and the rock was Christ. ⁵Nevertheless, God was not pleased with most of them, and they were struck down in the wilderness.

⁶Now these things occurred as examples for us, so that we might not desire evil as they did. ⁷**Do not become idolaters as some of them did; as it is written, ‘The people sat down to eat and drink, and they rose up to play.’** ⁸We must not indulge in sexual immorality as some of them did, and twenty-three thousand fell in a single day. ⁹We must not put Christ to the test, as some of them did, and were destroyed by serpents. ¹⁰And do not complain as some of them did, and were destroyed by the destroyer. ¹¹These things happened to them to serve as an example, and they were written down to instruct us, on whom the ends of the ages have come. ¹²So if you think you are standing, watch out that you do not fall. ¹³No testing has overtaken you that is not common to everyone. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tested beyond your strength, but with the testing he will also provide the way out so that you may be able to endure it.

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Gospel

Luke 13:1-9

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.

¹There were some present who told Jesus about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices. ²**He asked them, ‘Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were worse sinners than all other Galileans?’** ³No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish as they did. ⁴Or those eighteen who were killed when the tower of Siloam fell on them - do you think that they were worse offenders than all the others living in Jerusalem? ⁵No, I tell you; but **unless you repent, you will all perish just as they did.’**

⁶**Then he told this parable: ‘A man had a fig tree planted in his vineyard; and he came looking for fruit on it and found none. ⁷So he said to the gardener, “See here! For three years I have come looking for fruit on this fig tree, and still I find none. Cut it down! Why should it be wasting the soil?”** ⁸He replied, “Sir, let it alone for one more year, until I dig around it and put manure on it. ⁹If it bears fruit next year, well and good; but if not, you can cut it down.”

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, O Christ.