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.

Annual Parochial Church Meeting Sun today: Our Annual General Meeting will be held at 11:45 today. This is an important meeting in the church year and we hope as many as possible will stay for the meeting. It is not a long meeting and usually finishes within an hour.

May to July Rotas: Please let Mick have details of any dates for which you are not available as soon as possible.

Palm Sunday—Next Sunday is Palm Sunday. Please note our service will start at 9:45 with the blessing of the palms on the green.

Eat or Heat — Please keep your donations coming for Eat or Heat. Items which are particularly needed at present are: Cooking Oil, Salt, Jam, Small Instant Coffee, Long Life Milk / Milk Powder.

#### 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 April.

1st Gregory Canning, 6th Mabel Garrett, 7th Peggy Eley, 20th Gwen Coombs, 24th Barbara Shepard, 28th Alice Rolfe, Michael Taylor.

> 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

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## Passion Sunday - 7th April 2019 Parish Eucharist 10.00

Welcomers: Margaret Halford, Beryl Stratton, Aeryn White Servers: Chalice: Lessons: Prayers: **Preacher:** Celebrant: Music:

Julie Adesina, Isaac Denis, Alan Pearson Alan Pearson, Rosalind Tatam Tinu Williamson-Taylor **Beryl Stratton** Jenny Howland Mick Scotchmer Peter Stannard

## Hymns:

- The royal banners forward go (t.689) 729
- 224 Glory be to Jesus I am trusting thee, Lord Jesus 324
- Praise to the Holiest in the height
- 627 Take up thy cross the Saviour said 689



This	Today		11.45	Parish AGM
week	Monday	8th Apr	20.00	Plant Committee
	Tuesday	9th Apr	13.00	Funeral Thomas and Elsie Shearsby
	Wednesday	10th Apr	11.30	Lent Course
	Thursday	11th Apr	14.00	Open Church
			20.00	Lent Course
	Friday	12th Apr	10.00	Communion
	Sunday	14th Apr	<u>09.45</u>	Parish Eucharist

#### **Order of Service** Option 4

Eucharistic prayer A

Collect

#### Post Communion

Lord Jesus Christ,

you have taught us

we do also for you:

as you were the servant of all,

and gave up your life and died for us,

ers and sisters

that what we do for the least of our broth-

give us the will to be the servant of others

but are alive and reign, now and for ever.

Most merciful God, who by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ delivered and saved the world: grant that by faith in him who suffered on the cross we may triumph in the power of his victory; 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.

## Old Testament Reading

Psalm 126

<sup>1</sup>When the Lord restored the fortunes of Zion, then were we like those who dream.

<sup>2</sup>Then was our mouth filled with laughter and our tongue with songs of joy.

<sup>3</sup>Then said they among the nations,

### The Lord has done great things for them.'

<sup>4</sup>The Lord has indeed done great things for us, and therefore we rejoiced.

<sup>5</sup>Restore again our fortunes, O Lord, as the river beds of the desert.

<sup>6</sup>Those who sow in tears shall reap with songs of joy.

<sup>7</sup>Those who go out weeping, bearing the seed, will come back with shouts of joy, bearing their sheaves with them.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

## New Testament Reading

Philippians 3.4b-14

<sup>4</sup>If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: <sup>5</sup>circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; <sup>6</sup>as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless. <sup>7</sup>Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. <sup>8</sup>More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, <sup>9</sup>not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. <sup>10</sup>I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, <sup>11</sup>if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

<sup>12</sup>Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. <sup>13</sup>Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, <sup>14</sup>I press on towards the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

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## Gospel

John 12.1-8

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>1</sup>Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. <sup>2</sup>There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. <sup>3</sup>Mary **took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and** wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. <sup>4</sup>But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, <sup>5</sup>'Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?' <sup>6</sup>(He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) <sup>7</sup>Jesus said, 'Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. <sup>8</sup>You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, O Christ.