



# St. Anne's Church, Chingford

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**27th February 2022– Sunday next before Lent**

**Parish Eucharist 10.00**

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**Welcomer:** Phil Hallsworth, Nina Hammarberg

**Server:** Alan Pearson

**Lessons:** Phil Hallsworth

**Prayers:** Beryl Stratton

**Preacher:** Mick Scotchmer

**Celebrant:** Mick Scotchmer

**Music:** Peter Stannard



### Hymns

105 Christ whose glory fills the skies

775 'Tis good, Lord to be here

62 Be still for the presence of the Lord

507 Meekness and majesty

796 We hail thy presence glorious



**This  
week**



Monday	28th Feb	20.00	Projects and Events Committee
Wednesday	2nd Mar	20.00	Sung Eucharist and Ashing
Friday	4th Mar	10.00	Eucharist
Sunday	6th Mar	10.00	Parish Eucharist

## **Collect**

Almighty Father,  
whose Son was revealed in majesty  
before he suffered death upon the cross:  
give us grace to perceive his glory,  
that we may be strengthened to suffer with him  
and be changed into his likeness, from glory to  
glory;  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

## **Post Communion**

Holy God,  
we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ:  
may we who are partakers at his table  
reflect his life in word and deed,  
that all the world may know his power to  
change and save.  
This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## Old Testament Reading

*Exodus 34.29-35*

<sup>29</sup>Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. <sup>30</sup>When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. <sup>31</sup>But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. <sup>32</sup>Afterwards all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the LORD had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. <sup>33</sup>When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; <sup>34</sup>but whenever Moses went in before the LORD to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, <sup>35</sup>the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

This is the word of the Lord.

**All Thanks be to God.**

## New Testament Reading

*2 Corinthians 3.12-4. 2*

<sup>12</sup>Since we have such a hope, we act with great boldness, <sup>13</sup>not like Moses, who put a veil over his face to keep the people of Israel from gazing at the end of the glory that was being set aside. <sup>14</sup>But their minds were hardened. Indeed, to this very day, when they hear the reading of the old covenant, that same veil is still there, since only in Christ is it set aside. <sup>15</sup>Indeed, to this very day whenever Moses is read, a veil lies over their minds; <sup>16</sup>but when one turns to the Lord, the veil is removed. <sup>17</sup>Now the Lord is the Spirit, and

where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. <sup>18</sup>And all of us, with unveiled faces, seeing the glory of the Lord as though reflected in a mirror, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another; for this comes from the Lord, the Spirit.

<sup>1</sup>Therefore, since it is by God's mercy that we are engaged in this ministry, we do not lose heart. <sup>2</sup>We have renounced the shameful things that one hides; we refuse to practise cunning or to falsify God's word; but by the open statement of the truth we commend ourselves to the conscience of everyone in the sight of God.

This is the word of the Lord.

*All*    **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel

*Luke 9.28-36*

*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>28</sup>Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. <sup>29</sup>And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. <sup>30</sup>Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. <sup>31</sup>They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. <sup>32</sup>Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. <sup>33</sup>Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, 'Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.' Peter did not know what he said. <sup>34</sup>While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. <sup>35</sup>Then from the cloud came a voice that said, 'This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!' <sup>36</sup>When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And the disciples kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

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.*

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**Face Covering** - Whilst we are not now required to wear face coverings in church we would still ask that they are worn when entering and leaving the church as a courtesy to those who are still more cautious about relaxation of the rules.

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To mark **Fairtrade Fortnight**, we shall have a small stall of Traidcraft goods and food items for sale after church on Sunday 6th March.

**Lent Course** - We shall be holding a Lent course for the MMU again this year. It is called "Journeys" and will be held on Zoom on Wednesdays at 8pm from 9th March to 6th April. Further details to follow.

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**Heat or Eat - Latest** Their particular request at present is for tinned meat and toilet rolls.

Please consider putting an extra item on your shopping list each week for those in real need at this time.

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There is a full list of the items needed on the notice board.

**VALENTINE SINGERS: FUSION!** - a colourful programme of words from the past paired with contemporary music, featuring Martin Palmeri's *Misatango*, Derek Lawrence's *Mary Byfield* and George Shearing's *Songs & Sonnets*. Saturday 19th March at 7.30pm at St. Gabriel's Church, Aldersbrook, Wanstead, E12 5HH. Tickets are £15 in advance (available from Lindsey Archer) or £17 on the door. Under 16s are free.

#### 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 February:** 2nd George Radford, 3rd Emily Brewis, 5th Gladys Travis, 6th Walter Rolfe, 17th Ted Bulled, 20th William Sherman, 21st Gordon Wilkinson, 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.

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