

# St. Anne's Church, Chingford

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## 31st July 2022– Trinity 7 Proper 13 Parish Eucharist 10.00

Welcomers: Otis Griffin, Marcia Hall Servers:

Eira Endersbee, Alan Pearson

Chalice: Jenny Scotchmer

Lessons: Rosalind Tatam

Prayers: Otis Griffin

**Preacher:** Mick Scotchmer

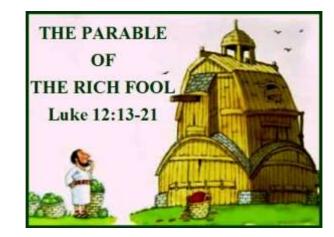
Celebrant: Mick Scotchmer

Music: Peter Stannard

## Hymns:

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- 390 Jesus lives! Thy terrors now
- 73 Bind us together, Lord
- 43 As the deer pants for the water
- 424 Let all mortal flesh keep silence
- 186 Firmly I believe and truly



This	Friday	5th Aug	10.00	Eucharist
				African-Caribbean Evening
	Sunday	7th Aug	10.00	Parish Eucharist
			12.30	Simple Lunch

#### Collect

Let your merciful ears, O Lord, be open to the prayers of your humble servants; and that they may obtain their petitions make them to ask such things as shall please you; 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

God of our pilgrimage, you have willed that the gate of mercy should stand open for those who trust in you: look upon us with your favour that we who follow the path of your will may never wander from the way of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## Old Testament Reading

Ecclesiastes 1.2,12-14; 2.18-23

<sup>2</sup>Vanity of vanities, says the Teacher, vanity of vanities! All is vanity.

<sup>12</sup>I, the Teacher, when king over Israel in Jerusalem, <sup>13</sup> applied my mind to seek and to search out by wisdom all that is done under heaven; it is an unhappy business that God has given to human beings to be busy with. <sup>14</sup>I saw all the deeds that are done under the sun; and see, all is vanity and a chasing after wind.

<sup>18</sup>I hated all my toil in which I had toiled under the sun, seeing that I must leave it to those who come after me – <sup>19</sup>and who knows whether they will be wise or foolish? Yet they will be master of all for which I toiled and used my wisdom under the sun. This also is vanity. <sup>20</sup>So I turned and gave my heart up to despair concerning all the toil of my labours under the sun, <sup>21</sup>because sometimes one who has toiled with wisdom and knowledge and skill must leave all to be enjoyed by another who did not toil for it. This also is vanity and a great evil. <sup>22</sup>What do mortals get from all the toil and strain with which they toil under the sun? <sup>23</sup>For all their days are full of pain, and their work is a vexation; even at night their minds do not rest. This also is vanity. This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

## New Testament Reading

Colossians 3.1-11

<sup>1</sup>If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. <sup>2</sup>Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, <sup>3</sup>for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. <sup>4</sup>When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you

also will be revealed with him in glory.

<sup>5</sup>Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). <sup>6</sup>On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. <sup>7</sup>These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. <sup>8</sup>But now you must get rid of all such things – anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. <sup>9</sup>Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices <sup>10</sup>and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. <sup>11</sup>In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

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Gospel

#### 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>13</sup>Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, 'Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me.' <sup>14</sup>But he said to him, 'Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?' <sup>15</sup>And he said to the crowd, 'Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.' <sup>16</sup>Then he told them a parable: 'The land of a rich man produced abundantly. <sup>17</sup>And he thought to himself, "What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?" <sup>18</sup>Then he said, "I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. <sup>19</sup>And I will say to my soul, 'Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry."<sup>20</sup>But God said to him, "You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?" <sup>21</sup>So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich towards God.' This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, O Christ.

Luke 12.13-21

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.

African-Caribbean evening, 6-9pm on Saturday 6th August. -Tickets - £12 adults, £6 under 11s, under 5s free - are available from Lindsey Archer. Please buy today, so that we can plan catering. Donations of prizes for the African-Caribbean themed raffle are welcome. Do join us for a wonderful evening.

Ukrainian Crisis- To support those affected by the war in Ukraine we will continue to take retiring collections for the Christian Aid DEC rappeal and to collect goods to be sent to Children's homes in Ukraine. For this we only need items on the list. These are all children's items and do not include clothes.

**Heat or Eat** - **Latest** Their particular request at present is Canned meat and potatoes, and biscuits.

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

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

## 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 July**: 1st Joseph Nye, Ethel Fernley, Stella Bickerstaff, 11th Margaret Bridger, 20th Jean Sherman, 22nd Edith Mears, 24th Penny Rolfe..

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