



# St Anne's Church, Chingford

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**30<sup>th</sup> August 2026 – Trinity 13, Proper 17**

**Parish Eucharist – 10.00**

**Welcomers:** Jenny Miller, David Sendall

**Servers:** Lindsey Archer, Phil Hallsworth

**Chalice:** Marcia Hall, Anthony Sullivan

**Lessons:** Lindsey Archer

**Prayers:** Mark Ebdon

**Preacher:** Tim Scott

**Celebrant:** Tim Scott

**Music:** Bill Gloyn

*Mankind owns its own destiny,  
and destiny is the earth. We are  
destroying it until we  
have no destiny*

**Frida Kahlo**

**Hymns:**

66 - Be thou my vision

689 - Take up thy cross, the Saviour said

62 - Be still, for the presence of the Lord

79 - Blest are the pure in heart

27 - All who would valiant be

***We welcome the Revd. Tim Scott  
to celebrate and preach this morning.***



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**This week**



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| Friday | 4 <sup>th</sup> Sept | 10.00 | Eucharist (in church centre)        |
| Sunday | 6 <sup>th</sup> Sept | 10.00 | Parish Eucharist (in church centre) |

## **Collect**

Almighty God,  
who called your Church to bear witness  
that you were in Christ reconciling the world to  
yourself:  
help us to proclaim the good news of your love,  
that all who hear it may be drawn to you;  
through him who was lifted up on the cross,  
and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

## **Post Communion**

God our creator,  
you feed your children with the true manna,  
the living bread from heaven:  
let this holy food sustain us through our earthly  
pilgrimage  
until we come to that place  
where hunger and thirst are no more;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## **Old Testament Reading**

## ***Jeremiah 15.15-21***

<sup>15</sup>O LORD, you know; remember me and visit me,  
and bring down retribution for me on my persecutors.

In your forbearance do not take me away;  
know that on your account I suffer insult.

<sup>16</sup>Your words were found, and I ate them,  
and your words became to me a joy and the delight of my heart;  
for I am called by your name, O LORD, God of hosts.

<sup>17</sup>I did not sit in the company of merry-makers, nor did I rejoice;  
under the weight of your hand I sat alone,  
for you had filled me with indignation.

<sup>18</sup>Why is my pain unceasing, my wound incurable, refusing to be healed?  
Truly, you are to me like a deceitful brook, like waters that fail.

<sup>19</sup>Therefore, thus says the LORD:

If you turn back, I will take you back, and you shall stand before me.  
If you utter what is precious, and not what is worthless,  
you shall serve as my mouth.

It is they who will turn to you, not you who will turn to them.

<sup>20</sup>And I will make you to this people a fortified wall of bronze;  
they will fight against you, but they shall not prevail over you,  
for I am with you to save you and deliver you, says the LORD.

<sup>21</sup>I will deliver you out of the hand of the wicked,  
and redeem you from the grasp of the ruthless.

This is the word of the Lord.

**All Thanks be to God.**

## New Testament Reading

## Romans 12.9-21

<sup>9</sup>Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; <sup>10</sup>love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honour. <sup>11</sup>Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord. <sup>12</sup>Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. <sup>13</sup>Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers.

<sup>14</sup>Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. <sup>15</sup>Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. <sup>16</sup>Live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly; do not claim to be wiser than you are. <sup>17</sup>Do not repay anyone evil for evil, but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all. <sup>18</sup>If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. <sup>19</sup>Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave room for the wrath of God; for it is written, 'Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord.' <sup>20</sup>No, 'if your enemies are hungry, feed them; if they are thirsty, give them something to drink; for by doing this you will heap burning coals on their heads.' <sup>21</sup>Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

This is the word of the Lord.

All      **Thanks be to God.**

## Gospel

## Matthew 16.21-28

*When the Gospel is announced the reader says*

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

All      **Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>21</sup>From that time on, Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. <sup>22</sup>And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, 'God forbid it, Lord! This must never happen to you.' <sup>23</sup>But he turned and said to Peter, 'Get behind me, Satan! You are a stumbling-block to me; for you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.'

<sup>24</sup>Then Jesus told his disciples, 'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. <sup>25</sup>For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. <sup>26</sup>For what will it profit them if they gain the whole world but forfeit their life? Or what will they give in return for their life?

<sup>27</sup>For the Son of Man is to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay everyone for what has been done. <sup>28</sup>Truly I tell you, there are some standing here who will not taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom.'

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.*



**Ukraine and Eat or Heat** - We are still collecting for both at the back of the church. Children's, toddler's and baby items are still very much needed in Ukraine, as are long lasting food products and hygiene products for Eat or Heat.

**St Anne's Record** - The next issue will be published on 13<sup>th</sup> September. As this will be immediately after Jude's retirement at the end of August it would be a good time to include some recollection of events during his ministry here. Most of us must have recollections of memorable moments from the last 20 years of Jude's ministry to share. I would therefore be pleased to receive contributions from as many people as possible.

**Church Floor** – Work is starting tomorrow to resurface the church floor. We need to move furniture for the work to start after the service today. All hands would be welcomed to assist.

**This Weeks Music**– We continue with items from the Classic FM Hall of Fame during the service. The ranking is shown in brackets after the title on the sheet at the back of church - please take a copy.

Today we welcome visiting organist David Shen to play after the service. He will be playing a piece by John Stanley (1712-1786) a contemporary and friend of Handel who was blinded in an accident at an early age.

### 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 August:** 1<sup>st</sup> Margaret Halford, 10<sup>th</sup> Lillian Whitehead, 11<sup>th</sup> Alex Joseph, 12<sup>th</sup> Doris Sullivan, 13<sup>th</sup> John Malony, 15<sup>th</sup> Katie Anderson, 19<sup>th</sup> Brian Jones, 24<sup>th</sup> Beryl Stratton, Mary King, 29<sup>th</sup> Ivy Hughes.

**In Memoriam:** Margaret Althorp, Stanley Althorp, Catherine Baggs, Charles Baggs, Elizabeth Davies, Joan Dawes, Edna France, Lucy Glossop, Elizabeth Joyce.

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