

# The Parish of Chingford

## Ss Peter and Paul with All Saints



**Weekly News: 5<sup>th</sup> March – 11<sup>th</sup> March 2017**

*Welcome – especially if you are a visitor or a newcomer.*

**5<sup>th</sup> March**

**8.00 am**

**10.00 am**

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**12.00 pm**

**1.00 pm**

**6.30 pm**

**The First Sunday of Lent**

**Holy Communion (BCP)** at Ss Peter and Paul

**All Age Eucharist** at All Saints (The Old Church)

*Preacher: The Rev'd Canon Rodney Matthews, Hon Asst Priest*

**All Age Eucharist** at Ss Peter and Paul

*Preacher: Luke Lowrie, Red Balloon Family*

**Holy Baptism** Callum Carter

**First Communion & Confirmation Classes**

**Parish Choral Evensong**

*Preacher: The Rev'd Dave Sims, Chingford Congregational Church*

The March edition of **THE PARISH MAGAZINE**  
and the **Parish Music Scheme** are available by the door.

**12<sup>th</sup> March**

**8.00 am**

**10.00 am**

**10.00 am**

**1.00 pm**

**6.30 pm**

**The Second Sunday of Lent**

**Holy Communion (BCP)** at Ss Peter and Paul

**Eucharist** at All Saints (The Old Church)

*Preacher: The Rev'd Prof Maxwell Hutchinson, Parish Deacon*

**Sung Eucharist** at Ss Peter and Paul

*Preacher: The Rev'd Andy Trenier, Rector*

**First Communion & Confirmation Classes**

**Parish Choral Evensong**

*Preacher: The Rev'd Sarah Batts, St. Edmund's*

**The Parish Sunday Clubs** offer worship, teaching, and fun activities for children aged 4-11 at both churches.

**Cherubs Crèche:** At the Parish Church, younger children and babies are welcome to play and pray with the resources alongside their family or to be looked after at the Cherubs Crèche downstairs so you can join in the worship more fully.

Children and leaders will gather towards the start of the main morning service and go out together, returning for communion.

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**Welcome back to Mthr Tina** who is now serving across the parish & covering for Susan after her curacy placement at St Edmunds. Good to have you back! 😊

### **Baptism and Confirmation**

A parish-wide baptism and confirmation class for adults is now under way. Please register your name with the clergy ASAP if you would like to join in. Baptisms & Confirmations will be on Easter Sunday or on 18<sup>th</sup> June.

## **E4 Churches Lent Course**

discussion: reflection: worship: refreshment  
**Wednesday evenings 7.30-9pm**

-----THIS WEEK-----

### **Week 1- 8<sup>th</sup> March *Summons to Change***

at All Saints, Highams Park led by the Rev'd Dr Sara Batts

### **Week 2- 15<sup>th</sup> March *Summons to the Wilderness***

at St Edmunds, South Chingford led by the Rev'd Maxwell Hutchinson

### **Week 3- 22<sup>nd</sup> March *Challenge to the Messengers***

at All Saints (the Old Church) led by the Rev'd Jude Bullock

### **Week 4- 29<sup>th</sup> March *Encounter with God***

at Chingford Rectory (2 The Green Walk) led by the Rev'd Steve Clarke

### **Week 5- 5<sup>th</sup> April *Encouragement to Wait on God***

at St Anne's led by the Rev'd Rodney Matthews

Another Churches Together Lent group- "**Magnificent Jesus**"- will be held on five consecutive Thursday afternoons, starting on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> March, from 3.30 - 4.30, in the Catholic Church vestry (Our Lady of Grace), led by Fr Chris Brooks. All welcome.

++ *PICK UP A FULL LENT LEAFLETS TODAY OR VISIT THE LENT & EASTER PAGE ON THE WEBSITE* ++

**Calling All Young Adults:** Are you too old to be a cherub and feel too young for some of the other church activities? We are looking to set up a social gathering for young Christians aged 25-40 (ish). We are starting with an informal get together over a coffee at North Chingford Costa Coffee, Station Road on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2017 at 1:00 pm to get the ball rolling. Looking forward to hearing from you all! Sarah and Laura. E: philosophical\_blonde@hotmail.co.uk

**PLEDGE TO PRAY:** New resources for prayer during Lent available this week. Join with Christians across the UK to pray and prepare for mission & evangelism.

**. +++First Holy Communion for Children and Young People+++**

YOU are invited to 5 sessions on First Communion on Easter morning. Rectory 12-1pm TODAY and 12,19 March and 2, 9 April. Lunch Provided. For anyone in the parish who is baptised but not yet confirmed in years 3-11, (though do talk to the clergy if you think it might be for your younger child).

**GOVERNANCE:** Congregational Meetings after the Eucharist: PC: 12<sup>th</sup> March  
OC: TODAY // OC DCC 7<sup>th</sup> Mar 7.30 pm (Old Church House)// PC DCC: 14<sup>th</sup> Mar 7.30pm // Fabric 15<sup>th</sup> Mar 4.30 (Rectory) /Finance: 23<sup>rd</sup> Mar 7.30 (Rectory)

**WALTHAM FOREST CITIZENS  
A NEW CHAPTER BEGINS**

\*\*\* THE PARISH IS NOW THE NEWEST MEMBER OF CITIZENS UK \*\*\*

**NEXT STEPS FOR US:**

1. **THIS WEEK:** TELCO Refounding Assembly – March 9th, York Hall

2. **TRAIN:** Ask Fr Andy about going on the TELCO 2 day 'introduction to community organising' training on 27/28 March **COULD YOU GO?**

**LISTEN:** All are invited to our listening training on 3 May from 18:30 – 21:00 at St Marys Roman Catholic Primary School in Chingford to prepare for our 500 person listening campaign in the Spring.

Contact Fr Andy for details or search for @WFCitizens

**FOOD BANK:** Please keep your donations coming in- to boxes at the back of church. Just remember to buy some tins on your next shop and bring them in.

**\*\* EXTRA PCC MEETING THIS AFTERNOON 4.30 IN THE HALL \*\***

**CHOIR BAZAAR:** March 25th is the Annual Choir Bazaar, an important fundraiser for choir funds. Can you help? Unclutter your house! Discard unwanted gifts! Offer to help with a stall! If storage is a problem let us know, we could help. Contact Sue Cowhig 020 8502 0949 tom.cowhig@ntlworld.com

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<b>Monday</b>	8.30 am 1.30 pm 6.00 pm	Morning Prayer Chingford Cherubs Evening Prayer
<b>Tuesday</b> Perpetua & Felicity c.203	8.30 am 6.00 pm	Morning Prayer Evening Prayer
<b>Wednesday</b> Parish Church open 1-3pm Edward King, 1910	9.00 am 10.00am 3.30 pm 6.00 pm	Morning Prayer at All Saints, (the Old Church) Eucharist at All Saints, (the Old Church) CY Club Evening Prayer
<b>Thursday</b>	8.30 am 10.00 am 6.00 pm	Morning Prayer Eucharist with Prayers for Peace Evening Prayer
<b>Saturday</b> Ember Day	10.00 am	Parish Prayers and Rosady

**Readings to use in your daily prayers**

Monday	Leviticus 19:1-2, 11-18
Shrove Tuesday	Isaiah 55: 10-11
Ash Wednesday	Luke 11: 29-32
Thursday	Matthew 7: 7-12
Friday	Isaiah 50: 5-9
Weekend	Genesis 12: 1-4

**Visit [www.pray-as-you-go.org](http://www.pray-as-you-go.org)  
for daily meditations on the readings**

**Thought for the week**

**“Be joyful in hope,  
patient in affliction,  
faithful in Prayer”**

**Romans 12: 12**