



THE PARISH OF CHINGFORD

SS PETER AND PAUL WITH ALL SAINTS'

PEWS NEWS

for Sunday 21 June 2026

The Third Sunday after Trinity



The Collect

Almighty God,
you have broken the tyranny of sin
and have sent the Spirit of your Son
into our hearts

whereby we call you Father:
give us grace to dedicate our freedom
to your service,
that we and all creation may be
brought

to the glorious liberty of the
children of God;
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.

Amen

God our saviour,
look on this wounded world
in pity and in power;
hold us fast to your promises of
peace
won for us by your Son,
our Saviour Jesus Christ.

Amen

The Post Communion Prayer

O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining
and whose power we cannot comprehend:
show us your glory as far as we can grasp it,
and shield us from knowing more than we can bear
until we may look upon you without fear;
through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

Amen

8.00 am Holy Eucharist at Ss Peter & Paul's church

10.00 am Holy Eucharist at All Saints Church

Servers Aleks and Mimoza
Processional hymn 128
OT Reading Jeremiah 20. 7-13 Read by Larry Relfe
NT Reading Romans 6. 1b-11 Read by Jane Mazalon
Gradual hymn 135
Gospel Matthew 10. 24-39
Sermon *Canon Rodney Matthews*
Intercessions *led by Larry*
Hymn 106
(the collection will be taken during this hymn)
Communion hymn Take my life and let it be - 464
Final Hymn Be thou my vision - 56

10.00 am Holy Eucharist at Ss Peter & Paul's church

Servers Sue, Teresa and Jenny
Setting *Wills Missa Brevis*
Processional hymn 335
OT Reading Jeremiah 20. 7-13 Read by Harriet Kerr
NT Reading Romans 6. 1b-11 Read by Ushan Sansom
Gospel Matthew 10. 24-39
Sermon *Mother Marilyn*
Intercessions *led by Mary Thorne*
Offertory 273
(the collection will be taken during this hymn)
Communion Gloria tibi domine - Byrd
Final Hymn 297
Organ Music Concerto in a minor, 1st movement – *Bach/Vivaldi*

6.30 pm Evensong at Ss Peter & Paul's church

Preacher: *Archdeacon Mike Power*
Responses: *Darke*
Canticles: *Stuart Beer* First Service
Anthem: I will lift up mine eyes - *Mawby*
Organ music: Sonata 3 - *Mendelssohn*

I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills – Colin Mawby

I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills: from whence cometh my help My help cometh even from the Lord: who hath made heaven and earth He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: and he that keepeth thee will not sleep Behold, he that keepeth Israel: shall neither slumber nor sleep The Lord himself is thy keeper: the Lord is thy defence upon thy right hand; So that the sun shall not burn thee by day: neither the moon by night The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil: yea, it is even he that shall keep thy soul The Lord shall preserve thy going out, and thy coming in: from this time forth for evermore.

Amen.

Today's Readings for the Eucharist

Jeremiah 20. 7-13

O Lord, you have enticed me, and I was enticed; you have overpowered me, and you have prevailed. I have become a laughing-stock all day long; everyone mocks me. For whenever I speak, I must cry out, I must shout, 'Violence and destruction!' For the word of the Lord has become for me a reproach and derision all day long. If I say, 'I will not mention him, or speak any more in his name', then within me there is something like a burning fire shut up in my bones; I am weary with holding it in, and I cannot. For I hear many whispering: 'Terror is all around! Denounce him! Let us denounce him!'

All my close friends are watching for me to stumble.

'Perhaps he can be enticed, and we can prevail against him, and take our revenge on him.' But the Lord is with me like a dread warrior; therefore, my persecutors will stumble, and they will not prevail. They will be greatly shamed, for they will not succeed. Their eternal dishonour will never be forgotten.

O Lord of hosts, you test the righteous, you see the heart and the mind; let me see your retribution upon them, for to you I have committed my cause. Sing to the Lord; praise the Lord! For he has delivered the life of the needy from the hands of evildoers.

Psalms 69. 8-11(12-17) 18-20

I have become a stranger to my kindred, an alien to my mother's children. It is zeal for your house that has consumed me; the insults of those who insult you have fallen on me.

When I humbled my soul with fasting, they insulted me for doing so.

When I made sackcloth my clothing, I became a byword to them.

I am the subject of gossip for those who sit in the gate, and the drunkards make songs about me.

But as for me, my prayer is to you, O Lord.

At an acceptable time, O God,

in the abundance of your steadfast love, answer me.
With your faithful help rescue me from sinking in the mire; let me be delivered from my enemies and from the deep waters.
Do not let the flood sweep over me, or the deep swallow me up, or the Pit close its mouth over me.
Answer me, O Lord, for your steadfast love is good; according to your abundant mercy, turn to me.
Do not hide your face from your servant, for I am in distress—make haste to answer me.
Draw near to me, redeem me, set me free because of my enemies.
You know the insults I receive, and my shame and dishonour; my foes are all known to you.
Insults have broken my heart, so that I am in despair. I looked for pity, but there was none; and for comforters, but I found none.

Romans 6. 1b-11

What then are we to say? Should we continue in sin in order that grace may abound? By no means! How can we who died to sin go on living in it? Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? Therefore, we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life.

For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. For whoever has died is freed from sin. But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. The death he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

Matthew 10. 24-39

Jesus said 'A disciple is not above the teacher, nor a slave above the master; it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher, and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household!

'So have no fear of them; for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered, and nothing secret that will not become known. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light; and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet

not one of them will fall to the ground unperceived by your Father. And even the hairs of your head are all counted. So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows.

‘Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven; but whoever denies me before others, I also will deny before my Father in heaven.

‘Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace, but a sword.

For I have come to set a man against his father,

and a daughter against her mother,

and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law;

and one’s foes will be members of one’s own household.

Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and

whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever

does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it.

Supporting the work of Chingford Parish



It is now possible to support the work and ministry of Chingford Parish by electronic giving, through the “Give A Little” Scheme. Visit this website or use this QR code:

<https://bit.ly/ChingfordGiving>

This week in the Parish Diary

Morning Prayer is usually said (but subject to change at short notice) at:

8.30am Monday *in the Parish church*

9.00am Tuesday, Thursday and Friday *in the Parish Church* and

Holy Eucharist will be celebrated:

10.00am on Wednesdays *at All Saints'*

10.00am on Thursdays *at Ss Peter & Paul's Church*

Wednesday 24^h June

10.00 am Holy Eucharist *at All Saints Church*

10.45 am Coffee and Bible Study *at All Saints Church Hall*

Sunday 28th June. Ss Peter & Pauls, Apostles Sunday

Readings: Zechariah 4. 1-6a, 10b-end; Psalm 125: Acts 12. 1-11; Matthew 16.13-19

8.00 am Holy Eucharist *at Ss Peter & Paul's church*

10.00 am Joint service of Holy Eucharist *at Ss Peter & Paul's church*

Preacher: *The Rector*

Setting: *Oldroyd Mass of the Quiet Hour*

Communion: *Beati quorum via - Stanford*

Hymns: 172, 484, 295, 205.

6.30 pm Evensong *at Ss Peter & Paul's church*

Preacher: *The Rector*

Responses: *Joanna Forbes L'Estrange*

Canticles: *David Ashley White Amarillo Service*

Anthem: *Let all the world - Leighton*

Organ music: *Master Tallis's Testament - Howells*

For Your Devotions this Week

Monday	Luke 15. 1-10
Tuesday	Luke 15. 11-end
Wednesday	Luke 16. 1-18
Thursday	Luke 16. 19-end
Friday	Luke 17. 1-10
Saturday	Luke 17. 11-19

Please pray for:

Jill Bell, Tom Raven, Alison Goulter, Enid Day, Linda Lines, Claire Coan, Chris White, Geraldine Cleveland, Derek Boulind, Alice Melemendjian, Bruno, Ewa, Elisabeth Abbott, Jo Huber, Clare Daniel, Rosie Grove (11 yrs), Alex Wall.

We also pray for those who have died:

Norman Pianter, Clifford Wing, Mavs Read, John Bowles,
Lois Noel Appiah.

Year's mind this week:

Ronald Gates, George Rider, Josephine McCalla, Ethel Nottage.



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Joint service on Sunday 28th June. There will be a joint service at St Peter and St Paul's church at 10am. There will not be a service at All Saints at 10am.

Leave – The Rector will be on leave from 21 to 27 June inclusive.

200 club June winners, 1st prize - £20 - F. Wall, 2nd prize £14 - N. Taylor
3rd prize £10 - A. Gray. Congratulations!!

Receiving Communion or a Blessing. This is a reminder about Holy communion or Blessing. If you are baptized or confirmed and wish to receive communion, please come to the altar rail & hold your hands crossed palms upwards. If you wish to have Gluten free wafers (we have these separate for people who require gluten free) please hold your hands crossed palms downwards so that the priest will know without you asking. If you wish to receive a blessing instead, please come to the altar rail & have your arms at your sides head bowed.

Sermons Online – Audio recordings of the Rector's sermons are available on the parish YouTube channel at: www.youtube.com/@parishofchingford

The Parish History Group is anxious to receive information about Sapper C. ANSELL who served in and survived the Great War. It has been suggested that he lived in North Chingford. The only other information we have about him is his connection in some way to Elizabeth Short. If you have any information or can help identify Spr C. Ansell further, please get in touch with Diana Kennedy. dmvchkenedy@hotmail.com or 020 8524 3960. Leave me a message and I will get back to you.

Vacancy for Finance Officer who will be responsible for making payment from Parish funds of invoices, for keeping track of Parish income and for assisting in maintaining and developing robust and efficient systems for financial transactions, so that the two churches in the Parish can sustain their ministry to the community. Five flexible hours per week at £16/hour. If you or anyone you know are interested, please contact a churchwarden rapidly and certainly by 28 June.

Do you have a flare for flower arranging? We are looking for volunteers to join a team to help with the flower displays in the Parish church. If this is something you feel you are called to do, please contact Kirsty

office@parishofchingford.org.uk or Mother Marilyn
mthr.marilyn@parishofchingford.org.uk.

The Chingford Cemetery Cafe will meet at the Old Church at 2pm on Friday 26th June. Roy Berg will be giving a talk about the Ridgeway Model Railway. All welcome

Strawberry Tea and Teddy Bears Picnic. All are warmly invited to Strawberry Tea and Teddy Bears' Picnic with entertainment by Purple Praise Where?... All Saints Church Hall

When?....2.30 pm on Saturday June 27th. Cost: £7.50 per adult £5.00 young people aged 11 – 16 Children under age 11 – free!

Please sign up on the sheet at the back of the church no later than Sunday June 21st so that the Catering Team will know how many folks will be with us on the day. All proceeds to go towards urgent floor repairs needed at Sts Peter and Paul Church

Armed Forces Day, Ss Peter & Paul's Saturday 27th June the church will be open by Kristian at 10am – 3pm. There will also be a cake sale by Kirsty and Fernanda and will be outside at the back of the hall facing the Green. If you would like to donate any cakes or sweet treats, please let Kirsty know at office@parishofchingford.org.uk or drop them off Saturday morning by 10am. There will also be a cake sale on Sunday 28th June after the 10am service at the back of church.

Saturday June 27th, 5.30pm at the Parish Church: Concert by the Chingford Singers. An hour of easy-listening choral music, sacred and secular with music by Faure (including the Cantique de Jean Racine), Britten (Missa Brevis), Chilcott, Schubert and Massenet. Directed by Michael Emerson with Felix Petheu, organ and piano. Tickets at the door £10, under 15s free.

Eco Church news. Several of us are keen to bring the Eco Church activity to the Parus Church and see we can start an Eco Church group here. To that end, there will be a meeting after service for anyone who is interested on Sunday 12 July. Jan Burnell will explain what Eco Church involves and we will see if there is enough interest to get a group going. Please do come and find out what it's all about.

Walsingham Mass – A final 'Walsingham Mass' will be held in the Parish Church on Saturday 18 July at 10am. All are welcome.

The Old Church social Club. We meet on the 1st and the 3rd Thursday' of each month in the Hall from 1pm until 3pm. The cost of this is only £3 including refreshments. A raffle is also held and there is also entertainment which may include a speaker or a singer or a quiz or Bingo. We are a friendly mixed group of people who love getting together for an afternoon of fun. New members are also welcome to join us so why not come along and have a good time, make friends and you may even see people you already know. Contact Karon Fordham on 07956 236 517 if you require any further information.

Minutes of PCC meetings will be made more easily available for all to see from now on. I will leave a copy of the minutes most recently agreed by the PCC at the entrance to both churches. Hard copies of all meetings are stored in the office and online and are available to see on request. If you have any questions, feel free to email me at anne.clayden@parishofchingford.org.uk

Organ Scholarship Appeal. We welcome any donations towards the annual cost of funding our Organ Scholarship. It has been hugely successful having a good Organ Scholar assisting with our music at both the PC and OC, which provides the occupant of the post with a really worthwhile experience and pathway into the world of professional music. We are pleased to have been able to re-appoint Luke for a second year and look forward to all his continued help. The amount needed is again £5500.00 for the year and we are already well on the way, so a huge thanks to all our annual and one-off contributors! Any amount given, no matter how small, is really helpful and appreciated. If you are able to contribute towards the appeal at any time this year, it can be paid by bank transfer to Chingford parish church parochial church council, 20-52-74, a/c 40235172. Please make sure the reference is marked Organ Scholarship. Alternatively hand any donations to the Churchwardens, stewards or Director of Music. Thank you

Cornerstone: Helping Our Church Grow in Generosity

Cornerstone is a free Church of England tool that helps churches understand their finances and strengthen giving. It provides:

- Insights – a clear picture of our church's financial health, trends over time and how we compare with similar churches, to help us see our strengths and where we can grow.
- Pathways – nearly 50 simple, step-by-step actions, including templates, videos and guidance to help us make small and large improvements (at our own pace), to grow generosity and support volunteers.
- Grants Database – access to over 650 grants tailored for churches, for buildings, heritage and repairs, community projects and mission and ministry.

We're invited to join a Cornerstone Workshop (2.5 hours), where a small team from our church can learn how to use the tool, review our strengths, and leave with a practical action plan. Other churches describe the workshop as "enlightening", "encouraging", and "a real step change". We're looking for 2-4 volunteers to be part of that small team to join a Cornerstone Workshop. You don't need to be part of the PCC or have a role within the church already. If you care about the future of our church and want to help us grow in generosity and financial confidence, this is a great opportunity. No expertise is needed, just a willing heart and a desire to make a difference. Please see <https://www.chelmsford.anglican.org/uploads/files/Cornerstone-Project-Pack.pdf> for more information and speak to Jacqui Neophytou.

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Safeguarding

The Parish of Chingford is wholly committed to the House of Bishops Safeguarding Policy for children, young people & adults. If you are concerned that someone you know is at risk of, or is being abused, or presents a risk to others, please seek advice from our Parish Safeguarding Officer, Teresa Law, who can be contacted on 07821 838598 or via safeguarding@parishofchingford.org.uk.