# From 'Time Flies'

by Christina Rossetti (1885)

Is any grieved or tired? Yea, by God's Will:
Surely God's Will alone is good and best:
O weary man, in weariness take rest,
O hungry man, by hunger feast thy fill.
Discern thy good beneath a mask of ill,
Or build of loneliness thy secret nest:
At noon take heart, being mindful of the west,
At night wake hope, for dawn advances still.
At night wake hope. Poor soul, in such sore need
Of wakening and of girding up anew,
Hast thou that hope which fainting doth pursue?
No saint but hath pursued and hath been faint;

Bid love wake hope, for both thy steps shall speed, Still faint yet still pursuing, O thou saint.



# Lent in Chingford Parish

★ at SS Peter and Paul, # at All Saints' (Old Church)

## Wednesday 14 February, Ash Wednesday

10.00 am Holy Communion and Imposition of Ashes # 8.00 pm Sung Eucharist and Imposition of Ashes \*\*

Thursdays at the Rectory, 2 The Green Walk

7.30 pm **Living Differently:** A Beginner's Guide to the Kingdom of Heaven

22 February Living Well

Teaching from the Mountain

29 February Living Openly

The Poor and the Mournful

7 March Living Purposefully

The Hungry and Thirsty

14 March Living Lovingly

Mercy and Purity

21 March Living Differently

Peace and Persecution

#### **Saturdays** at the Rectory, 2 The Green Walk

4.00 pm **Seeing and Believing:** Lenten Themes in the Movies

17 February Jésus de Montréal (18)

24 February The Mission (12) 2 March The Apostle (12)

9 March Calvary (15)

16 March Groundhog Day (PG)

Please note, these films contain adult themes and are not suitable for children.

## Saturdays, 17 February - 23 March

10.30 am The Stations of the Cross (An active meditation for Lent) × (2 March at #)

# A Holy Lent

From the invitation to the season, Common Worship, 2000:

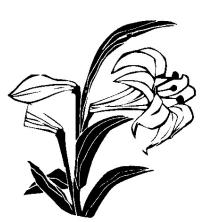
Brothers and sisters in Christ: since early days Christians have observed with great devotion the time of our Lord's passion and resurrection and prepared for this by a season of penitence and fasting.

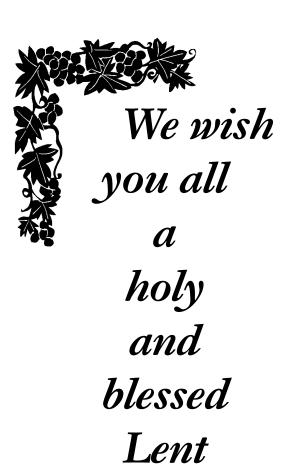
By carefully keeping these days,
Christians take to heart the call to
repentance and the assurance of forgiveness
proclaimed in the gospel, and so grow in
faith and in devotion to our Lord.

I invite you, therefore, in the name of the Church, to the observance of a holy Lent, by self-examination and repentance; by prayer, fasting, and self-denial; and by reading and meditating on God's holy word.

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