



Sunday 11 September 2022

TRINITY 13

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# ST JAMES Islington N1 8PH

Welcomer: Isabel Nisbet  
 Readers: Kerri Allen and Mostyn Goodwin  
 Interceder: Eddie Jenkyns  
 Euch Min: Susan Sorensen  
 Coffee: Isabel Nisbet  
**Music:**  
 Entry AM746 O God our help  
 Resp. Ps Psalm 121  
 Offertory AM766 Praise my soul  
 P-Comm 2SC: *The Lord's my S. Ridout*  
 Final AM739 Now thank we all our G.  
 Mass Burley Mass

**Collect: Father of all, you seek the lost and rejoice when the wanderer is found. Touch our hearts with the tenderness of your love. Fill us with a true sense of your patient care, that when we lose our way we may be among those who are made whole by your forgiveness. We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and our Lord. Amen.**



From now until the beginning of Advent we are inviting everyone to read one chapter each week from St Mark's Gospel. This week CHAPTER 1: Question: what do you think is the reason why Mark decided not to include any of the birth stories which are found in Luke chapters 1 and 2?

### THIS WEEK



Sun **TRINITY 13** 8am Mass. 10am PARISH MASS and SUNDAY SCHOOL. 11.45am Rehearsal for Rajan Khinji and Raehyun Koh.  
 Mon PROM3: 'O Thou Transcendent', BBC film on the life and work of Ralph Vaughan Williams. 7.30pm PROM4: John Crothers lecture 'An unlikely visionary' on the hymns of Vaughan Williams.  
 Tues No 9am Mass. 7.9pm Corsican Brass rehearsal.  
 Wed 10am Mass. 4.30-6.30pm Jeremiah Stevenson organ lessons. 7.9pm Some Voices rehearsal.  
 Thurs 6pm Evening Prayer. 6.15-7pm Office session. 7.9pm Cantilini.  
 Fri 2pm Wedding Blessing of Raj and Rae Khinji. PROMS5: 7.30pm 'A Starlit Grove' Incantati perform baroque and contemporary music from JS Back to Rachel Stott. PROMS6: 7.30pm 'Romantic Giants' Piano Trios by Schubert and Schumann.  
 Sun 18 **TRINITY 14** 8am Mass. 10am PARISH MASS and SUNDAY SCHOOL PROMS7 6.30pm Youth Prom with Yoon Chung.

### Calendar and Daily prayer themes

Sun 11 TRINITY 13 Luigi, Jane, Luca, Francesca, Matteo and Gloria Falcioni  
 Mon 12 5 OT Week 24 Veronica, Andreaq, Anita, Diana and Orlando Losito  
 Tues 13 St John Chrysostom Wendy Fisher-Gordon, Maria Flavius  
 Wed 14 Holy Cross Day Adrian Fox, Jennifer and Aurn Franich  
 Thurs 15 St Cyprian Thomas Gerbeaux; Mostyn, Nioeve, Ilaria, Arlo Goodwin  
 Fri 16 Edward Pusey Karensa and Amariah Greenaway; Lucy Haire and Sam  
 Sat 17 St Hidegaard Mark and Norah Hodge; Alastair Hune  
 Sun 18 TRINITY 14 Rebecca, Rob, Evelyn and Alice Holtom; Kris Hyde

**THE DEATH OF HM THE QUEEN** has rightly drawn tributes from all over the world. But we believe she would also expect us to carry on with our lives. The Church will be open for prayer but the Proms and other activities will continue.

### PRAYER BOARD/NOTICES Requests for prayer welcome

- BIRTHDAYS** Many Happy returns on Tuesday to our talented and hugely conscientious flower arranger Norah Hodge; on Friday to Ken Thompson who will have reached a landmark 85, a day he shares with Shirley Chinery; and on Saturday to our Communications Officer and PCC vice chair, Kerri Allen, and to Charlie Seabrook who will be 13.
- SICK** Jean Dale, Peter Freeth, Charity Garnett, Kris Hyde, Hayley Jenkins, John, Kingsley Lewis, Beryl Lloyd, Rosemary Ross, John Scott, Charlie Sharpe, Arthur Ward, Revd Marjorie Ward and Mary Whalley.
- DEPARTED** We pray for the soul of HM the Queen who died on Thursday 8th September, peacefully at Balmoral.
- MEMORIALS** Today is the 21st anniversary of 9/11 in 2001; 12th: Dinah Jerome; 14th: Tom Burgess.
- INTERNATIONAL CHURCH LINKS** *In the US*: Fr Travis Smith at Holy Comforter, Angleton and Mth Suzanne Smith, Rector of Grace Church, Alvin, Texas. *In Japan*: Fr Sebastian and Yuki Naniwa, now transferred to a university chaplaincy in Toyo.
- IN OUR PRAYERS** We pray this week for all returning to school and College; for the new UK government; for all involved in the success of the Islington Proms and for all our visitors.
- FOR PEACE** We continue to pray for a ceasefire in Ukraine and the safe passage of grain from Ukrainian ports. After the final release of Nazanin Zaghari Ratcliffe, we pray for **Peter Jouvenal**, a British/German journalist with an Afghan family, who has been held by the Taliban since December. Not surprisingly the situation in Ukraine has somewhat overshadowed May God bless every £1 we give so that St James' will be here, not just for today and for tomorrow, but for the future he wants to create.



Open from 12 noon each Monday.



ISLINGTON 10TH ANNIVERSARY PROMS SUPPORTED BY SAVILLS

### A REGULAR PART OF OUR COMMUNITY!

It was so good to see lots of St James' folk taking part in both the Arlington Summer Fair on Saturday and the Canal Festival on Sunday. And I am glad that we are also making our contribution to the local September events calendar with eight Proms concerts, two talks and an art exhibition - and looking forward to the opening of the new organ in the space where Ken was standing!

**RED BUCKET** Just to say we will hold open our appeal for donations towards the relief of those suffering from the Pakistani monsoon floods until the end of September.

**PAKISTAN FLOODS** ANNEKE POL Please pray for Anneke who will be baptised at St James' on Sunday 23rd October with guests from the Netherlands and Australia coming in support!





PARISH MASS  
for Trinity 13  
September 11th 2022  
Requiem for the Queen

as streamed from  
St James' Church  
Islington N1

PARISH MASS FOR TRINITY 13

Entry Hymn: **AM746 O God our help in ages past** [t St Ann]

*O God, our help in ages past,  
our hope for years to come,  
our shelter from the stormy blast,  
and our eternal home*

*Under the shadow of thy throne  
thy saints have dwelt secure;  
sufficient is thine arm alone,  
and our defence is sure.*

*A thousand ages in thy sight  
are like an evening gone,  
short as the watch that ends the night  
before the rising sun.*

*Time, like an ever-rolling stream,  
bears all its sons away;  
they fly forgotten as a dream  
dies in the opening day.*

*O God, our help in ages past,  
our hope for years to come,  
be thou our guard while troubles last,  
and our eternal home.* (Words: Isaac Watts)

**The Greeting**

In the name of the Father, and of the Son,  
and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father  
and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.  
**And also with you.**

*Words of welcome or introduction may be said*

**Words of Preparation**

**Almighty God, you judge us  
with infinite mercy and justice  
and love everything you have made.  
In your mercy turn the darkness of death  
into the dawn of new life,  
and the sorrow of parting  
into the joy of heaven;  
through our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

## Confession

**Almighty God, our heavenly Father,  
we have sinned against you,  
through our own fault,  
in thought and word and deed,  
and in what we have left undone.  
We are heartily sorry  
and repent of all our sins.  
For your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,  
forgive us all that is past;  
and grant that we may serve you in newness of life  
to the glory of your name. Amen.**

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy upon us, pardon and deliver us from all our sins, confirm and strengthen us in all goodness and keep us in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## Gloria

Dom Gregory Murray

**Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.**

**Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sins for the world: have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.**

**For you alone are the holy One, you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

## Collect

**Merciful Father and Lord of all life, we praise you that we are  
made in your image and reflect your truth and light. We thank  
you for the life of our late Sovereign Lady Queen Elizabeth, for  
the love she received from you and showed among us. Above all,  
we rejoice at your gracious promise to all your servants, living and  
departed, that we shall rise again at the coming of Christ.  
And we ask that in due time we may share with your servant Eliz-  
abeth that clearer vision promised to us in the same Christ our  
Lord; who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one  
God, world without end. Amen.**

## The Word of God

*1st Reading:* (Lamentations 3: 22-26, 31-33) The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases, his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. 'The Lord is my portion,' says my soul, therefore I will hope in him.'

The Lord is good to those who wait for him, to the soul that seeks him. It is good that one should wait quietly for the salvation of the Lord. For the Lord will not reject for ever. Although he causes grief, he will have compassion according to the abundance of his steadfast love; for he does not willingly afflict or grieve anyone.

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

*Stay sitting for the Responsorial Psalm*

## Psalm 121

### Refrain

Thanks for life that flows a-round us, for your Spi-rit strong with-in, For the-good we

trust will-fol-low, for what-is and what has been.

I lift up my eyes to the hills;  
but where shall I find help?  
My help comes from the Lord,  
the maker of heaven and earth. (R)

He will not let your foot slip  
for he who watches over you will not sleep.  
Behold he who watches over Israel  
will neither slumber nor sleep. (R)

The Lord always watches over you:  
the Lord protects you and keeps you safe;  
so that the sun shall not scorch you by day  
nor the moon disturb you at night. (R)

The Lord shall keep you from all evil;  
it is he who will guard your life.  
The Lord will defend your going out  
and your coming in,  
both now and for evermore. (R)

Stand

**2nd Reading:** (2 Corinthians 4: 10-5:4) So we do not lose heart. Even though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. For this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure, because we look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen; for what can be seen is temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal. For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens. For in this tent we groan, longing to be clothed with our heavenly dwelling - if indeed, when we have taken it off we will not be found naked. For while we are still in this tent, we groan under our burden, because we wish not to be unclothed but to be further clothed, so that what is mortal may be swallowed up by life.  
This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

*A short time of silence follows as we reflect on all we have heard.*

Let us stand and welcome the Gospel.

**Gospel Acclamation**

We sing together:



We say together:

**It is the will of him who sent me', says the Lord, 'that I should lose none of all that he has as given me, but raise them up on the last day'. Alleluia...**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**  
Hear the Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to John  
**Glory to you, O Lord**

**Gospel:** (St John 6: 35-40) Jesus said to them, 'I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. But I said to you that you have seen me and yet do not believe. Everything that the Father gives me will come to me, and anyone who comes to me I will never drive away; for I have come down from heaven, not to do my own will, but the will of him who sent me. And this is the will of him who sent me, that I should lose nothing of all that he has given me, but raise it up on the last day.  
This is indeed the will of my Father, that all who see the Son and believe in him may have eternal life; and I will raise them up on the last day.'  
This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**We believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father. God from God, light from light, true God from true God, begotten not made, of one Being with the Father; though him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven; was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and was made man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again with glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

Sit

**Prayers of Intercession**

At the end:

**Merciful Father accept these prayers, for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.**

Stand

### The Peace

The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
**And also with you.**

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

Offertory Hymn: **AM766 Praise, my soul, the King of heaven** [t. Praise my soul]

*Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;  
to his feet thy tribute bring.  
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,  
who like me his praise should sing?  
Praise him! Praise him!  
Praise the everlasting King.*

*Praise him for his grace and favour  
to our fathers in distress;  
praise him still the same for ever,  
slow to chide and swift to bless.  
Praise him! Praise him!  
Glorious in his faithfulness.*

*Father-like, he tends and spares us;  
well our feeble frame he knows;  
in his hands he gently bears us,  
rescues us from all our foes.  
Praise him! Praise him!  
Widely as his mercy shows.*

*Angels, help us to adore him;  
ye behold him face to face;  
sun and moon, bow down before him;  
dwellers all in time and space.  
Praise him! Praise him!  
Praise with us the God of grace.*

(Words: Henry Francis Lyte)

Remain standing

### At the Offertory

Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation.  
Through your goodness we have this bread to offer,  
which earth has given and human hands have made.  
It will become for us the bread of life.  
**Blessed be God for ever.**

Blessed are you, Lord, God of creation.  
Through your goodness we have this wine to offer,  
Fruit of the vine and work of human hands.  
It will become our spiritual drink.  
**Blessed be God for ever.**

Pray, my friends, that our thanksgiving may be acceptable to God,  
the almighty Father.

**May the Lord accept this sacrifice from our hands  
for the praise and glory of his name,  
for our good, and the good of all his Church.**

Holy God, accept all we offer you this day. May we who are reconciled at  
this table bring wholeness to our broken world. We ask this in the name of  
Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

Remain standing

### Eucharistic Prayer A

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**  
Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give thanks and praise.**

It is indeed right, it is our duty and our joy, at all times and in all places  
to give you thanks and praise, holy Father, heavenly King,  
almighty and eternal God, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

And now we give you thanks because through him  
you have given us the hope of a glorious resurrection;  
so that, although death comes to us all,  
yet we rejoice in the promise of eternal life;

for to your faithful people life is changed, not taken away;  
and when our mortal flesh is laid aside  
an everlasting dwelling place is made ready for us in heaven.

Therefore with angels and archangels,  
and with all the company of heaven,  
we proclaim your great and glorious name,  
for ever praising you and saying:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,  
 heav'n and earth are full of your glory: Ho - san - na in the high - est  
 Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, Ho -  
 san - na! Ho - san - na! Ho - san - na in the high - est!

## Lord's Prayer

Accept our praises, heavenly Father,  
through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ,  
and as we follow his example and obey his command,  
grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit  
these gifts of bread and wine  
may be to us his body and his blood;

who in the same night that he was betrayed,  
took bread and gave you thanks;  
he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying:  
Take, eat, this is my body which is given for you;  
do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper he took the cup and gave you thanks;  
he gave it to them, saying: Drink this, all of you;  
this is my blood of the new covenant,  
which is shed for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins.  
Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.  
Great is the mystery of faith:

**When we eat this bread and drink this cup,  
we proclaim your death Lord Jesus  
until you come in glory.**

Therefore, heavenly Father, we remember now his offering of himself  
made once for all upon the cross;  
we proclaim his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension;  
and as we look for the coming of his kingdom,  
we make with this bread and this cup  
the memorial of Christ your Son our Lord.

Accept through him, our great high priest,  
this our sacrifice of thanks and praise,  
and as we eat and drink these holy gifts  
in the presence of your divine majesty,  
renew us by your Holy Spirit  
and nourish us with the body and blood of Christ,  
that we may grow into his likeness  
and become a living temple to your glory.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
by whom, and with whom, and in whom,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
with all who stand before you in earth and heaven,  
we worship you, Father almighty, in songs of everlasting praise:



As our Saviour taught us, so we pray:  
**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name;  
thy kingdom come; thy will be done;  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread,  
and forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation;  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
the power and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

## Fraction

We break this bread to share in the Body of Christ.  
**Though we are many, we are one body,  
because we all share in the one bread.**

## Agnus Dei



## Invitation

Draw near with faith, receive the Body of our Lord Jesus Christ which was  
broken for you, and his blood which was shed for you.  
Eat and drink in remembrance that he died for you and feed on him in your  
hearts with thanksgiving; for this is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin  
of the world. Happy are those who are called to his Supper.  
**Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word and I  
shall be healed.**

Sit

## After Communion

Post Communion: 2SC *The Lord's my shepherd* Brother James' Air arr Alan Ridout

The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want,  
he makes me down to lie  
in pastures green, he leadeth me  
the quiet waters by.

My soul he doth restore again,  
and me to walk doth make  
within the paths of righteousness,  
e'en for his own name's sake.

Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale,  
yet will I fear no ill.  
for thou art with me, and thy rod  
and staff me comfort still.

My table thou has furnishéd  
in presence of my foes,  
my head thou dost with oil anoint,  
and my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life  
shall surely follow me.  
and in God's house for evermore  
my dwelling place shall be.

(Words: Scottish Psalter of 1650)

## Post Communion

Communion Antiphon:

The cup which we bless is a communion with the blood of Christ; and the bread we break is a communion with the body of the Lord.

Post Communion:

Father in Heaven, whose Church on earth is a sign of your heavenly peace, an image of the new and eternal Jerusalem: grant to us in the days of our pilgrimage that, fed with the living bread of heaven and united in the body of your Son, we may be the temple of your presence, the place of your glory on earth, and a sign of your peace in the world; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.  
**Amen.**

**Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Through him we offer you our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the power of your Spirit, to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.**

## Community Notices

## Stand AM578 God save our gracious King

## National Anthem

*God save our gracious King,  
Long live our noble King,  
God save the King.  
Send him victorious  
happy and glorious,  
long to reign over us.  
God save the King.*

*Thy choicest gifts in store,  
on him be pleased to pour,  
long may he reign.  
May he defend our laws,  
and ever give us cause  
to sing with heart and voice,  
God save the King.*

## Blessing and Dismissal

God grant to the living, grace; to the departed, rest;  
to the Church, the King, the Commonwealth,  
and all humankind, peace and concord;  
and to us and all his servants, life everlasting;  
and the blessing of God almighty,  
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,  
be among you and remain with you always. **Amen,**

Go in the peace of Christ. **Thanks be to God.**

Final Hymn: **AM766 Now thank we all our God**

[t Nun Danket]

***Now thank we all our God, with heart and hands and voices,  
who wondrous things hath done, in whom the world rejoices;  
who from our mother's arms hath blessed us on our way  
with countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.***

***O may this bounteous God through all our life be near us,  
with ever joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us;  
and keep us in his grace, and guide us when perplexed,  
and free us from all ills in this world and the next.***

***All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given,  
the Son and him who reigns with them in highest heaven,  
the one eternal God, whom earth and heaven adore;  
for thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore.*** (Words: Martin Rinkart)

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