

THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF ALL SAINTS ROSEBUD with ST. KATHERINE'S McCRAE

#### THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

#### SUNDAY 17th MARCH 2024



Our Vicar is the Reverend Lynda Crossley We greet with much joy again, Father Roger

## **WELCOME TO OUR PARISH**

If you are visiting with us today, welcome to our service and we welcome you to join us for morning tea after the service in our hall.

Before the service, speak to God, during the service let God speak to you, and then after the service, speak to others.

#### **HYMNS**

104 276 598 161

## Introit hymn: 104 While Morning still is breaking

The Lord be with you **And also with you** 

## **Sentence of Scripture**

'This is the covenant I will make with them,' says the Lord God: 'I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God and they shall be my people.' Jeremiah 31.33

## **Collect for Today**

O God, our Redeemer, in our weakness we have failed to be your messengers of forgiveness and hope: renew us by your Holy Spirit, that we may follow your commands and proclaim your reign of love; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**.

# **MINISTRY OF THE WORD**

# The first reading is from Jeremiah 31.31-34

The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the Lord. But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the Lord: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, 'Know the Lord', for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the Lord; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more.

## Hear the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God

## **PSALM 119.9-16**

**RESPONSE:** My delight is wholly in your statutes: and I will not forget your word.

- <sup>9</sup> How shall the young keep their path pure: unless they hold to your word?
- 10 I have sought you with my whole heart: let me not stray from your commandments.
- 11 I have treasured your words in my heart: that I might not sin against you. R
- Blessed are you, Lord God:O teach me your statutes.
- <sup>13</sup> With my lips I have been telling: all the judgements of your mouth;
- <sup>14</sup> And I find more joy in the way of your commands: than in all manner of riches. **R**
- 15 I will meditate on your precepts: and give heed to your ways;
- For my delight is wholly in your statutes: and I will not forget your word. R

## The Second Reading is from Hebrews 5.5-14

So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him 'You are my Son, today I have begotten you'; as he says also in another place, 'You are a priest for ever, according to the order of Melchizedek. In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek. About this we have much to say that is hard to explain, since you have become dull in understanding.

For though by this time you ought to be teachers, you need someone to teach you again the basic elements of the oracles of God. You need milk, not solid food; for everyone who lives on milk, being still an infant, is unskilled in the word of righteousness. But solid food is for the mature, for those whose faculties have been trained by practice to distinguish good from evil.

Hear the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God

The Gradual: 276 There's a light upon the mountains

#### THE GOSPEL

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John *Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.* 

### John 12: 20-33

Now among those who went up to worship at the festival were some Greeks. They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and said to him, 'Sir, we wish to see Jesus.' Philip went and told Andrew; then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. Jesus answered them, 'The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Very truly, I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit. Those who love their life lose it, and those who hate their life in this world will keep it for eternal life. Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there will my servant be also. Whoever serves me, the Father will honour. 'Now my soul is troubled. And what should I say—"Father, save me from this hour"? No, it is for this reason that I have come to this hour. Father, glorify your name.' Then a voice came from heaven, 'I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again.' The crowd standing there heard it and said that it was thunder. Others said, 'An angel has spoken to him.' Jesus answered, 'This voice has come for your sake, not for mine. Now is the judgement of this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to myself.' He said this to indicate the kind of death he was to die.

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Offertory hymn: 598 Dear Lord and Father of mankind

Final Hymn: 161 Tell out my soul

## You are most welcome to join us for Morning Tea in the Hall.

### In our prayers this week we pray especially for:

His Majesty the King, Alan, Debbie, Diane, Graham, Greg, Jim, Joan, Jono, Josie, Judith-Ann, Kay, Kellie, Margaret & David and Mary.

## **This week's Collects**

# **Prayer of the Season Ash Wednesday**

Almighty and everlasting God, you hate nothing that you have made, and you forgive the sins of all who are penitent: create and make in us new and contrite hearts, that we, worthily lamenting our sins, and acknowledging our wretchedness, may obtain of you, the God of all mercy, perfect remission and forgiveness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### This week's Collect

We thank you, heavenly Father, that you have delivered us from the power of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of your Son: we pray that as by his death he has recalled us to life, so by his presence abiding in us he may raise us to joys eternal; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**.

## A prayer for peace and justice from the Archbishop of Jerusalem.

O God of all justice and peace we cry out to you in the midst of the pain and trauma of violence and fear which prevails in the Holy Land. Be with those who need you in these days of suffering; we pray for people of all faiths – Jews, Muslims and Christians and for all people of

the land.

While we pray to you, O Lord, for an end to violence and the establishment of peace, we also call for you to bring justice and equity to the peoples.

Guide us into your kingdom

where all people are treated with dignity and honour as your children for, to all of us, you are our Heavenly Father.

In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

# Readings for next Sunday March 24<sup>th</sup> PALM SUNDAY

Isaiah 50:4-9 Psalm 31:9-18 Philippians 2:5-11 Mark 15: 1-15, 27

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# **THE WEEK AHEAD**

Date	Day	Event
March 18 <sup>th</sup>	Monday	
March 19 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday Joseph, Husband of The Blessed Virgin Mary	
March 20 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday Cuthbert of Lindisfarne, bishop & missionary (d. 687)	10.30 Eucharist All Saints'
March 21st	Thursday Thomas Cranmer, Archbishop of Canterbury, martyr & liturgist (d.1556)	
March 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Friday Thomas Ken, Bishop of Bath and Wells, teacher (d.1771)	
March 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Saturday	
March 24 <sup>th</sup>	SUNDAY  PALM SUNDAY  With the Liturgy of the Palms	8.30 St. Katherine's 10.30 All Saints.

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