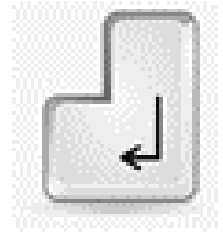


The Parish of Sanderstead and Hamsey Green  
All Saints' Church, Sanderstead

*Proclaiming Jesus, Changing Lives, Serving our Community*



# PARISH EUCHARIST

Sunday 20th March, 2022

Lent 3



*A very warm welcome, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord and Saviour. Whether you are physically in Church or watching on livestream you are very welcome indeed.*

*We are in the season of Lent, a time of penitence and preparation before Easter. We will continue our series of sermons on "Reboot" and today we welcome Bishop David Atkinson who will explore the significance of the "Return" button.*

*This service will be live-streamed. If you are watching at home and would like to join in Holy Communion, do prepare a table and light a candle in readiness.*

*If this is your first time at Sanderstead, or if you would like to know more about the Christian faith, please do contact Revd Jeremy Groombridge via our website: [www.sanderstead-parish.org.uk](http://www.sanderstead-parish.org.uk). We would love to hear from you!*

*While we are waiting for the service to begin, please observe quietness. You may find it helpful to read the words of our last hymn: "Take my life and let be consecrated, Lord, to thee".*



**THY KINGDOM COME, O GOD,**  
thy rule, O Christ, begin;  
break with thine iron rod  
the tyrannies of sin.

Where is thy reign of peace  
and purity and love?  
When shall all hatred cease,  
as in the realms above?

When comes the promised time  
that war shall be no more,  
and lust, oppression, crime  
shall flee thy face before?

We pray thee, Lord, arise,  
and come in thy great might;  
revive our longing eyes,  
which languish for thy sight.

Some scorn thy sacred name,  
and wolves devour thy fold;  
by many deeds of shame  
we learn that love grows cold.

O'er lands both near and far  
thick darkness broodeth yet:  
arise, O Morning Star,  
arise, and never set!

Lewis Hensley (1824-1905) alt.

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

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

*Preparation*

**Almighty God,  
to whom all hearts are open,  
all desires known,  
and from whom no secrets are hidden:  
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts  
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,  
that we may perfectly love you,  
and worthily magnify your holy name;  
through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.**

*Prayers of Penitence*

Compassion and forgiveness belong to the Lord our God,  
though we have rebelled against him.  
Let us then renounce our willfulness and ask for his mercy  
by confessing our sins in penitence and faith.

We confess to you our selfishness and lack of love:  
fill us with your Spirit.  
Lord, have mercy.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

We confess to you our fear and failure in sharing our faith:  
fill us with your Spirit.  
Christ, have mercy.  
**Christ, have mercy.**

We confess to you our stubbornness and lack of trust:  
fill us with your Spirit.  
Lord, have mercy.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

May almighty God grant you forgiveness of all your sins, time for  
amendment of life and the grace and comfort of his Holy Spirit,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

*The minister leads us in the special prayer (the 'Collect') for today*

**Eternal God,  
give us insight to discern your will for us,  
to give up what harms us,  
and to seek the perfection we are promised  
in Jesus our Lord.  
Amen**



*The Liturgy of the Word*

*Psalm 63 - A psalm of David. When he was in the Desert of Judah*

<sup>1</sup> You, God, are my God, earnestly I seek you; I thirst for you, my whole being longs for you, in a dry and parched land where there is no water.

**<sup>2</sup> I have seen you in the sanctuary and beheld your power and your glory.**

<sup>3</sup> Because your love is better than life, my lips will glorify you.

**<sup>4</sup> I will praise you as long as I live, and in your name I will lift up my hands.**

<sup>5</sup> I will be fully satisfied as with the richest of foods; with singing lips my mouth will praise you.

**<sup>6</sup> On my bed I remember you; I think of you through the watches of the night.**

<sup>7</sup> Because you are my help, I sing in the shadow of your wings.

**<sup>8</sup> I cling to you; your right hand upholds me.**

<sup>9</sup> Those who want to kill me will be destroyed; they will go down to the depths of the earth.

**<sup>10</sup> They will be given over to the sword and become food for jackals.**

<sup>11</sup> But the king will rejoice in God; all who swear by God will glory in him, while the mouths of liars will be silenced.

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit  
As it was in the beginning, is now and shall be for ever.  
Amen**

*Old Testament Reading: Hosea 6:1-3*

*Israel Unrepentant*

**6** "Come, let us return to the Lord. He has torn us to pieces  
but he will heal us; he has injured us but he will bind up our  
wounds.

<sup>2</sup> After two days he will revive us; on the third day he will  
restore us, that we may live in his presence.

<sup>3</sup> Let us acknowledge the Lord; let us press on to acknowledge him.  
As surely as the sun rises, he will appear; he will come to us like  
the winter rains, like the spring rains that water the earth."

This is the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

*Epistle: Philippians 3:10-14*

<sup>10</sup> I want to know Christ—yes, to know the power of his resurrection  
and participation in his sufferings, becoming like him in his  
death, <sup>11</sup> and so, somehow, attaining to the resurrection from the  
dead.

<sup>12</sup> Not that I have already obtained all this, or have already arrived  
at my goal, but I press on to take hold of that for which Christ  
Jesus took hold of me. <sup>13</sup> Brothers and sisters, I do not consider  
myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting  
what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, <sup>14</sup> I press  
on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me  
heavenward in Christ Jesus.

This is the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**



**THE SPIRIT LIVES TO SET US FREE**

walk, walk in the light.  
He binds us all in unity,  
walk, walk in the light.

*Walk in the light,  
walk in the light,  
walk in the light,  
walk in the light of the Lord.*

Jesus promised life to all,  
walk, walk in the light.  
The dead were wakened by his call,  
walk, walk in the light.

He died in pain on Calvary,  
walk, walk in the light.  
to save the lost like you and me,  
walk, walk in the light.

We know his death was not the end,  
walk, walk in the light.  
He gave his Spirit to be our friend,  
walk, walk in the light.

By Jesus' love our wounds are healed,  
walk, walk in the light.  
The Father's kindness is revealed,  
walk, walk in the light.

The Spirit lives in you and me,  
walk, walk in the light;  
His light will shine for all to see,  
walk, walk in the light.

*Gospel Reading: Luke 13:1-9*

Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory. I am the light of the world, says the Lord, whoever follows me will have the light of light.  
**Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory.**

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.  
**Glory to you, O Lord.**

*Repent or Perish*

**13** Now there were some present at that time who told Jesus about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mixed with their sacrifices. <sup>2</sup> Jesus answered, "Do you think that these Galileans were worse sinners than all the other Galileans because they suffered this way? <sup>3</sup> I tell you, no! But unless you repent, you too will all perish. <sup>4</sup> Or those eighteen who died when the tower in Siloam fell on them—do you think they were more guilty than all the others living in Jerusalem? <sup>5</sup> I tell you, no! But unless you repent, you too will all perish."

This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise to you, O Christ.**

*The Sermon by Bishop David Atkinson*



*Anthem - sung by the Choir*  
*"Lord, for thy tender mercy's sake" (Christopher Tye)*

*Lord, for thy tender mercy's sake, lay not our sins to our charge,  
But forgive that is past, and give us grace to amend our sinful lives.  
To decline from sin, and incline to virtue, that we may walk with an  
upright heart before thee now and evermore.*

**The Nicene Creed**

**We believe in one God,  
the Father, the 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.**

**Through 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 in 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.**

**With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified.**

**He 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.**



*These prayers end with...*

Merciful Father

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



## ***The Liturgy of the Sacrament***



*The priest greets the people in peace*

Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us access to his grace.

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**And also with you.**

*We greet one another with a sign of peace.*

*Song: There is a Redeemer*

### **THERE IS A REDEEMER,**

Jesus, God's own Son,  
precious Lamb of God, Messiah,  
Holy One.

*Thank you, O my Father,  
for giving us your Son,  
and leaving your Spirit  
till the work on earth is done.*

Jesus my Redeemer,  
Name above all names,  
precious Lamb of God, Messiah  
O for sinners slain:

When I stand in glory  
I will see his face,  
and there I'll serve my King for ever  
in that holy place.

God of our journey,  
as we walk with you on your path of obedience,  
sustain us on our way and lead us to your glory;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **The Eucharistic Prayer (Prayer B)**

The Lord is here.  
**His Spirit is with us.**

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 and good, to give you thanks and praise,  
almighty God and everlasting Father, through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
For in these forty days  
you lead us into the desert of repentance  
that through a pilgrimage of prayer and discipline  
we may grow in grace  
and learn to be your people once again.

Through fasting, prayer and acts of service  
you bring us back to your generous heart.  
Through study of your holy word  
you open our eyes to your presence in the world  
and free our hands to welcome others  
into the radiant splendour of your love.  
As we prepare to celebrate the Easter feast  
with joyful hearts and minds,  
we bless you for your mercy  
and join with saints and angels  
for ever praising you and singing:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

Lord, you are holy indeed, the source of all holiness;  
grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit, and according to your  
holy will, these gifts of bread and wine may be to us the body and  
blood of our Lord Jesus Christ;

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 many for the forgiveness of sins.  
Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.  
Praise to you, Lord Jesus:

**Dying you destroyed our death,  
rising you restored our life:  
Lord Jesus, come in glory.**

And so, Father, calling to mind his death on the cross,  
his perfect sacrifice made once for the sins of the whole world;  
rejoicing in his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension,  
and looking for his coming in glory,  
we celebrate this memorial of our redemption.  
As we offer you this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving,  
we bring before you this bread and this cup  
and we thank you for counting us worthy to stand in your presence  
and serve you.

Send the Holy Spirit on your people and gather into one in your  
kingdom  
all who share this one bread and one cup,  
so that we, in the company of our Lord Jesus Christ and all the  
saints,  
may praise and glorify you for ever, through Jesus Christ our Lord;  
by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy  
Spirit,  
all honour and glory be yours, almighty Father, for ever and ever.  
**Amen.**

Let us pray



As our Saviour taught us, so we pray

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come, your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,  
now and for ever.**

**Amen.**

*The priest breaks the consecrated bread*

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

**Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share  
in one bread.**

*The Invitation*

God's holy gifts for God's holy people.

**Jesus Christ is holy,  
Jesus Christ is Lord,  
to the Glory of God the Father.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,  
Have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,  
Have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,  
Grant us peace.**

*The Holy Communion is distributed.*

*Everyone is invited. All who receive Holy Communion in their own  
churches are welcome. The stewards will guide you.*

*If you would prefer to partake in just one form - a wafer - please  
indicate by saying "one" to the Priest. If you would like both bread  
and wine please say "both" and the Priest will then dip your wafer  
in the wine and place it in your hands. When receiving communion,  
it is customary to say 'Amen' as you receive the elements.*

*If you do not wish to receive Communion bow your head for a prayer of blessing.*

*Time of Quiet*

<i>Prayers after Communion</i>
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Merciful Lord,  
grant your people grace to withstand the temptations  
of the world, the flesh and the devil,  
and with pure hearts and minds to follow you, the only God;  
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.**

*Any notices and announcements.*

*Prayers of God's Blessing*

May God the Father,  
who does not despise the broken spirit,  
give to you a contrite heart. **Amen.**

May Christ,  
who bore your sins in his body on the tree,  
heal you by his wounds. **Amen**

May the Holy Spirit,  
who leads us into all truth,  
speak to you words of pardon and peace. **Amen**

And the blessing of God almighty,  
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,  
be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

*Closing Hymn: Take my life, and let it be*



**TAKE MY LIFE, AND LET IT BE**  
consecrated, Lord, to thee;  
take my moments and my days,  
let them flow in ceaseless praise.

Take my hands, and let them move  
at the impulse of thy love;  
take my feet, and let them be  
swift and beautiful for thee.

Take my voice, and let me sing  
always, only, for my King;  
take my lips, and let them be  
filled with messages from thee.

Take my silver and my gold;  
not a mite would I withhold;  
take my intellect, and use  
ev'ry power as thou shalt choose.

Take my will, and make it thine:  
it shall be no longer mine;  
take my heart: it is thine own;  
it shall be thy royal throne.

Take my love; my Lord, I pour  
at thy feet its treasure-store;  
take myself, and I will be  
ever, only, all for thee.

Frances Ridley Havergal (1836-1879)

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
**In the name of Christ. Amen.**

*Voluntary: Sortie (Samuel Rousseau)*

# NOTICES for Sunday 20 March 2022



## Monthly Parish Prayer – Saturday 26 March

**9.00am on zoom** The zoom link will be sent early this week to all our church family. If you don't receive it but would like to, please contact the Parish Office. All are welcome – do join us. *“Prayer is powerful and effective”*. James 5:16

## Mothering Sunday - Sunday 27 March

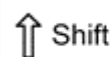
**9.30am** Family Worship + Communion *Led by the Mothers' Union*



## Parish Eucharist with choir - Sunday 3 April, Lent 5

**9.30am** Theme: *“Shift” – a new and living way.*

Speaker – Revd Jeremy Groombridge



## Churches Together In Sanderstead LENT COURSE

**Wednesday afternoons at 2pm via Zoom - 'Road to Jerusalem'** led by Rev Bill Bowman. Each session usually runs about an hour. To register and receive the Zoom information, email Connie Dean, [cdean2910@gmail.com](mailto:cdean2910@gmail.com)

23rd March - Jericho and Bethany

30th March – Jerusalem

**Easter Lilies** If anyone would like to donate a lily in memory of a loved one, please let Ann Turner have an envelope with £4 in. Any financial contribution towards the church flower fund would be much appreciated in order that we can provide a weekly arrangement in church. Thank you. *Ann Turner*

## All Saints Spring Cleaning Day – Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> March 9.30am -

**2.30pm.** It's the first Spring Clean since 2019 so there should be lots to do. Help needed for all or some of the time, Come when you can. Bread and cheese lunch provided. Please let Corrie know if you can come and if you would like lunch. [corinna.hibberd@gmail.com](mailto:corinna.hibberd@gmail.com). 8657 4562, 07891 693315.

## WORSHIP BAND AND SINGERS

If any musician or singer would like to consider participating in re-establishing a small band to lead the music once a month on a regular basis please express an interest by contacting Tony Worthington who has agreed to co-ordinate it. Email Tony at [worshipband@sanderstead-parish.org.uk](mailto:worshipband@sanderstead-parish.org.uk).

## GATHERING TO PRAY for UKRAINE

Every Thursday morning during Lent to pray for Ukraine - set prayers at 9.30am, then the church will be left open until 12.30pm for personal prayer and reflection. All are very welcome.

## DONATING TO UKRAINE

Rather than giving goods, we encourage monetary donations be made directly to the charity of your choosing whereby Gift Aid declarations can be made. The following are both good charities and would welcome your support...

- **DEC Ukraine Appeal - Disasters Emergency Committee** Charity No. 1062638  
Donate to help DEC charities scale up their response & help those affected by the conflict. <https://www.dec.org.uk/> Telephone: 0370 606 0900
- **International Needs Emergency Appeal – Ukraine Refugees** Charity No: 1175526  
IN-Romania and IN-Slovakia are providing transportation, food and shelter for families. <https://ineeds.org.uk/> Telephone: 01883 331332

## The Bishop of Southwark's LENT CALL 2022



*"My people will live in peaceful dwelling places, in secure homes, in undisturbed places of rest" (Isaiah 32:18).*

### Week 3: Kingston

The project being supported in Kingston is Glass Door, which coordinates the UK's largest network of open-access services for people affected by homelessness. Glass Door has been running emergency winter night shelters in west and southwest London since 1999, with the help of about a dozen churches.

*Can you help our friends in Kingston as they continue to help the homeless and those in need? Find out more or give online [www.southwark.anglican.org/lentcall](http://www.southwark.anglican.org/lentcall)*

**In church:** Use the small dedicated pink envelopes marked 'Bishops Lent Call' found on the back of pews.

*There is more information on the Lent Call in the Church and Church Hall lobbies, updated weekly.*

**A reminder that the clocks go forward next weekend (26/27 March).**