

8.00am Morning Prayer
Sunday, 3rd March 2019
The Sunday next before Lent
Sunday Welcome to St Edmund's
Church

An induction loop and large-print
service sheets are available today

Collect

Holy God,
you know the disorder of our sinful lives:
set straight our crooked hearts,
and bend our wills to love your goodness
and your glory in Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN

Readings

Exodus 34: 29-end
2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2
Luke 9: 28-36

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Psalm of the Day Psalm 99

¹ The Lord reigns,
let the nations tremble;
he sits enthroned between the cherubim,
let the earth shake.

² Great is the Lord in Zion;
he is exalted over all the nations.

³ Let them praise your great and awesome name—
he is holy.

⁴ The King is mighty, he loves justice—
you have established equity;
in Jacob you have done
what is just and right.

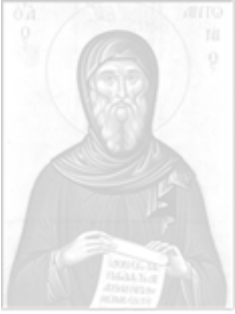
⁵ Exalt the Lord our God
and worship at his footstool;
he is holy.

⁶ Moses and Aaron were among his priests,
Samuel was among those who called on his name;
they called on the Lord
and he answered them.

⁷ He spoke to them from the pillar of cloud;
they kept his statutes and the decrees he gave them.

⁸ Lord our God,
you answered them;
you were to Israel a forgiving God,
though you punished their misdeeds.^[a]

⁹ Exalt the Lord our God
and worship at his holy mountain,
for the Lord our God is holy.



10am Holy Communion

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A Particular Welcome to Bishop David Atkinson
our Preacher Today

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Forthcoming Services at Both Churches

3RD MARCH	8AM MORNING PRAYER 10AM HOLY COMMUNION
4TH MARCH	MONDAY 2.30PM T4U
10TH MARCH	8AM HOLY COMMUNION 10AM MORNING WORSHIP AT ST ANTONY'S FOLLOWED BY ST ANTONY'S AGM
17TH MARCH	8AM MORNING PRAYER 10AM HOLY COMMUNION
18TH MARCH	MONDAY 2PM HOLY COMMUNION FOLLOWED BY T4U
24TH MARCH	8AM HOLY COMMUNION 10AM HOLY COMMUNION AT ST ANTONY'S
31ST MARCH MOTHERING SUNDAY	8AM MORNING PRAYER 10AM HOLY COMMUNION
1ST APRIL	MONDAY 2.30PM T4U
7TH APRIL	8AM MORNING PRAYER 10AM HOLY COMMUNION

FOR OUR PRAYERS

**IF THERE IS ANYONE FOR WHOM YOU WOULD LIKE US TO PRAY, PLEASE LET
SUSAN KNOW, BUT MAKE CERTAIN YOU FIRST HAVE THEIR PERMISSION.**

FROM ST EDMUND'S

**NORAH, ZARA, LINDA SIMMONDS, KATHLEEN DAVIES, ALISTAIR WHITE,
LINDA KING, ALISTAIR, Maureen Bellchambers. Daphne Butler.
Francis Holt**

FROM ST ANTONY'S

**We pray for Alan Smith, Alison Falconer, and Anita Wythe.
Sheila Bradstock**

St Edmund's AGM will be 8pm on Monday 11 March in the William
Goddard Room

Sanderstead PCC: Monday 4th March at 8pm at All Saints in St Catherine's Aisle.

URGENT APPEAL FROM PURLEY FOOD HUB:, we urgently need extra donations of the following: long life whole milk, small bags of sugar, strawberry and raspberry jam, tinned ready meals, tins of red kidney beans, jars of pasta sauce, packet soup, small packs of tea bags, tinned dessert fruit and rice pudding, packets of sweet biscuits and small bottles of squash. Non-food items especially needed are washing up liquid and non bio washing tablets/sachets. Co-Op Hamsey Green supports the Purley Food Hub. For more details, go to <http://www.purleyfoodhub.net/index.php/news> The Contact person is Barbara Webster Dudley.

There is a new Thursday service of Holy Communion at All Saints which has been started so that the Church employees can worship together but anyone is more than welcome to attend. This service is on the first Thursday of the Month at 12.30pm

Live Streaming of services at St Edmund's

We have been live streaming many of our services since 2 December. This has opened up our services to a global audience and we are getting upwards of 350 people attending services online. We will be continuing to live stream most 10am Sunday services at St Edmund's. If you have any questions or concerns please speak with Susan or the steward before the service commences. Susan's contact details are Tel: 020 8657 5505. email: susan@sanderstead-parish.org The services are broadcast here: twitter.com/revsusan5 Links may also be found on St Edmund's page of the parish website and may be viewed at any time.

Lent Course – Daring to see God now, a York course written by Bishop Nick Baines, will be meeting Tuesday evenings 7.30 for 7.45pm commencing Tuesday 12 March. The course will run for five weeks. All Welcome but it would be helpful if you can sign the sheet to indicate your intention to attend (even if not every week) so that the correct number of books may be bought.

The Apocalypse of Jesus: A series of lent Studies led by Bishop David Atkinson at Sanderstead United Reformed Church on Thursdays at 2.30pm between March 14th and April 11th Please bring your Bible.

**Children's society Exhibition and Sale of Pictures by Local Artists
Saturday 16 March 10.00am – 4.30pm
United Reformed Church Hall, Sanderstead Hill**

This lively exhibition features original framed and unframed paintings and drawings by talented local artists – all at affordable prices. Around 50 artists' work will be on display and 20% of all profits go towards the Society's work with disadvantaged children. There will also be a homemade cakes and preserves stall, plus tea and coffee, and a chance to win a raffle prize. We'd love to see you there!

The Bishop of Southwark's Lent Call 2019

The theme for the 2019 Bishop of Southwark's Lent Call is "*I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly*" (John 10.10b)

Bishop Christopher says: "This year we are pleased to be able to tell you something of the work of the Leprosy Mission in Sri Lanka, Church Army Africa's Carlile College in Nairobi, Kenya, three projects here in the Diocese as well as information about work in Zimbabwe. In all these places there is a real need; but as I write the situation in Zimbabwe is particularly difficult and we hope that the monies raised through the Lent Call this year help the people of that land to know that they are cared for as we extend prayer and practical support. "

The Dean of Southwark, the Very Revd Andrew Nunn, has written a prayer for Zimbabwe, which we are urged to use throughout Lent.

Praying for the people of Zimbabwe

May there be ... no cry of distress in our streets. (Ps 144.15)

Loving God, strong and merciful,
we hear the cry of our brothers and sisters in Zimbabwe
and we place them into your hands.
May the hungry be fed, the sorrowful consoled,
the injured healed, the hopeless encouraged
and the dead have new life in you.
May justice flow like a river and may your peace rest upon them. Amen.

Week 1 The Leprosy Mission: Improving Leprosy-Affected
Communities in Sri Lanka.

Week 2 Urban Mission Training at Carlile College, Nairobi.

Week 3 Helping our neighbours in the Diocese
Croydon Episcopal Area – Sutton Women’s Centre
Kingston Episcopal Area – Christian CARE
Woolwich Episcopal Area – The Salmon Youth Centre

Week 4 Working with our link Dioceses in Zimbabwe
The Diocese of Central Zimbabwe; the Diocese of Masvingo; the
Diocese of Manicaland; the Diocese of Matabeleland.

Week 5 Working with our link Dioceses in Zimbabwe

GiftAid envelopes, in the name of both St Antony’s and St Edmund’s, are available in the foyer. Please make cheques payable to “St Edmund’s Church”. If GiftAid is not relevant, please still use one of the envelopes (uncompleted) or put your donation in a plain envelope, marked “Lent Call” so we can identify it. If you are using a CAF cheque, please make it payable directly to “The Bishop of Southwark’s Lent Fund” . Any enquiries to Chris, Treasurer St Edmund’s, 020 8668 2775.