

Think and Look Ahead

Next Sunday Lent begins! Write down some ideas of things you might do during Lent

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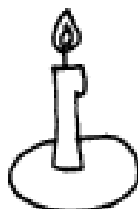
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✓ SMILE



GIVE UP
SWEETS



✓ PRAY

The Sunday before Lent

A very warm welcome to you this Sunday.

Holy Communion

9.30am – Holy Trinity

11.00am – All Saints



Hymns: 646, Psalm, 93,402, [60 + 272], 416.

Prayer for the week

Almighty father, whose Son was revealed in majesty before he suffered death upon the cross: give us grace to perceive his glory, that we may be strengthened to suffer with him and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Readings	Holy Trinity	All Saints
2 Kings 2: 1 - 12	Jean R.	Diko R.
2 Corinthians 4: 3 - 6	Patricia A.	Luke E.
Mark 9: 2 - 9	Clergy	Clergy

Post Communion

Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ: may we who are partakers at his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

- **Evening prayers every Monday** 7:30pm - 8:30pm at Holy Trinity, starting date 27th of February 2012. All welcome.
- **Healing Service:** today - 6.30pm at All Saints.
- **Ash Wednesday Service:** this Wednesday 8pm at Holy Trinity.

Dear Friends

Today our readings say much to us about God's glory! Lets be clear, this has nothing to do with what we today refer to as 'celebrity status'. The glory of God is seen in the OT as a bright shining cloud – the Shekinah glory! This bright cloud would be seen over the tent of the meetings to show that God was present in their midst.

In the NT, we learn that this Shekinah glory made itself known. The Transfiguration of our Lord, as this experience became known, also refers to the brightness of God's glory. So wonderful an experience it was, that the disciples asked if they could remain in that place. When we have an extraordinary experience, our natural response is to want to just stay put.

This reminds me of going on a special holiday, or getting married. The moment is so special that we hear ourselves saying, 'I don't want to go home – I can stay here forever.' However, the Shekinah glory is not the total story. We need to get back to the reality of day to day living. What we can do is bring something of the memory of the experience with us. ***It is my hope and prayer that our worship will fill us with God's glory so that we will shine our light in the world.***

Psalm 50: 1-6

The Lord, the most mighty God has spoken and called the world from the rising of the sun to its setting.

Out of Zion, perfect in beauty, God shines forth; our God comes and will not keep silence.

Consuming fire goes out before him and a mighty tempest stirs about him.

He calls the heavens above, and the earth, that he may judge his people:

'Gather to me my faithful, who have sealed my covenant with sacrifice.'

Let the heavens declare his righteousness, for God himself is judge.

Glory to the Father.....

NOTICES/ DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Readings for the week

Monday *Exodus 19: 7 - 25*

Tuesday *Job 19: 23 - 27*

Ash Wednesday

Joel 2: 1 – 2, 12 - 17

or Isaiah 58: 1 – 12

Psalm 51: 1 – 17

2 Corinthians 5: 20b – 6: 10

Matthew 6: 1 – 6, 16 – 21

Thursday *Daniel 9: 1 - 14*

Friday *Daniel 9: 15 – 25a*

Saturday *Psalm 32*

• **Readings for next week**

Genesis 9: 8 - 17
Psalm 25: 1 - 9
1 Peter 3: 18 - 22
Mark 1: 9 - 15

• ***Birthdays :***

Dior Paul-Brown
Joan Fuller
Charles Davis



• **Prayer Request**

Sr. Frances, Dennis Bailey,
Eileen Balgobin, Jennifer Beckles,
Gwen Burton, Eleanor Cabey,
Lilieth Celaire, Vania Charles,
Florrie Chessher,
John & Beulah Clarke,
Maureen Coster, Gloria David,
Tameika Edwards, Iris Facey,
Simonne Fraser, Ethel Gordon,
Loleta Grant, Errol Irish.
Thomas Irish, Mary Jacobs,
Nora Jacobs, Wallie Jacobs,
Charmaine Jarvis,
Shirley Lewis,
Mertylyn McDonald,
Adina Ross, David Russell,
Marcia Scrubb, Eileen Skerritt,
Sandra Thames,
Sean Warburton, Kath Ward,
Doris Warner, Aston White,
Matthew & Audrey Wilkin.

Hackney Deanery Synod

on Tuesday 28 February
at St Peter De Beauvoir Town
De Beauvoir Road,
London N1 5AT
at 7.30pm.

Mobile Phones:

Please turn off all phones on
entry to the church.
Thank you.

Would parents please
accompany small children
to the toilets.

Please prevent the children from
walking around while eating
crumbly snacks as the building is
in use straight after our service.

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**The Funeral service for the late
Elizabeth O’Garro will take
place on Friday 24th February,
10am at All Saints Church.**

*This Lent
Let's
Journey
together*