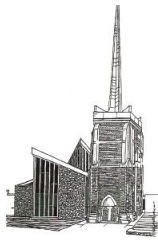


# All Saints, Clifton

First Sunday of Lent

18<sup>th</sup> February 2018



*Hymns from New English Hymnal &  
New English Praise. Page numbers are  
from the purple Parish Mass Book*

**11.00 am PARISH MASS** *NEH 542  
(Merbecke )*

**Litany** p 16 *To mark the start of the  
Lenten Season, the Litany is sung in  
procession in place of our usual  
penitential rite. Kyries, p4 and Collect  
follow immediately.*

**Entrance Hymn Litany**

**Introduction**

**8.00 am MASS**

**Collect, Readings & Psalm** – *see below*

**Address** Ian Yemm

**9.30 am FAMILY MASS**

**Presentation** Norman Drewett

*Refreshments after in the atrium.*

*Family Mass is 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday .*

**Greetings to everyone.**

**Please stay for coffee in the atrium or  
drinks in the bar.**

**Collect**

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ  
fasted forty days in the wilderness, and  
was tempted as we are, yet without  
sin: give us grace to discipline  
ourselves in obedience to your Spirit;  
and, as you know our weakness, so  
may we know your power to save;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who is alive and reigns with you, in the  
unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now  
and for ever.

## First Reading

*Genesis 9.8-17*

God said to Noah and to his sons with him, 'As for me, I am establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you, and with every living creature that is with you, the birds, the domestic animals, and every animal of the earth with you, as many as came out of the ark I establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all flesh be cut off by the waters of a flood, and never again shall there be a flood to destroy the earth.' God said, 'This is the sign of the covenant that I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all future generations: I have set my bow in the clouds, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. When I bring clouds over the earth and the bow is seen in the clouds, I will remember my covenant that is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh; and the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all flesh. When the bow is in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is on the earth.' God said to Noah, 'This is the sign of the covenant that I have established between me and all flesh that is on the earth.'

## Psalm 25

*Tone vii 5*

ALL THY paths O Lord are mercy and truth \* unto such as keep thy cove=nant.

Show me thy ways=O Lord, \* and teach me thy paths.

Lead me forth in thy truth and learn me,\* for thou art the God of my salvation.

Call to remembrance O Lord thy tender mercies, \* and thy loving kindnesses which have been ever of old.

According to thy mercy \* think thou upon me O Lord for thy goodness.

Gracious and righteous is=the Lord; \* therefore will he teach sinners in the=way.

Them that are meek shall he guide in judgement, \* and such as are gentle - them shall=he learn his=way.

All thy paths O Lord are mercy and truth \* unto such as keep thy cove=nant.

## Second Reading

*1 Peter 3.18-22*

Christ also suffered for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, in order to bring you to God. He was put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit, in which also he went and made a proclamation to the spirits in prison, who in former times did not obey, when God waited patiently in the days of Noah, during the building of the ark, in which a few, that is, eight persons, were saved through water. And baptism, which this prefigured, now saves you not as a removal of dirt from the body, but as an appeal to God for a good conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers made subject to him.

## Gospel Acclamation

***"Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ, King of  
endless glory"***

## Gospel

*Mark 1.9-15*

In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. And a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased.' And the Spirit immediately drove him out into the wilderness. He was in the wilderness forty days, tempted by Satan; and he was with the wild beasts; and the angels waited on him. Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, and saying, 'The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news.'

**Sermon**   Ian Yemm

## The Creed

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## Intercessions and Peace

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**Offertory Hymn NEP 627**

## Eucharistic Prayer

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## Lord's Prayer & Preparation for

## Communion

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## Anthem

*Almighty and everlasting God - Gibbons*

## Communion Hymn NEH 304

## Post Communion

Lord God, you have renewed us with the living bread from heaven; by it you nourish our faith, increase our hope, and strengthen our love: teach us always to hunger for him who is the true and living bread, and enable us to live by every word that proceeds from out of your mouth; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

## Blessing & Angelus

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## Thanksgiving Hymn NEH 74

## Organ

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**6.00 pm Evening Prayers**

Fr Charles Sutton

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## **Your prayers are requested for :**

**Sunday** Verity Clark Ruth Harding  
David Perkins Marjorie Polyblanc  
Jill Morgan Tom Sheridan  
Cynthia Ashford Catherine Bradley  
Annette Young Nancy Kwasnicki  
Christopher Gower Roger Durbin (Pr)

**Monday** John Bradley Debbie Furlong  
Chris Barnard Megan Lloyd-Davies  
Luke Sapsed

**Tuesday** Chris Callow Elizabeth  
Judy Torrens Margaret Swindale  
Diana Verity Peter Martin

**Wednesday** Derek Jay Felicity Firth  
Kate Thomas Molly Florey

**Thursday** Tom Hawkins Brenda Fortin  
Stephen Watts Su Prothero  
Joyce Cooper

**Friday** Jill Masfield Sylvia Shore  
John Lewis Charlotte Hopkins

**Saturday** All those who come into our  
church to find the comfort of our Sacred  
Space. The Ministry Team- Ordained and  
Licenced

## **The Departed**

Mike Lindsay Shirley Payne  
Ella Lerner Gary Biggin  
Roger Devonshire (Pr)  
Alwyn Jones (Pr)  
Jeremy Cooper (Pr)  
Debbie Furlong

## **Years' Minds - this week we remember:**

Camilla Laszlo