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WELCOME

If you are a visitor, please do introduce yourself to the chaplain or to one of our welcomers. Everybody is welcome to stay for refreshments after the service in the lobby, and there is a group for children. Toilets are downstairs.

Sunday 1 Oct, 16th Sunday after Trinity

8.30am Holy Communion

11am A service of Holy Communion with group for children, followed by refreshments and a BBQ, when we will join with members of the Moscow Protestant Chaplaincy. All are welcome.

Celebrant/Preacher: The Chaplain

The prayers for others are led by Liz Bearman

Hymns

379 - Let the heavens worship
413 - Lord of our life
48 - At the name of Jesus
554 - Praise to the Holiest

During Communion we will sing:

350 - Jesus, Name above all names
246 - Happy are they
766 - In the Lord I'll be ever thankful

Collect: Lord of creation, whose glory is around and within us: open our eyes to your wonders, that we may serve you with reverence and know your peace at our lives' end, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Reading: Ezekiel 18.1-4, 25-32 read by Don Levens

The word of the Lord came to me: 2 What do you mean by repeating this proverb concerning the land of Israel, 'The parents have eaten sour grapes, and the children's teeth are set on edge'? 3 As I live, says the Lord God, this proverb shall no more be used by you in Israel. 4 Know that all lives are mine; the life of the parent as well as the life of the child is mine: it is only the person who sins that shall die.

25 Yet you say, 'The way of the Lord is unfair.' Hear now, O house of Israel: Is my way unfair? Is it not your ways that are unfair? 26 When the righteous turn away from their righteousness and commit iniquity, they shall die for it; for the iniquity

that they have committed they shall die. 27 Again, when the wicked turn away from the wickedness they have committed and do what is lawful and right, they shall save their life. 28 Because they considered and turned away from all the transgressions that they had committed, they shall surely live; they shall not die. 29 Yet the house of Israel says, 'The way of the Lord is unfair.' O house of Israel, are my ways unfair? Is it not your ways that are unfair?

30 Therefore I will judge you, O house of Israel, all of you according to your ways, says the Lord God. Repent and turn from all your transgressions; otherwise iniquity will be your ruin. 31 Cast away from you all the transgressions that you have committed against me, and get yourselves a new heart and a new spirit! Why will you die, O house of Israel? 32 For I have no pleasure in the death of anyone, says the Lord God. Turn, then, and live.

Psalm 25:1-8

1 To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul; O my God, in you I trust;
let me not be put to shame; let not my enemies triumph over me.

**2 Let none who look to you be put to shame,
but let the treacherous be shamed and frustrated.**

3 Make me to know your ways, O Lord, and teach me your paths.

4 Lead me in your truth and teach me,

for you are the God of my salvation; for you have I hoped all the day long

5 Remember, Lord, your compassion and love,
for they are from everlasting.

**6 Remember not the sins of my youth or my transgressions,
but think on me in your goodness, O Lord,
according to your steadfast love.**

7 Gracious and upright is the Lord;
therefore shall he teach sinners in the way.

**8 He will guide the humble in doing right and teach his way to the lowly.
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**

Reading: Philipians 2:1-13 read by Giles Walker

2 If then there is any encouragement in Christ, any consolation from love, any sharing in the Spirit, any compassion and sympathy, 2 make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. 3 Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves. 4 Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others. 5 Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus,

6 who, though he was in the form of God,
did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited,

7 but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness.
And being found in human form,

8 he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death —
even death on a cross.

9 Therefore God also highly exalted him
and gave him the name that is above every name,
10 so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend,
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,

11 and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.

12 Therefore, my beloved, just as you have always obeyed me, not only in my
presence, but much more now in my absence, work out your own salvation with
fear and trembling; 13 for it is God who is at work in you, enabling you both to
will and to work for his good pleasure.

Services this Week

Morning prayer will be said in church at 8.30am, Monday – Thursday

Wednesday 4 October: 7pm Holy Communion.

Sunday 8 October

8.30am Holy Communion (Traditional language)

11am Harvest family service. All ages remain together.

Other notices

A new group: We are setting up a new group which will be led by Glen Ruffle for people who are considering baptism or confirmation. It will meet on Sunday afternoons in the parsonage. If you would like to discover if this is appropriate for you, please speak to either Glen or the Chaplain.

Harvest: During the weeks between Harvest and Advent we would like to collect tins/packets of food (non-perishable), soap, shampoo and shower gel, woolly hats, scarves, gloves and socks (preferably black) and warm blankets for the Salvation Army. Please bring your gifts to church, where they will be placed in the sanctuary. Some of the clothes gifts will also be used for people who call at the parsonage.

Pub quiz: on Monday October 30, at Katie O'Shea's, Mokhovaya 7 from 7pm. Quiz begins 7.30pm, in aid of Mary's Meals Come in teams of 4, or come and make up a team on the night. Tickets 500r per person, or 1500r for a team of 4, dinner included. Further info and tickets from Liz Bearman or outreachstandrews@gmail.com

Daily Bible reading and Prayer

Morning prayer can be found using the 'Daily Prayer' app. A shorter version of daily prayer can be found using the 'Time to Pray' app

Readings from the lectionary	<i>Sunday 1 October</i>	<i>Monday 2 October</i>
	Psalms 125,126,127 Isaiah 48.12-21 Luke 11.37-54	Psalms 44 2 Chronicles 2.1-16 Mark 12.28-34
<i>Tuesday 3 October</i>	<i>Wednesday 4 October</i>	<i>Thursday 5 October</i>
Psalms 48,52 2 Chronicles 3 Mark 12.35-end	Psalms 119.57-80 2 Chronicles 5 Mark 13.1-13	Psalms 56,57 2 Chronicles 6.1-21 Mark 13.14-23
<i>Friday 6 October</i>	<i>Saturday 7 October</i>	<i>Sunday 8 October</i>
Psalms 51,54 2 Chronicles 6.22-end Luke 10.13-16	Psalms 68 2 Chronicles 7 Mark 13.32-end	Psalms 128,129, 134 Isaiah 49.13-23 Luke 12.1-12

Alternative bible readings, with notes, can be found at www.wordliven.org

This week we pray for

- Those who are homeless or in severe financial need as the weather gradually gets colder
- For Pat in her work with the restoration project for St Andrews. Pray for \$200k which is the sort of sum needed for the initial development project which could then unlock funds for restoration from the city
- Nigeria celebrating its National Day (1st October); for the president, Muhammadu Buhari, and for Nigerians living in Russia.
- those in need known to us. (If there is someone who could be included on the notice sheet, please email chaplain@standrewsmoscow.org)

For enquiries about the church please contact the Chaplain, chaplain@standrewsmoscow.org, Tel. 8 (495) 629 0990 or +7 (925) 514 0513 (day off, Fridays). For enquiries about concerts, please contact 8 (495) 664 2169, or visit www.grigorianconcert.ru

Chaplain of St Andrews: Rev Malcolm Rogers
Chaplaincy wardens: Giles Walker, Don Levens

Updated website: moscowanglican.org. We have been working on the website. It is still a work in progress, but you can find the calendar, news flashes, links to the text of latest sermons and posts from facebook on our front page. You can also see or download our weekly notice sheet