

## Today's Music

Opening Hymn 641

**Glorious things of thee are spoken** (*omit v3*) *Austria*

**Music for St Andrew's Eucharist** (*omitting Gloria in Excelsis*)

Gradual Hymn 448

**I come with joy a child of God** *St. Botolph*

Offertory Hymn 592

**As the deer pants for the water** *As the deer*

Post Communion Hymn 330

**When you walk through the waters** *Do not be afraid*  
(*please remain seated for the singing of this hymn*).

Final Hymn 652

**Guide me, O thou great Redeemer** *Cwm Rhondda*

As we are all aware the last number of years have been difficult for all churches due to the Covid virus, with additional burdens being placed on St. Andrew's because of problems with respect to the ordained ministry within the parish.

At the meeting of the Church Council held on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2022 it was decided that **all** those who have a love of St. Andrew's, and our Mission here in the TRNC, be invited to a series of meetings to discuss the future of the parish and how we perceive God to be calling us to fulfil that Mission. Note that these meetings are **not** restricted to those who are on the Electoral Roll.

The first of these meetings was held yesterday, Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> March, there will be a further meeting on **Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> April** between **10:00-12:00am** in the Church Hall.

These meetings will help to inform us as we gather for the **St. Andrew's Annual Church Meeting** which will be held on **Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2022** following the morning service on that day. In preparation for this **Annual Church Meeting** application forms for inclusion on the Electoral Roll are available in church or on the website. These must be with the Electoral Roll Officer, Diana Peek, on or before Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> April 2022.

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# ST ANDREW'S CHURCH, KYRENIA



The Anglican Diocese of  
**Cyprus and the Gulf**  
in the Episcopal Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> March

The Third Sunday in Lent

Celebrant – The Revd Fr Michael Graham

Next Thursday: 10.30am Eucharist (**please note time change**)

Please pray for the following throughout the coming week

"The prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well therefore pray for each other so that you may be healed" James 5:15

**Frank and Lee Creighton, Alan Boutle, Werner Fayers, Nicky Montgomery, Hilary and Tony Kyte, Duncan Hadfield, Barbara McEwen, Kathleen Richmond, Digby Jones, Sandi Richardson, Alan Poulter, Cora Tyson, John Burke, Dave Sturgess, Barbara Symons (and Roy), Alice Flamson, Jenny Hayward, Padmesh Gartaula,** along with those mentioned in our remembrance book.

We pray also for strength and grace for those who carry the burden of care.

We offer up our prayers for the people of Ukraine; for a swift end to the war in that country; for the refugees trying to reach safety and for all who suffer as a result of man's inhumanity to man.

We remember those who have departed, in particular John Dyer, and those who mourn their loss.

*Please contact the Wardens to include persons to be remembered in our prayers*

**PLEASE COMPLY WITH SOCIAL DISTANCING  
AND WEAR A MASK AT ALL TIMES IN CHURCH**



### **Collect:**

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 Christ our Lord. **AMEN**

### **First Reading: Isaiah 55: 1-9 (NRSV)**

Ho, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and you that have no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labour for that which does not satisfy? Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food. Incline your ear, and come to me; listen, so that you may live. I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David. See, I made him a witness to the peoples, a leader and commander for the peoples. See, you shall call nations that you do not know, and nations that do not know you shall run to you, because of the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, for he has glorified you. Seek the LORD while he may be found, call upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake their way, and the unrighteous their thoughts; let them return to the LORD, that he may have mercy on them, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon. For my thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways my ways, says the LORD. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.

### **Psalm 63: 1-9 (Common Worship)**

- 1 O God, you are my God; eagerly I seek you; **my soul is athirst for you.**
- 2 My flesh also faints for you, **as in a dry and thirsty land where there is no water.**
- 3 So would I gaze upon you in your holy place, **that I might behold your power and your glory.**
- 4 Your loving-kindness is better than life itself **and so my lips shall praise you.**
- 5 I will bless you as long as I live **and lift up my hands in your name.**
- 6 My soul shall be satisfied, as with marrow and fatness, **and my mouth shall praise you with joyful lips,**
- 7 When I remember you upon my bed **and meditate on you in the watches of the night.**
- 8 For you have been my helper **and under the shadow of your wings will I rejoice.**
- 9 My soul clings to you; **your right hand shall hold me fast.**

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**

### **Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 10: 1-13 (NRSV)**

I do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, that our ancestors were all under the cloud, and all passed through the sea, and all were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea, and all ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same spiritual drink. For they drank from the spiritual rock that followed them, and the rock was Christ. Nevertheless, God was not pleased with most of them, and they were struck down in the wilderness. Now these things occurred as examples for us, so that we might not desire evil as they did. Do not become idolaters as some of them did; as it is written, 'The people sat down to eat and drink, and they rose up to play.' We must not indulge in sexual immorality as some of them did, and twenty-three thousand fell in a single day. We must not put Christ to the test, as some of them did, and were destroyed by serpents. And do not complain as some of them did, and were destroyed by the destroyer. These things happened to them to serve as an example, and they were written down to instruct us, on whom the ends of the ages have come. So if you think you are standing, watch out that you do not fall. No testing has overtaken you that is not common to everyone. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tested beyond your strength, but with the testing he will also provide the way out so that you may be able to endure it.

### **Gospel Reading: Luke 13: 1-9 (NRSV)**

There were some present who told him about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices. He asked them, 'Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were worse sinners than all other Galileans? No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish as they did. Or those eighteen who were killed when the tower of Siloam fell on them - do you think that they were worse offenders than all the others living in Jerusalem? No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish just as they did.' Then he told this parable: 'A man had a fig tree planted in his vineyard; and he came looking for fruit on it and found none. So he said to the gardener, "See here! For three years I have come looking for fruit on this fig tree, and still I find none. Cut it down! Why should it be wasting the soil?" He replied, "Sir, let it alone for one more year, until I dig round it and put manure on it. If it bears fruit next year, well and good; but if not, you can cut it down." '

### **Post Communion:**

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**