

ST ANDREW'S CHURCH, KYRENIA



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

SUNDAY 5TH MARCH
SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT



Celebrant - Archdeacon Christopher Futcher

We are delighted to have you worshipping with us today.

Please note it is the practice here in St Andrew's that communicant members of any Christian denomination are welcome to receive communion. Should you wish only to have a blessing, please come forward holding this pew sheet. At any point in the service, those who find it difficult to stand should feel free to sit.

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Almighty God, the giver of every good gift, look graciously, we pray, for your guidance and heavenly wisdom for those to whom is committed the choice of a priest for this parish, that we may receive a faithful pastor, who shall feed your flock according to your will, and make ready a people acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

As we give thanks for the ministry and leadership of Archbishop Michael Lewis, let us pray for the appointment of his successor.

Heavenly Father,

In your Son, Jesus Christ, the whole body of the church is joined together as one with Christ as the Head. Be present with us, by your Holy Spirit, as we pray for the appointment of a new bishop. Strengthen our communion and fellowship, and guide all involved in the appointment process, that with prayer and wisdom, they may discern your will. May your Kingdom come in this diocese, in this province, and throughout the world, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

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In a pastoral emergency please contact Jaqueline McIntyre

Processional Hymn: 632 Fill thou my life, O Lord my God

(omitting Vs 5 & 6)

Richmond

Collect:

Almighty God,
by the prayer and discipline of Lent may we enter into the mystery of Christ's sufferings, and by following in his Way come to share in his glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

First Reading: Genesis 12: v 1 – 4a

Psalm 121

1. I lift up my eyes to the hills; **from where is my help to come?**
2. My help comes from the Lord, **the maker of heaven and earth.**
3. He will not suffer your foot to stumble; **he who watches over you will not sleep.**
4. Behold, he who keeps watch over Israel **shall neither slumber nor sleep.**
5. The Lord himself watches over you; **the Lord is your shade at your right hand,**
6. So that the sun shall not strike you by day, **neither the moon by night.**
7. The Lord shall keep you from all evil; **it is he who shall keep your soul.**
8. The Lord shall keep watch over your going out and your coming in, **from this time forth for evermore.**

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: Romans 4: v 1 – 5, 13 - 17

Gradual Hymn: 628 Father of heaven, whose love profound *Rivaulx*

Gospel Reading: John 3: v 1 – 17

Sermon

Creed

Intercessory Prayers

Offertory Hymn: 149 O love, how deep, how broad, how high!

Deus Tuorum Militum

Post Communion Hymn: 126 Jesu, grant me this I pray *Buckland*

Post Communion Prayer:

Almighty God,
you see that we have no power of ourselves to help ourselves:
keep us both outwardly in our bodies, and inwardly in our souls;
that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to
the body, and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the
soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Final Hymn: 827 Ye servants of God, your master proclaim *Paderborn*

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

Ann Teunissen (Ann TP), Kathleen Richmond, Sandi Richardson, Dave Sturgess, Barbara and Roy Symons, Jenny Hayward, and Padmesh Gartaula together with those named in our remembrance book. We pray also for strength and grace for those who carry the burden of care.

We remember those who have died and those who mourn their loss.
Please contact the Wardens to include persons to be remembered in our prayers



Heavenly Father, The news from Turkey and Syria continues to grieve us. We find it hard to see Your hand at work in moments of disaster. Help us to trust You are still present, even in moments like this.
As we offer up our prayers for the people of Turkey and Syria, we also remember the people of Ukraine whose suffering still goes on. We pray for all who suffer because of mans' inhumanity to man.

