



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 man's inhumanity to man.



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**

God the Holy Spirit, come in power and bring new life to St Andrew's, renew us in love and service, and enable us to be faithful to our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

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ST ANDREW'S CHURCH, KYRENIA



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

SUNDAY 12th MARCH 2023
THE THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Communion by Extension
To be led by Mr Bill Grundy

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.

St Andrew's is a self-funding Church: any gift you make will be greatly appreciated and will go towards maintaining God's work here in Kyrenia. Please use Gift Aid envelopes if appropriate.

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Opening Hymn: 584 All my hope on God is founded *Michael*

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: Exodus 17: v 1 - 7

Psalm 95

1. O come, let us sing to the Lord; **let us heartily rejoice in the rock of our salvation.**
2. Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving **and be glad in him with psalms.**
3. For the Lord is a great God **and a great king above all gods.**
4. In his hand are the depths of the earth **and the heights of the mountains are his also.**
5. The sea is his, for he made it, **and his hands have moulded the dry land.**
6. Come, let us worship and bow down **and kneel before the Lord our Maker.**
7. For he is our God; **we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand.**
8. O that today you would listen to his voice: **'Harden not your hearts as at Meribah, on that day at Massah in the wilderness,**
9. 'When your forebears tested me, and put me to the proof, * though they had seen my works.
- 10 'Forty years long I detested that generation and said, **"This people are wayward in their hearts; they do not know my ways."**
11. 'So I swore in my wrath, **"They shall not enter into my rest."**
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 5: v 1 - 11

Gradual Hymn: 634 Firmly I believe and truly *Shipston*

Gospel Reading: John 4: v 5 – 42

Sermon

Creed

Intercessory Prayers

Offertory Hymn: 149 O love, how deep, how broad, how high
Deus tuorum militum

Post Communion Hymn: 712 Lord, Jesus Christ you have come to us. *Living Lord*

Post Communion Prayer:

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**

Final Hymn: 486 Christ is the King, O friends rejoice *Vulpius*

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, Padmesh Gartaula, and Gloria Tattersall 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