Our prayers have been asked for the following people. Please pray for them throughout the coming week.

For those who are sick, in special need or housebound:

Alan Squires, Shane Barnes, Jenny and Bob Hayward, Emma Collins, **Barbara and Roy Symons, and Padmesh Gartaula**. We pray also for strength and grace for those who carry the burden of care.

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

#### For those who have died:

We remember those who have died and those who mourn their loss. We especially remember **Robert** (Bob) Slack and Monika Gutowski, who recently died. Pray for their families and friends, grieving at this time. Pray also for those whose anniversary of passing is at this time.

We offer up our prayers for the people of Ukraine, Sudan and Niger; for an end to all conflict; for refugees trying to reach safety over land and water and for all who suffer as a result of human wickedness, wilfulness and waywardness.

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

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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 6th AUGUST 2023 THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD

## **Celebrant and Preacher** The Revd Alec Mitchell



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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Currency conversion rate this week is: £10 = 340 TL

#### Processional Hymn: 147 My song is love unknown Love Unknown

(omit vs 4 and 6)

#### Collect:

Father in heaven, whose Son Jesus Christ was wonderfully transfigured before chosen witnesses upon the holy mountain, and spoke of the exodus he would accomplish at Jerusalem: give us strength so to hear his voice and bear our cross that in the world to come we may see him as he is; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

#### First Reading: Daniel 7: 9-10, 13-14

#### Psalm: 97

1. The Lord is king: let the earth rejoice;

#### let the multitude of the isles be glad.

2. Clouds and darkness are round about him;

righteousness and justice are the foundation of his throne.

- 3. Fire goes before him and burns up his enemies on every side.
- 4. His lightnings lit up the world; the earth saw it and trembled.
- 5. The mountains melted like wax at the presence of the Lord,

### at the presence of the Lord of the whole earth.

6. The heavens declared his righteousness,

### and all the peoples have seen his glory.

7. Confounded be all who worship carved images

and delight in mere idols. Bow down before him, all you gods.

8. Zion heard and was glad, and the daughters of Judah rejoiced, **because of your judgements, O Lord.** 

9. For you, Lord, are most high over all the earth; you are exalted far above all gods.

10. The Lord loves those who hate evil; he preserves the lives of his faithful and delivers them from the hand of the wicked.

11. Light has sprung up for the righteous and joy for the true of heart.

12. Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous, **and give thanks to his holy name.** 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: 2 Peter 1: 16-19

Gradual Hymn: 281 'Tis good Lord, to be here Carlisle

Gospel Reading: Luke 9: v 28 - 36

Sermon

Creed

**Intercessory Prayers** 

Offertory Hymn: 546 O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder How great thou art

Post Communion Hymn: 287 Praise and Thanksgiving Bunessan

**Post Communion Prayer:** 

Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ: may we who are partakers at his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Final Hymn: 497 Lord of the church, we pray for our renewing Londonderry Air

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For that one moment, 'in and out of time', On that one mountain where all moments meet, The daily veil that covers the sublime In darkling glass fell dazzled at his feet. There were no angels full of eyes and wings Just living glory full of truth and grace. The Love that dances at the heart of things Shone out upon us from a human face And to that light the light in us leaped up, We felt it quicken somewhere deep within, A sudden blaze of long-extinguished hope Trembled and tingled through the tender skin. Nor can this blackened sky, this darkened scar Eclipse that glimpse of how things really are.