



**For those around the world:** We continue to pray for all the people in our world affected by conflict and tragedies, particularly: Ukraine, Sudan, Gaza, Syria, Lebanon, Myanmar and Bangkok.

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

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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:** Vix Gaston, Julia Lewis, May McKenzie, Charlotte Bourke, Charles, Mavis Steele, Judith Allcock & Mary Evans.

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

**For those who have died:** Pray for the recently departed, and all who mourn their passing.

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



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

**ST ANDREW'S CHURCH, KYRENIA**  
**SUNDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2025**  
**FIRST SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
**EASTER DAY**



**A SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION**  
**CELEBRANT & PREACHER REVD ALEC MITCHELL**  
**WELCOME**

Tervetuloa - Hoş geldiniz - Velkommen - Välkommen - Fáilte -  
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Hertzlich willkommen - Barka - Sveiki

**We are delighted to have you worshipping with us today.**

**All baptised Christians are welcome to receive the sacrament of holy communion, or a blessing, if preferred. Please stand if you are able, when invited to do so, or feel free to sit. An induction loop is available.**

**St. Andrew's is committed to promoting a Safe Church culture and believes that no form of exploitation of a vulnerable person can ever be consistent with the teachings of Christ.**

Point of contact for any concerns is [SafeStAndrewsKyrenia@gmail.com](mailto:SafeStAndrewsKyrenia@gmail.com)

**Processional Hymn: 205 Jesus Christ is risen today** *Easter Hymn*

*Choir: Alleluia! Jesus is risen!*

**ST. EDWARD'S MASS SETTING**

*Composed for St Andrew's Kyrenia by Geoff Weaver,  
Music Week Facilitator 2024*

**Collect.**

God of glory, by the raising of your Son you have broken the chains of death and hell: fill your Church with faith and hope; for a new day has dawned and the way to life stands open in our Saviour Jesus Christ **Amen**

**First Reading: Isaiah 65: v 17 - end**

**Psalms 118 v 1-2, 14 -24:**

1 O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; **his mercy endures forever.**

2 Let Israel now proclaim, '**His mercy endures forever.**'

14 The Lord is my strength and my song,

**and he has become my salvation**

15 Joyful shouts of salvation **sound from the tents of the righteous:**

16 'The right hand of the Lord does mighty deeds; the right hand of the Lord raises up; **the right hand of the Lord does mighty deeds.**'

17 I shall not die, but live **and declare the works of the Lord.**

18 The Lord has punished me sorely,  
**but he has not given me over to death.**

19 Open to me the gates of righteousness, **that I may enter and give thanks to the Lord.**

20 This is the gate of the Lord; **the righteous shall enter through it.**

21 I will give thanks to you, for you have answered me  
**and have become my salvation.**

22 The stone which the builders rejected  
**has become the chief cornerstone.**

23 This is the Lord's doing, **and it is marvellous in our eyes.**

24 This is the day that the Lord has made;  
**we will rejoice and be glad in it.**

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;  
**as it was in the beginning is now and shall be forever. Amen**

**Second Reading: Acts 10: v 34 - 43**

**Gradual Hymn 214 Paschal Feast! Upon the cross** *(Based on the Easter Anthem)*

*St Albinus*

**Gospel Reading: Luke 24: v 1 - 12**

**Sermon**

**Choir Anthem – If Christ had not been raised from death**  
*(Based on 1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians 15 v 12-20)*

**Hymn 403 We believe in God the Father – Lux Eoi**  
*(Based on The Apostles' Creed)*

**Intercessory Prayers** –response – “Through our lives and by our prayers, your kingdom come”

**Offertory Hymn: 221 Ye choirs of new Jerusalem – St Fulbert**

**Communion Hymns:**

**212 Now the green blade rises** *Noel Nouvelet*

**203 Good Christians all, rejoice and sing!** *Vulpus*

**Post Communion Prayer**

God of Life, who for our redemption gave your only-begotten Son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection have delivered us from the power of our enemy: grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his risen life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

**Recessional Hymn: 218 Thine be the glory, risen conquering Son**

*Maccabaeus*