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Epiphany 3



For God alone my soul waits in silence, for my hope is from him.

⁶ He alone is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be shaken.

⁷On God rests my deliverance and my honour; my mighty rock, my refuge is in God.

Psalm 62:5-7



Prelude

Herr Gott, Dich Loben

Pachelbel



Introit

Thuma Mina

S African traditional

Welcome and Church Notices Call to Worship

Minister: We come from scattered lives seeking our unity in the

Spirit; seeking the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ; seeking

the peace of God the Father.

All:

We long to hear Christ's call, and to give thanks for the amazing good news of Jesus Christ, news which is for all: that the poor shall find relief, the captives shall be freed, the blind shall see and the oppressed shall find release.



Hymn 509

Jesus calls us! O'er the tumult



Prayer

We say together: Lord of mercy and of love, forgive us for our failings. Draw us back to you and inspire our hearts and minds with your Spirit: let the words of our mouths, the meditations of our hearts, the actions of our hands be acceptable to you, O Lord our, Rock and our Redeemer.

The Collect for the third Sunday after Epiphany

Almighty God, by grace alone you call us and accept us in your service. Strengthen us by your Spirit, and make us worthy of your call; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

The Lord's Prayer

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Gospel Reading

Mark 1:14-20

Time to Talk



Hymn 532

Lord, you have come to the seashore



Old Testament Reading

Jonah 3:1-5, 10



Anthem

Let all people praise you, Lord

Kenyan traditional



New Testament Reading

1 Corinthians 7:29-31



Hymn 42

Only on God do thou, my soul



<u>Sermon</u>



Hymn 339

Sing of Andrew, John's disciple



Prayers of Intercession

Minister: Lord, in your mercy

All: Hear our pray



Hymn 644

O Jesus, I have promised



Benediction & Sung Amen (Threefold)



THE BIBLE IS CARRIED OUT;
WE FOLLOW TO SERVE,
IN THE POWER OF THE SPIRIT



Postlude

Toccata in E minor

Pachelbel

^{*}Please be aware this Service is being live streamed, recorded and will be on our website for 1 week*

Intimations



Tea and coffee are served in the Kaimes Hall, following the service. All are welcome.

Reader: Ord Adams

Upcoming Service: January 28, 11am Sunday Morning Service

with Holy Communion.

Guild

Our next Guild meeting will be on **Tuesday January 23 at 7.30pm** when **Roy Johnstone** returns to regale us by going **Down Memory Lane**....TV programmes we used to watch. For anyone who has not encountered Roy's talks before, they are well worth hearing. Remember, we are always happy to see new members, everyone is welcome.

FAN Club

The Fan Club meets on **Friday January 26 at 10.30am** in the Kaimes Hall. We are having a morning celebrating Robert Burns. We look forward to seeing you at the" Burns Event".

New members and visitors are always welcome.

Food Bank

We will be collecting for the Food Bank on **Sunday January 28** and would be grateful for donations of:

UHT milk, tea, coffee, sugar, cereal, tins of meat, fruit, and vegetables, pasta, biscuits, toiletries for male and female, tooth paste and toothbrushes.

Thank you in advance for your support and kindness.

Parish Mission Team.

Film Nights @ St Anne's

All are welcome to come along and join us for an evening of entertainment in the Kaimes Hall.

We will be showing **Sister Act 2 - Back in the Habit** on **Tuesday January 30.**

Showtime is **7pm**, doors open 6.30pm. Admission is free and refreshments are provided.

St Anne's Magazine

The deadline to receive items for the next issue of the magazine, which covers March-May including Easter, is **January 31**.

Session Meeting

Our next session meeting is on **Wednesday January 31 at 7.30pm** in the Belgrave Room.

Bethany Christian Trust

In October 2023, The Bethany Christian Trust re-opened the Rapid Re-accommodation Welcome Centre, which was formerly known as the Winter Care Shelter. The Centre provides vital life-saving emergency accommodation, food, and support for those who could otherwise have been rough sleeping this winter.

The Centre operates 30 weeks with each bed space costing £21 per night.

At the Session meeting in November, the elders agreed to support this worthwhile cause by donating the collections uplifted at the Christingle and Watchnight services. As a result, we were able to donate £600 to the Centre.

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Uber Eats



St Anne's Lunch Club

Wednesdays

12-2:30pm



Join us for something to eat and fun activities, followed by tea/coffee and home-made baked goodies



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