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ST ANDREW'S CHURCH, KYRENIA

SUNDAY 2ND FEBRUARY 2025

THE PRESENTATION OF CHRIST IN THE TEMPLE (CANDLEMAS)



**A SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION
CELEBRANT AND PREACHER: REVD ALEC MITCHELL**

WELCOME

Tervetuloa - Hoş geldiniz - Velkommen - Välkommen - Fáilte -
Welkom - Nabata - خوش آمدید - Willkommen - Καλώς ήρθατε -
Bienvenue - مرحبا - Witamy - Káàbò- Karibu - ilola - Svågata cha -
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



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 and Lebanon

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.

Currency conversion rate this week is: £10 = 4 4 4 TL

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As we no longer have a monthly magazine, a short newsletter will be emailed out every few weeks. If you would like to receive these emails, please let us know by contacting:

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Processional Hymn: 763 Praise to the Holiest in the height

Gerontius

Collect

Lord Jesus Christ, light of the nations and glory of Israel: make your home among us, and present us pure and holy to your heavenly Father, your God, and our God. **Amen**

First Reading: Malachi 3: v 1 - 5

Psalm 24: v 7 - 10

7 Lift up your heads, O gates; be lifted up, you everlasting doors;
and the King of glory shall come in.

8 'Who is the King of glory?'

'The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord who is mighty in battle.'

9 Lift up your heads, O gates; be lifted up, you everlasting doors;
and the King of glory shall come in.

10 'Who is this King of glory?'

'The Lord of hosts, he is the King of glory.'

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: Hebrews 2: v 14 - 18

Gradual Hymn 721 Love divine, all loves excelling

Blaenwern

Gospel Reading: Luke 2: v 22 - 40:

Sermon

Creed

Intercessory Prayers

Offertory Hymn: 112 New light has dawned

Woodlands

Communion Hymn: 113 When candles are lighted on Candlemas Day *(omitting vs 7 – 12)*

Lourdes

Post Communion Prayer

Lord, you fulfilled the hope of Simeon and Anna, who lived to welcome the Messiah: may we, who have received these gifts beyond words, prepare to meet Christ Jesus when he comes to bring us to eternal life; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen**

Recessional Hymn: 475 Forth in the peace of Christ I go

Duke Street

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: Shane Barnes, Vix Gaston, Julia Lewis, May McKenzie, Padmesh Gartaula, Pat Etherington, Charlotte Bourke, Charles, Mary Evans, Mavis Steele and Hilary Cemal

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.

From Monday 3rd to Thursday 6th February, Fr. Alec and his wife Linda together with Jacquie McIntyre will be attending the Diocesan Synod in Larnaca to represent St. Andrews. Your prayers on their behalf would be greatly appreciated.
