

## Order of Service

### Opening Hymn 19

(p.1) *Welcome and Preparation*

*Kyrie Eleison*

*No GLORIA IN LENT*

### Liturgy of the Word

Collect

GEN.12. 1-4a

Ro.4.1-5,13-17

*THE PSALM TO*

*READ TOGETHER*

*see sheet*

### Gradual Hymn 361

GOSPEL: John 3.1-17

**Sermon** : The Rector

Creed and Intercessions

(p.5) *The PEACE &*

**Offertory Hymn 288**

(p.6) *The Offering*

### 3rd EUCHARISTIC PRAYER p.12

*Sanctus, Benedictus*

(p.20) *Breaking of Bread*

*Lord's Prayer*

*Agnus Dei*

### COMMUNION

**Communion Hymn 34**

*Post Communion Prayer*

*Thanksgiving*

*and Sending out*

**CLOSING Hymn 683**

## Psalm 121

**R My help comes from the Lord,  
the maker of heaven and earth.**

1 I lift up my eyes to the hills;  
from where is my help to come?

2 My help comes from the Lord,  
the maker of heaven and earth. **R**

3 He will not let your foot be moved  
and he who watches over you will not fall  
asleep. 4 Behold, he who keeps watch over  
Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep; **R**

5 The Lord himself watches over you;  
the Lord is your shade at your right hand,  
6 So that the sun shall not strike you by day,  
nor the moon by night. **R**

7 The Lord shall preserve you from all evil;  
it is he who shall keep you safe.

8 The Lord shall watch over your going out  
and your coming in,  
from this time forth for evermore. **R**

## NOTICES

### Wednesday 11th March

**9.45 am:** HOLY EUCHARIST with LENT  
discussion at coffee time

**7.15pm** Lent Study Dalzell. St Andrew's

### NEXT SUNDAY 15th March

**LENT 3** 09.30 am *SUNG EUCHARIST*

**Tues. 17th March** 7.30 VESTRY MEETING

**Sat. 21st March** – 10.00am-2.00pm

**Vestry Vision meeting**

## Prayers for today

### The Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

*The Primus and college of Bishops  
and Bishop Elect - Kevin*

**Porvoo Link:** The Church of Sweden.

### Diocesan Council.

St Mary's, Gatehouse of Fleet; St Francis of  
Assisi (*Greyfriars*), Kirkcudbright (Stephen  
Hazlett). St Andrew's, Fort William (Diocese  
of Argyll and The Isles).

### Anglican Cycle of Prayer

**Pray for** the Province de L'Eglise Anglicane  
Du Congo. The Most Revd Zacharie  
Masimango Katanda - Archbishop of the  
Congo & Bishop of Kindu

### Today's memory verse :

**John 3.6** "What is born of the flesh is flesh,  
and what is born of the Spirit is spirit"



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## **GOSPEL John 3.1–17**

1 There was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. 2 He came to Jesus by night and said to him, 'Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do apart from the presence of God.' 3 Jesus answered him, 'Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above.' 4 Nicodemus said to him, 'How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother's womb and be born?' 5 Jesus answered, 'Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. 6 What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. 7 Do not be astonished that I said to you, "You must be born from above." 8 The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.' 9 Nicodemus said to him, 'How can these things be?' 10 Jesus answered him, 'Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things? 11 Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen; yet you do not receive our testimony. 12 If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? 13 No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. 14 And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so

must the Son of Man be lifted up, 15 that whoever believes in him may have eternal life. 16 For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life. 17 Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.'

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## **HOLY TRINITY MOTHERWELL**

**SUNDAY 8th March**

**LENT 2**

**Sung EUCHARIST 9.30 AM**

**(3rd Eucharistic Prayer page 12)**

### **The COLLECT**

Almighty God, you show to those who are in error the light of your truth, that they may return to the way of righteousness: grant to all those who are admitted into the fellowship of Christ's religion, that they may reject those things that are contrary to their profession, and follow all such things as are agreeable to the same; through our Lord Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

### **POST COMMUNION**

Almighty God, you see that we have no power of ourselves to help ourselves: keep us both outwardly in our bodies, and inwardly in our souls; that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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