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Diary of the week

Sunday	23rd February	9.30am	Holy Communion: Ven Christopher Futcher, preacher: Rev Anne Futcher
Monday	24th February	10am - 1pm 10am -1pm	Larnaca Charity Shop open Pervolia Charity Shop open
Tuesday	25th February	10am-1pm	Pervolia Charity Shop open
Wednesday	26th February	10am- 1pm 11am 10am-1pm 10am -1pm	Book Sale Ashing Service Larnaca Charity Shop open Pervolia Charity Shop open
Thursday	27th February	11am 10am-1pm	Lent Group Pervolia Charity Shop open
Friday	28th February	10am --1pm 10am-1pm	Larnaca Charity Shop open Pervolia Charity Shop open
Saturday	29th February	10am-1pm	Pervolia Charity Shop open
Sunday	1st March	9.30am	Holy Communion: Rev Anne Futcher or Ven Christopher Futcher

Post Communion Prayer

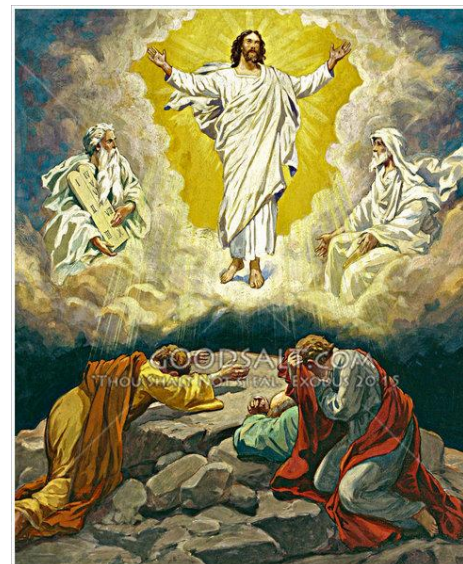
Holy God we see your glory
in the face of Jesus Christ.

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**



St Helena's Anglican Church



*If you are a baptised Christian of any tradition, you
are invited to receive Communion.*

*We will be having coffee in the courtyard after the
service, please join us.*

23rd February, 2020

Collect

Almighty Father,

whose Son was revealed in majesty
before he suffered death upon the cross:

Give us grace to perceive his glory,
that we may be strengthened to suffer with him
and be changed into his likeness,
from glory to glory;

who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Looking Forward –

In a workshop on caring for creation during our recent Synod, participants were asked this question: ‘Where do you see God’s magnificence in creation?’ The answers were varied and wonderful: ‘in the early morning light’; ‘in the setting of the sun’; ‘on mountains’; ‘in people’; ‘in the sound of children’s voices’.... in those ordinary things that are so very extraordinary.

Today is the last week of the Church’s so-called ‘Ordinary’ Time, before we move into Lent. And just before we do, we’re treated to the wonderful gospel passage of the Transfiguration. It reminds me of just this: that we can expect to glimpse God’s glory, anytime and anywhere; in the most ordinary and unexpected places, and in the faces of those among us.

Each Thursday in Lent, beginning on 27th February, there’s an opportunity to reflect together on the coming Sunday’s gospel reading, and on what it means to, and for, us. We’ll be meeting in church at 11am. Please do come along - even if you’re only able to make 1 or 2 sessions. And please hold in your prayers this time together, and all our forthcoming events, as we journey on through Lent.

Anne



Please pray for our hearts, minds and souls to be enlarged and enlightened.

Please also pray for St Christopher’s Cathedral in Bahrain with services on Friday and Sunday and in an oil compound on Saturday mornings. They are a relatively small, but very international community, hosting many other congregations of varying traditions who use their compound during the week.

Please let one of the clergy or churchwardens at St Helena’s know of any prayer and pastoral needs.

This morning’s readings: Exodus 24: 12 – end
2 Peter 1: 16 – end Matthew 17: 1-9

Next week’s readings: Genesis 2: 15-17, 3: 1-7
Romans 5: 12-19 Matthew 4: 1-11

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