

**Psalm 22: 23-end**

**Please join in with the verses in bold type.**

<sup>23</sup> You who fear the LORD, praise him! All you offspring of Jacob, glorify him; stand in awe of him, all you offspring of Israel!

<sup>24</sup> **For he did not despise or abhor the affliction of the afflicted; he did not hide his face from me, but heard when I cried to him.**

<sup>25</sup> From you comes my praise in the great congregation; my vows I will pay before those who fear him.

<sup>26</sup> **The poor shall eat and be satisfied; those who seek him shall praise the LORD. May your hearts live for ever!**

<sup>27</sup> All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the LORD; and all the families of the nations shall worship before him.

<sup>28</sup> **For dominion belongs to the LORD, and he rules over the nations.**

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

**Post Communion Prayer:**

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. **Amen**

**St Helena's Anglican Church, Larnaca**

**28th February, 2021 Second Sunday of Lent**

**Hymns:** 48 At the name of Jesus; 608 Take up thy cross, the Saviour said; 19 All my hope on God is founded; 175 From heaven you came; 683 To God be the glory

**Today's Readings:** Genesis 17: 1-7, 15-16;; Romans 4: 13-end; Mark 8: 31-end

**Next Sunday's Readings – Third Sunday of Lent:** Exodus 20: 1-17; Psalm 19; 1 Corinthians 1: 18-25; John 2: 13-22

**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.

**Amen**

### **For prayer:**

- Those on our prayer list at the front of church.
- Pray for the Cathedrals of St Christopher's Manama and St Paul's Nicosia, their people, their deans, their canons, and their clergy.
- Pray for St Andrew's located in the heart of the beautiful port city of Kyrenia. The congregation consists mainly of resident expatriates, seasonal visitors and tourists. St. Andrew's is also greatly blessed by the presence of a large population of multi-national students.

If you have somebody that you would like us to pray for, please add them to the prayer list and mention them to a Warden. If you would like a clergy visit, please see one of clergy or a Warden.

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### **Notices:**

Today, we welcome Archbishop Michael to St Helena's.

**The Pervolia shop** is open with the volunteers undergoing rapid Covid tests on a weekly basis.

The **Lent weekly reflective worship** via Zoom continues on Fridays at 5pm. Please let Christopher know if you wish to join. Printed copies of the service are available for those who wish to join but don't want to use Zoom.

There will be a **retiring collection**. Please add your donation to the baskets at the back of church.



