

Psalm 133:

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

1 How good and pleasant it is when God's people live together in unity!

2 It is like precious oil poured on the head, running down on the beard, running down on Aaron's beard, down on the collar of his robe.

3 It is as if the dew of Hermon were falling on Mount Zion. For there the LORD bestows his blessing, even life forevermore.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now and shall be forever. Amen

St Helena's Anglican Church, Larnaca

20th June, 2021 – 3rd Sunday after Trinity

Hymns: 134 Eternal Father; 419 Lord, today your voice is Calling; 288 I cannot tell; 30 Amazing Grace; 373 Lead us, Heavenly Father

Today's Readings: 1 Samuel 17: 32-49, 2 Corinthians 6:1-13

Next Sunday's Readings – 4th Sunday after Trinity: 2 Samuel 1: 1-1, 17-end, Psalm 130, 2 Corinthians 8: 7-end, Mark 5: 21-end

Collect:

Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts whereby we call you Father:
give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that we and all creation may be brought to the glorious liberty of the children of God; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Post Communion Prayer:

O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining and whose power we cannot comprehend: show us your glory as far as we can grasp it, and shield us from knowing more than we can bear until we may look upon you without fear;

through Jesus Christ our Saviour. **Amen**

For prayer:

Those on our prayer list at the front of church.

Pray for Archdeacon Bill's ministry as both Dean and Archdeacon in the Gulf, for the nations of the archdeaconry and for all who live in them, citizens and others.

Pray for St Thomas Church in Al Ain which is supported by St Andrew's, Abu Dhabi. They currently worship at a golf club, but have been gifted land by the ruling family to build on. They are from many backgrounds and nations but are united in their desire to help more people experience the joy of knowing Jesus.

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 the clergy or a Warden.

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Notices:

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

Both **charity shops** are open and would welcome donations to sell.

If you wish to travel abroad in the next few weeks you can obtain a **vaccination certificate** from the vaccination centre at Larnaca port. This is a temporary document which will be replaced early in July by an EU Digital Covid-19 certificate.

The next **Book Sale** will be on 30th June. If you would like to pop in for a cup of coffee or tea and a chat, feel free. If you are able to help set up or pack books away you will be more than welcome any time from 8.30am to 1pm.

The Diocesan History is available from Christopher at the discounted price of €25.

