

Psalm 19 - Please join in with the verses in **bold**.

¹The heavens are telling the glory of God; and the firmament proclaims his handiwork.

²**Day to day pours forth speech, and night to night declares knowledge.**

³There is no speech, nor are there words; their voice is not heard;

⁴**yet their voice goes out through all the earth, and their words to the end of the world. In the heavens he has set a tent for the sun,**

⁵which comes out like a bridegroom from his wedding canopy, and like a strong man runs its course with joy.

⁶**Its rising is from the end of the heavens, and its circuit to the end of them; and nothing is hid from its heat.**

⁷The law of the LORD is perfect, reviving the soul; the decrees of the LORD are sure, making wise the simple;

⁸**the precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart; the commandment of the LORD is clear, enlightening the eyes;**

⁹the fear of the LORD is pure, enduring forever; the ordinances of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.

¹⁰**More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold; sweeter also than honey, and drippings of the honeycomb.**

¹¹Moreover by them is your servant warned; in keeping them there is great reward.

¹²**But who can detect their errors? Clear me from hidden faults.**

¹³Keep back your servant also from the insolent; do not let them have dominion over me. Then I shall be blameless, and innocent of great transgression.

¹⁴**Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable to you, O LORD, my rock and my redeemer. 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**

For prayer:

Pray for Synod's standing and finance committee and for its stewardship of synod resolutions.

Pray for the parish of Paphos which has three places of worship - the church of Ayia Kyriaki Chrysopolitissa, Paphos; the Church of St Stephen in Tala and the Church of St Luke in Prodromi which serves the town of Polis, the resort of Latchi and surrounding villages

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.

Notices –

The next **Church Council meeting** is on Tuesday, 18th January. Please email Christopher if you have anything that you would like to be discussed.

The next **Book Sale** will be on Wednesday, 26th January from 10am – 1pm. Helpers are always warmly welcomed! Please see Rowena if you could help.

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The Water Gate, Jerusalem

St Helena's Anglican Church, Larnaca

23rd January, 2022

Today's Readings – 3rd Sunday of Epiphany: Nehemiah 8: 1-3, 5-6, 8-10; 1 Corinthians 12: 12-31a; Luke 4: 14-21

Next Sunday's Readings – 4th Sunday of Epiphany - Ezekiel 43:27-44:4; Psalm 48; 1 Corinthians 13; Luke 2:22-40

Hymns: 244 Hail to the Lord's anointed; 40 As the deer pants; 324 I, the Lord of sea and sky; 129 Dear Lord and Father of mankind; 218 God's Spirit is in my heart

Collect:

God of all mercy,
your Son proclaimed good news to the poor,
release to the captives, and freedom to the oppressed:
anoint us with your Holy Spirit and set all your people free
to praise you in Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Post Communion Prayer:

Almighty Father,
whose Son our Saviour Jesus Christ is the light of the world:
may your people,
illumined by your word and sacraments,
shine with the radiance of his glory,
that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed
to the ends of the earth;
for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen**

