

Order of Service

Please stand as the Bible is brought into church.

Welcome & Introduction:

Hymn: 713 "Jubilate everybody" (sing twice)

Opening prayers and Lord's prayer.

Introduction to the Word.

Bible Reading Exodus Chapter 3 [OT p58]
"A Conversation between God & Moses"

Family address.

Hymn: "This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine"

Words opposite

Notices, Offering & Dedication (We say together the words in bold type).

**Accept our offerings Lord most high. Our work, our purpose, sanctify;
And with our gifts may we have a place, now in the kingdom of Your
grace.**

The children and young people leave for their separate activities.

Bible Reading: 1st Corinthians Chapter 12 Verses 8 to 15. [NT p216]
Luke Chapter 5 Verses 1 to 11. [NT p80]

Hymn: 558 "Will you come & follow me?"

Sermon.

Hymn: "Ministry of all God's people" **Words opposite**

Prayers of intercession

Hymn: 549 "One more step along the road I go"

Closing prayer.

Blessing (Which we sing together):-

The Lord bless you & keep you;

The Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you;

The Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

Followed by **The Three-fold Amen.**

A very warm welcome to all visitors to our Church today. Our thanks to Mrs Carol Dixon for leading the worship this morning, to our Orchestra for the music and to Vivien Bennet for today's Flowers. Tea & Coffee will be served in the Hall upstairs after worship – all are most welcome.

There will be a retiring collection today in aid of the Leprosy Mission.
See insert opposite.

NOTICES Continued:-

Sunday 3rd February at 10.30 am Morning Worship led by Revd. Alison Mills with Celebration of Holy Communion. This will be a "parade" service for the Air Cadets.

AND at 4.00 pm the first new session of 'Living the Question' led by Rev. Dr. Carla Grosch Miller studying the Book of "Ruth". See further details in the Newsletter.

Wednesday 6th February at 12.30 Midweek Service in the Church.
Tea & Coffee available from Noon.

Thursday 7th February at 7.00 pm Elders meet in the Horsley Room.

Saturday 9th February at 7.30 pm Country Dance Club meets in the Hall.

Sunday 10th February at 10.30 am Morning Worship led by Revd. Keith Harbour from Morpeth Methodist Church.

AND at 4.00 pm 'Living the Question' led by Rev. Dr. Carla Grosch Miller studying the Book of "Ruth". See further details in the Newsletter.

Monday 11th February at 7.00 pm Managers Meeting in the Vestry.

Wednesday 13th February at 12.30 pm Lunchtime Concert to be presented by KEVI School Chamber Choir and Senior Students from KEVI Music Department. Doors open at Noon. Teas & Coffees available in the South Transept from Noon. Tickets £3.00 at the door.

Thursday 14th February at 6.00 pm SENEA Meeting in the Church.

Friday 15th February at 11.00 am at Morpeth Methodist Church Choir & Band rehearsal for Women's World Day of Prayer Service.

Sunday 17th February at 10.30 am Morning Worship with our Prospective Minister "Preaching with a view". Details of arrangements for this day will be published next week.

AND at 4.00 pm 'Living the Question' led by Rev. Dr. Carla Grosch Miller studying the Book of "Ruth". See further details in the Newsletter.

Today is World Leprosy Day

This year LEPRO is calling for governments and authorities to dedicate more resources to leprosy research to support this vastly under-funded area. Across the globe, leprosy charities and partners join together to raise awareness of this disease that many people believe to be extinct, when in fact around 210,000 new cases are diagnosed each year, and LEPRO believes millions more people are living undiagnosed, leaving them at risk of disabilities.

There will be a retiring collection after this Service in aid of The Leprosy Mission. The Mission runs hospitals, treatment, education and work centres throughout the world.

Today is also **Holocaust Memorial Day** with the slogan "Torn from Home" which remembers not just the persecution of the Jews in Europe but similar acts of genocide in several parts of Africa, The Middle East and Far Eastern countries. These are people to remember in our prayers.

CONTINUING IMPORTANT ISSUE

We urgently need folk to sign up for the provision of Tea & Coffee after Morning Worship.

A new Rota has been posted on the Hall noticeboard. Please consider providing this service otherwise we may be unable to continue meeting after Worship.

Anyone who needs further information please speak to our Church Secretary, Teresa Benkhaleb-House.

NOTICES

Wednesday 30th January at 12.30 Midweek Service in the Church.
Tea & Coffee available from Noon.

Thursday 31st January at 2.00 pm Tea-time Talk in the Hall with Jared Johnson speaking about Viruses, Jumping Genes & Genetic Engineering: Friend or Foe?

This little light of mine

Chorus:

*This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.*

1 The light that shines is the light of love,
lights the darkness from above,
shines on me and it shines on you,
shows what the power of love can do.
I'm gonna shine my light both far and near,
I'm gonna shine my light both bright & clear,
where there's a dark corner in this land
I'm gonna let my little light shine.

Chorus:

2 Monday he gave me the gift of love,
Tuesday peace came from above,
Wednesday he told me to have more faith,
Thursday he gave me a little more grace,
Friday he told me to watch and pray,
Saturday he told me just what to say.
On Sunday he gave me the power divine
to let my little light shine.

Chorus:

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Celebrating ministry

1 This day as we gather we celebrate here
the service of all who are called on to share
in the task of God's ministry, serving this place,
we rejoice that God fills those he calls, with his grace.

2 As Peter and Andrew first heard Jesus' call,
then Dorcas and Lydia who worked beside Paul,
and Aidan and Hild, helping others to see
that together we all share in Christ's ministry.

3 We give of ourselves to God in all we do,
as we listen and share hospitality too,
to pray and to preach some are chosen and sent,
so our work and our worship become sacrament.

To God, our Creator, we now dedicate
our lives, our worship, and here consecrate
our work for God's kingdom, and offering all
in the strength of the Spirit, we respond to Christ's call.

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