

Prayers before the Service: *Gracious God, remind us again as we worship you of how much you love us and how much you are willing to do for our sakes. Shine upon us, within us and through us, for we ask it in his name. Amen.*

Welcome & Family News

CH3 135 *The Lord of heaven confess*

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

CH3 259 In the cross of Christ I glory

Reading Exodus 3: 1 - 12 (Page 59)

CH3 366 *Sing to the Lord a joyful song*

Reading Matthew 17: 1-8 (Page 984)

CH3 254 *When I survey the wondrous cross*

Sermon

Offering – Doxology MP 3 *Abba Father*

Intercessory Prayer – Mrs Margaret Carson

Hymn (see over) *O God of our Fathers*

Benediction

Reader this morning is: Mrs Anne Drysdale

A warm welcome to our guest preacher: Rev David Ness

If you are a Visitor we are delighted to have you with us and hope you enjoy our fellowship. As you leave, please sign the Visitor's Book in the main vestibule.

Welcoming you this morning is: Mr J Drysdale, Mr A Cree, Ms T McKeand, Mrs V Rodgers, Mr R Elder, Mr D Brown & Mrs A Drysdale.

If you know of any member of the Congregation ill at home or in hospital, please see an Elder or the Minister.

Flowers in Church today were donated by
Mrs P Marr
(18th Mar: *Mrs Klimkowski*)

Flower Distributor 18th Mar: Mrs Leckie
(*Distributor 25th Mar: Mrs Shearing*)

Men's Guild: meet on **Monday 12th March** from 7 – 9.30pm for a Games Night.

Auld Kirk Lunches: **Tuesday 13th March at 12 noon** with Jean McAughtrie's team. Please come along for some homemade soup, filled rolls and home baking.

Finance Committee Mtg: will be held on **Monday 19th March at 7.15pm.** Collation of OSCR Accounts will also take place.

There will be no Finance Meeting prior to Management Group on 27th March.

Auld Kirk Guild Coffee Morning

Saturday 17th March 10am – 12noon.

Tickets, £3 (children £1).

Tea/Coffee / Home Baking / Tombola

Tickets will be on sale at Church doors this morning. Proceeds will be split equally between Belhaven Day Centre Prestwick (for Dementia patients) and the Guild Funds. Baking will be gratefully appreciated between 9.30am - 11.30am on Friday 16th at the Office and Upstairs Hall on the day.

**O God of our fathers, Creator and Lord!
Majestic in glory, by heaven adored;
to first generations Your promise revealed,
Your fulness, in Jesus, declared.
Christ! Christ!**

**Brightness of God from above:
the Spirit of power, the Father of love,
revealed to all nations in Christ!**

**O God of my own heart, Redeemer and King!
My crucified Saviour, Your glories I sing;
in dying You loved me: Your own life laid down
to save me, forever, from sin.
Christ! Christ!**

**Perfect atonement divine:
I died in Your death, Your life now is mine;
I live – now I'm living in Christ!**

**O God for whose coming in glory we long!
Your Gospel of hope be ever our song:
of rescue from judgement and life without end,
for all who to Jesus belong.
Christ! Christ!**

**Bow down before Him today!
Believe in your heart; confessing Him say,
“I worship none other than Christ!”**

**The Auld Kirk of Ayr
(St. John the Baptist)**

Sunday 11th March 2018

Revd David R Gemmell MA BD
Minister

Alan G Templeton LTCL
Organist