

- There is a book in the Chantry/Remembrance Chapel for prayer requests.
- The large whisky bottle for donations for Easter flowers is now at the back of Church.
- The Lent Group will continue on Wednesday 18 March. There will be a takeaway meal in the Crypt after the 6.00 p.m. Eucharist, and this will be followed by tea and coffee and a talk with discussion. The evening will conclude with Compline.
- The Rector writes:  
A very big thank you to all who took part in yesterday's Service of Collation and worked so hard to prepare for it. It was a truly wonderful celebration in the life of our Church, marking a new chapter in our journey together. I am very much looking forward to getting to know you all in the days ahead.
- There will be no Choral Evensong this month, as next Sunday (Mothering Sunday) the Choir will be participating in the Diocesan Choral Evensong in the Cathedral.



The Scottish Episcopal Church  
**St. Bride, Glasgow**  
 Diocese of Glasgow & Galloway

The Third Sunday in Lent, 15 March 2009

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Welcome to this celebration of the Eucharist.  
 After the service, tea, coffee and biscuits will be served in the Crypt.  
 Please ask if you need directions to find your way there.  
 If you would like to include a name for the prayers, an event, etc in next week's sheet, please let Jonathan Lord (946 5045) know by Friday 20 March.

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## THE ORDER OF SERVICE

**Introit Hymn:** 333

**Setting:** Sumsion *Communion Service in F*

**Old Testament Lesson:** Exodus 20, v 1-17

### Psalm 19

1 The heavens declare the glory of God : and the firmament sheweth his handywork.  
 2 One day telleth another : and one night certifieth another.  
 3 There is neither speech nor language : but their voices are heard among them.  
 4 Their sound is gone out into all lands : and their words into the ends of the world.  
 5 In them hath he set a tabernacle for the sun : which cometh forth as a bridegroom out of his chamber, and rejoiceth as a giant to run his course.  
 6 It goeth forth from the uttermost part of the heaven, and runneth about unto the end of it again : and there is nothing hid from the heat thereof.  
 7 The law of the Lord is an undefiled law, converting the soul : the testimony of the Lord is sure, and giveth wisdom unto the simple.

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8 The statutes of the Lord are right, and rejoice the heart : the commandment of the Lord is pure, and giveth light unto the eyes.  
 9 The fear of the Lord is clean, and endureth for ever : the judgements of the Lord are true, and righteous altogether.  
 10 More to be desired are they than gold, yea, than much fine gold : sweeter also than honey, and the honey-comb.  
 11 Moreover, by them is thy servant taught : and in keeping of them there is great reward.  
 12 Who can tell how oft he offendeth : O cleanse thou me from my secret faults.  
 13 Keep thy servant also from presumptuous sins, lest they get the dominion over me : so shall I be undefiled, and innocent from the great offence.  
 14 Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart : be always acceptable in thy sight,  
 15 O Lord : my strength, and my redeemer.  
 Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost;  
 As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be;  
 world without end. Amen.

**Epistle:** 1 Corinthians 1, v 18-25

**Gospel:** John 2, v 13-22

**Sermon**

**The Creed**

**The Intercession**

*For your prayers: Joan and Raymond Perriam, Jim and Leonora Gilmour, Jack Norris, Jacqui Dowling, Denise and Gordon McLean, Heather McMillan, Sheila Best, Anne McPhie, Donald Strachan, William Currie.*

*Anniversaries: 16th John Frederick Corlett, Evan Douglas Smith; 17th Harry Player, John Paris Dickson senior, John Paris Dickson junior*

**The Eucharistic Liturgy**

**Offertory Hymn:** 407

**Motet:** Tallis *If ye love me*

**Post-Communion Hymn:** 507

**Recessional Hymn:** 339

**This week**

<b>Sun 15</b>	<b>The Third Sunday in Lent</b> 10.30 a.m. The Eucharist (1970 Liturgy), sung & sermon Celebrant and Preacher: The Rector
<b>Mon 16</b>	5.30 p.m. Evensong 6.00 p.m. The Eucharist (1970 Liturgy)
<b>Wed 18</b>	5.30 p.m. Evensong 6.00 p.m. The Eucharist (1970 Liturgy) 7.30 p.m. Lent Group in Crypt
<b>Thur 19</b>	10.00 a.m. The Eucharist (1970 Liturgy) 7.00 p.m. Youth Club in Crypt
<b>Fri 20</b>	9.30 a.m. Nursery in Crypt
<b>Sun 22</b>	<b>The Fourth Sunday in Lent</b> 10.30 a.m. The Eucharist (1970 Liturgy), sung & sermon Celebrant and Preacher: The Rector

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- Members of the congregation wishing to contact a priest in an emergency should telephone the Rector (334 1401). If you are aware of anyone who is ill or in distress, please let the Rector know.
- Any administrative matters should be referred to Jonathan Lord (946 5045) in the first instance.